



St John's C of E Primary School

Together we grow stronger



Headteacher 'HEADLINES' 14.9.18

Week 2 round-up

Another good week. The learning from the vast majority has been terrific. It is great to see that 95% of children have their PE kit in school – next week we are aiming for 100%. Well done to Reception who stayed for their first week of lunches, we look forward to next week when they stay for the full day. Well done to our new starters, joining us from other schools and to those children who have welcomed them with a smile and friendship. Well done also to the staff who have had to take on different and additional roles – your dedication to the children and the school is inspiring!

PE

PE Kit should be in school every day just in case PE happens on another day.

Children will come home in their PE kit on a PE day with their uniform in their PE Kit bag. This is so that we maximise PE lesson time so it is more fun for the children. As the weather gets colder you will need to provide cold weather PE kit.

Class	Day	Teacher
Ash	Wednesday	Mr McCarthy (Acorn PE)
Pine	Wednesday	Mr McCarthy (Acorn PE)
	Tuesday	Mr Basinger-Adams
Sycamore	Thursday	Mr McCarthy (Acorn PE)
	Friday	Mr Basinger-Adams
Juniper	Thursday	Mr McCarthy (Acorn PE)
	Monday - Swimming	Mr Basinger-Adams

Clubs (starting next week)

We have ensured that every child who wanted a club gets a club. Unfortunately not every child will get their 1st choice due to the numbers of children applying for a club or due to some children only choosing one club. At this stage in order to be fair to all, the club register is NOT constructed on a first come first served basis. But, once club lists go up, any spare places are filled afterwards on a first come first served basis. Some children will inevitably get more than one choice – this is due to a variety of reasons such as they chose more than one club, there were spaces available. This is our system.

The St John's WAY

This term our focus is on RESPECT. We have been thinking about how we can respect others and ourselves through our words, behaviours and actions. I have seen excellent examples across the school – people holding doors open, people using good manners, people doing their best, people really focusing on their learning. I was delighted that the children not only recognised how important it was to respect all the staff, each other, and themselves but how they also recognised that these good approaches also showed their respect for their parents. This is our WAY.

Free School Meals

If you think that you may be able to receive Free School Meals please contact the school office for how to apply. Your child will receive additional funding at school which means that we can continue to offer wider provision.

Rewards

Headteacher Award – for something really special				
ASH	PINE	SYCAMORE	Base 5	Base 6
Peter	Reuben	Blake	Amber-Rose	Charlie
St John's WAYS Role Model – for setting a good example following our St John's WAYS				
ASH	PINE	SYCAMORE	Base 5	Base 6
Lilly-Grace	Rosie	Charlie	Leo	Georgia
Learning Power Hero – showing great examples of learning power skills				
ASH	PINE	SYCAMORE	Base 5	Base 6
Peter	James	Charlie	Emily	Harvey
Presentation – for some excellent effort in presentation				
ASH	PINE	SYCAMORE	Base 5	Base 6
Colby	Thomas	Alice	Jake	Skye