



Earley St Peter's

CE Primary School

School News Round-Up

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Nursery Visit St Peter's Church



The children in Nursery visited St Peter's Church this week to take part in an RE inspired session. They enjoyed exploring and learning all about the church and the importance it plays in the Christian faith. The children recognised the symbol of St Peter was the same as the one on our school badge. They then returned to Nursery to create their own stained glass windows.

Reception Children experiment with different materials

The children in Reception have been testing different materials to see which would be most effective in helping the Gingerbread Man to cross a river. We wrapped him in each material in turn and put him in water for 30 seconds to see what would happen.

Antoine: "The kitchen roll wasn't waterproof. It got wet and the Gingerbread Man fell apart."

Ethan: "Foil was good because it was waterproof."

Hadiya: "The paper wasn't waterproof."

Zoya: "Bubble wrap kept the Gingerbread Man shiny and dry."



Key Stage 1 Science Experiment



Children in Key Stage 1 conducted a Science experiment themed to their unit of work on fairy tales by challenging themselves to discover the best insulator for the three bears' porridge. First, the children worked in groups to plan how they would execute the experiment. They decided to cover pots of porridge in different materials (foil, cling film, tissue paper, tea towel) and measured the temperature at 5 minute intervals using a thermometer. They then recorded their results on a table and drew a graph to display their findings.

Attendance figures



The latest winners are:

Trophy: RSH – 97.7% attendance
Earley Peter: IMH – 97% attendance
Earley Pierre: 6SS – 97.4% attendance

Finally, ESPSA are desperately in need of more volunteers for the junior disco next Friday from 7pm-8:30pm. If you are able to lend a hand, please email espsadisco@gmail.com

Have an enjoyable weekend,

Hester Wooller

Achievement Certificates

Congratulations to...

w/c 27th January 2020

RJI – Yesiah, Oskar,
RSB – Elsa, Elijah, Jasmine
RSH – Tobin, Amaya
IBP – Naomi, Beatrice, Ameera
IHB – Jokubas, Gia, Julia
3KL – Emma Rose, Jessica, Josiah
3SC – Laura, Joel, Martha
4PB – Bradley, Miley-Jae, Noor
4ME – Stefano, Gabriel, Simran
5AF – Oscar, George, Shanaya
5MS – Lottie, Jamie, Saffoora
6SS – Iraj, Audrey, Anna
6TH – Ujwal, Adarsh, Sukhmani

Keep up the fantastic work!

Spare tights and trousers required for Reception!

If you have any spare tights or trousers suitable for children aged 4-7 that you are able to donate to our reception classes, we would be very grateful! Occasionally children get wet and require a change of clothes while we dry theirs! If you are able to help, please drop to the school office or to the staff in reception.

Donations of old uniform wanted!

The reception team are in need of spare boys' trousers, particularly for children under the age of 7. If you have any at home that your children have outgrown we would really appreciate any donations! Please drop these into a member of the reception team if you are able to help. Thank you.

Long hair

If your child has hair long enough to be tied up, please could you do so in order to assist in the prevention of the spread of nits. Thank you for your support.

Packed lunches – please take litter home!

Please could we kindly ask that all children who bring a packed lunch to school take their rubbish home in their lunch box to be disposed of.

Children's drinks

Just a reminder that children are only permitted to bring water in to school to drink. We do not allow children to bring any other drinks into school.

School lunches

The cost of a school meal is £2.05. Parents/carers are able to pay for school lunches using the SCO-pay online system. If you do not have your login, please contact the school office who will be able to send you your login details.

School prayer meeting

Every Monday morning at 8:50am a school prayer meeting is held on the school bus. Please do come along, all are welcome. For further details, please call Natasha Smith on 07786 655279.

Nut allergies

We would like to emphasise the fact that a number of children within the school have severe nut allergies. With this in mind, we would ask that all parents make their children aware that they should NEVER share their snack or lunch box contents with another child. Please avoid putting any products in your child's snack or lunch box that contain nuts, as merely being close to a child with a nut product can set off a child's allergic reaction. Thank you for your co-operation.

ESPSA

School Discos - Friday 7th February

Infants 5-6.30pm; Juniors 7-8.30pm: Beat the queues and buy your tickets/tokens in advance. Forms and payments can be made on the ESPSA BlogSpot or cash/cheques can be placed in the ESPSA box in the office.

Bag2School: Thursday 13th February

Donations welcome from the whole school please: Adult's and Children's clothing including jewellery, bags, belts and paired shoe; soft toys, household linen, curtains, towels, sheets, pillowcases and duvet covers. Bags will be coming home very soon and more details on vehicular access to the playground the evening before will follow.

Year 3 Cake Sale: Friday 14th February

Year 3 parent and carers, please can donations of bought or made cakes and savouries be taken to the school office during the morning can volunteers to help sell at school pick up please email espsasecretary@gmail.com.

Dates for Your Diary

Fri 7 th Feb	School Disco
Thurs 13 th Feb	Bag2School collection
Tues 25 th Feb	Pancake Day
Thurs 27 th Feb	ESPSA Committee meeting – 8pm
Fri 3 rd July	School Disco
Thurs 2 nd Apr	Easter Bonnet Day
Weds 22 nd Apr	ESPSA Committee meeting – 8pm
Thurs 7 th May	Key Stage 1 Cake Sale
Fri 22 nd May	Year 4 Cake Sale

Dates for Your Diary

Spring Term 2020

Fri 7 th Feb	ESPSA Disco
Thurs 13 th Feb	KS2 SATS parent meeting (3:30pm & 7:00pm)
Fri 28 th Feb	IBP Class assembly – 2:45pm
Mon 17 th Feb	Half Term
Mon 24 th Feb	Back to School
Weds 4 th Mar	Parents evening 4pm-7pm
Thurs 5 th Mar	Parents evening 4pm-7pm World book day
Tues 10 th Mar	KS1 Golden Assembly
Weds 18 th Mar	Year 3 Home Learning Exhibition – 9am
Fri 20 th Mar	3KL Class Assembly – 2:45pm
Sun 22 nd Mar	WASMA Performance at The Hexagon
Weds 25 th Mar	Year 5 Home Learning Exhibition – 9am
Fri 27 th Mar	IAP Class Assembly
Thurs 2 nd Apr	Nursery end of term
Fri 3 rd Apr	End of term
Mon 20 th Apr	Back to School
Thurs 23 rd Apr	Rhos Y Gwaliau parents meeting (3:30pm & 7:00pm)
Weds 29 th Apr	Year 5 Residential trip to Liddington
Tues 5 th May	KS1 Golden Assembly – 2:45pm
Fri 8 th May	Bank Holiday
25 th - 29 th May	Half Term