

St Sebastian's CoE Primary School

Fortnightly Newsletter (Friday 14th November)



Through our Christian Values, we strive to create an inclusive nurturing community where everyone can flourish, unlock their potential and widen their horizons.

It's been a really busy week starting off with Anti-Bullying Week. Each class has done some work about this important topic this week and we had a whole school worship on Monday. The School Council made and shared 'worry boxes' for their classes so that they can report any concerns they might have for their teacher to see. The children loved sharing their odd socks on Monday to start this off.

We had another special worship on Tuesday for Remembrance Day with everyone making and laying a poppy. Jenson and Poppy have done a great job in bringing the poppy items round to classes to sell and the children have loved donating to this important charity.

The School Council are preparing to run a raffle at the up and coming Christmas Fair and are collecting raffle prizes. We have had a lovely hamper from Downtown and are hoping to make this into a really special fundraiser. We would like to continue to raise funds for the restoration of our school bell and bell tower. We have also had a donation from the Worth Waynfleet Trust to help with the cost of the bell which is fantastic and we are expecting this to be delivered soon.

We look forward to seeing many of you at Parents' Evenings in the next couple of weeks where we can share updates on your child's progress in more detail.



Term Dates

Flu Immunisation Mop Up

Wednesday 19th
November

Parents Evenings

Tuesday 25th &
Wednesday 26th
November

Non Uniform Day

Friday 5th December

EYFS/KS1 Nativity

Tuesday 9th December

Christmas Jumper Day

Christmas Lunch

Christmas Fayre

Thursday 11th December

KS1 Class News

Pandas— This week Pandas have been learning the story of the 3 little pigs. We've had lots of fun retelling the story through role play and pictures and have also been busy building structures using lots of different materials.



Koalas— Koala class have been making a colour splash using primary and secondary colours to create their own piece of art. They are a very creative bunch! They are developing not only their colour mixing but also their brush and painting skills. Well done Koalas.



Polar Bears— The history learning in Polar Bears Class is 'flaming hot!' They are loving discovering all about the Great Fire of London and we've already had some super homework. Their scientific skills are also developing by starting to sort foods into different groups. Well done Polar Bears!

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This term our Christian Value is 'Compassion'

'Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other just as in Christ, God forgave you.' Ephesians 4:32

KS2 Class News

Tigers— Tigers class have enjoyed using the instruments in music to begin creating their own soundscapes linked to mountains. Everyone worked well in their groups and contributed to the final piece which they shared with the class.



Penguins— Penguins have been busy this week composing music using instruments and body percussion for the Rainforest. We have thought about the different layers of the rainforest and what sounds we would hear.



Elephants— It has been brilliant to welcome back all of the children to Elephant's class after half term. The children seem refreshed and eager for another term of learning, with some excellent homework tasks being completed. I think we could have some future star bakers on our hands



Giraffes— Today a teacher from inspire + came into school to help with our learning of basic first aid such as ABC (Airway, Breathing, Circulation) anaphylactic shock and CPR

Special Mention

Aurora, Isobel, Bodhi,
Daisy, Alannah, Jude, Dylan

25 Values Points

Nancy, Bodhi, Stanley, Gruff



Children in Need

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The rain hasn't stopped us from having a fun day today!



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