

Bishop Perrin C.E Primary School

Newsletter

If you have any concerns regarding the safeguarding of children who attend Bishop Perrin CE Primary School, these should be reported to the Designated Safeguarding Lead who is Mr Corke. In his absence, concerns should be reported to the Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead who is Miss Macklearn. The School's Safeguarding Governor is Lucy James.

Our School Value this week is: Friendship

"You can't stay in your corner of the Forest waiting for others to come to you... You have to go to them sometimes." A.A. Milne, Winnie-the-Pooh

Dear Parents,

A Happy New Year to you and I hope that you and your family were able to enjoy Christmas as much as possible and weren't impacted too heavily by Covid. The children have come back to school this week as enthusiastically as normal, and it has been great to see such high attendance across the classes, especially taking into account the high number of absent children before Christmas. I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all the lovely cards and gifts that were sent in for the staff at the end of last term. They were all very much appreciated and received with much gratitude.

Staffing Update

It is with much sadness that Mrs May has chosen to step down from her role in the School Office at the end of this term. This has not been an easy decision for Mrs May, but with the arrival of her third grandchild in April and two other young grandchildren who live in Nottingham, she would like to spend more time with them all, which is wholly understandable.

Mrs May has worked in many different roles at Bishop Perrin over the past twenty years, and she has made a huge contribution to the smooth running of the school whilst in her role in the Office. She will be sorely missed by the children, staff and no doubt yourselves in all your dealing with her. We of course wish her and her family all the best for the future and we thank her for all her hard work, commitment, loyalty, dedication and service to the school and the local community. We will share more details with you about how we will formally say "goodbye" to Mrs May later in the term. Thank you Mrs May for all you have done for BP!

School Life

Year 6 had a wonderful French cultural experience on Wednesday afternoon when Madame Goalen, our French teacher, organised for the children to taste some traditional Galette Des Rois cakes that are traditionally eaten across France on the Feast of the Epiphany, or Twelfth Night. Children in Year 4 also learnt about the tradition in class and they all really enjoyed finding out how French school children celebrate the 6th January. My thanks to Madame Goalen for all the thought and planning that went into the lessons.

Next week Miss Sweeney has arranged for the children to see some genuine Moon rocks, which we know the children will be fascinated to see. Year 6 are currently learning about the Moon and space in their "To Infinity and Beyond" theme unit, so it will link in nicely with that, but with the opportunity for all the children across the school to see the Moon rocks.

Next week we are also planning on welcoming Mrs Munira Wilson, our local MP, to visit and have a tour of the school as part of her programme of visiting all the schools in her constituency. Year 5 have been tasked with preparing some questions to ask her about her role as an MP... but hopefully not as scary as Question Time!

Spring Term Parent Interviews

Our Spring Term Parent Interviews are scheduled for Wednesday 2nd and Thursday 3rd February, so please make a note of these dates in your diaries. We will offer these as virtual meetings again in light of the current Covid situation, using your childs Google Meets account. More details about booking an appointment will come out soon, and it will be an opportunity for your child's class teacher to update you as to how they performed in the December assessments and tests they undertook. Please note that school will finish at 2.15pm on Wednesday 2nd February.

Have a restful and enjoyable weekend.

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Celebration

ATTENDANCE

Week beginning 13 December

CLASS	%
Friendship	75.50
Endurance	95.52
Peace	94.21
Forgiveness	94.52
Reverence	93.51
Service	92.77
Justice	84.23

Well done to Forgiveness class for the highest attendance.

CELEBRATION WORSHIP

Those children presented with a certificate for their hard work, great improvement or good behaviour this week are:

Friendship class Endurance class Peace class Forgiveness class Reverence class Service class Justice class

Whole Class Isabelle Bailey Ayse Josh T Evie Lazzaton

HOUSE SYSTEM AND REWARDS

From this term, all children in Year 1 and Year 2 will be included in one of our four school houses – Canterbury (red), Salisbury (green), Winchester (blue) and York (yellow). They will not need to wear house coloured Tshirts for PE but by being included will share in a sense of team work and competition that the juniors currently experience when earning 'rewards' at school.

Across the school, from next week, 'rewards' can be given to children either for 'Learning and Achievement' – gold stars, or 'Behaviour and Values' – silver stars. When children are awarded a 'reward', either verbally by a member of staff or in their books, they will stick a gold or silver star onto their reward chart. Children who earn the most rewards will receive a bronze, silver or gold certificate at the end of term and the House with the most rewards will be awarded a mufti day to recognise their achievement.

BEE-LIEVE NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2021

Attached is the Bee-lieve Newsletter from December 2021. Bishop Perrin, along with some other Schools, have received a thank you and special mention for our fundraising efforts back in October where we held our Beelieve Mufti Day. Well done and thank you to everyone for contributing. Alongside the four other schools, we have contributed towards an incredible £4,500 of funds.

Bee-lieve Foundation Win National Captain Tom Award!

"We are absolutely thrilled to announce that in October we received the amazing news that Bee-lieve had been chosen ahead of 499 other charities across the UK as the first ever winners of The Virgin Media/O2 Captain Tom Connector Award. The award, selected by Captain Sir Tom Moore's daughter Hannah Ingram-Moore, recognises the work we have done within our local community during the pandemic"

CANCELLED YEARS 5 AND 6 FOOTBALL CLUB ON MONDAY 24TH JANUARY

Please be aware that there will be no Football Club for Years 5 and 6 on Monday 24th January as Mr Corke will be taking the Boys' and Girls' Football Teams to play Nelson School. If your child has been selected to play in the matches against Nelson School, they will be notified via a letter that will be given to them.

Y3 STONEHENGE – PAYMENT REMINDER

Y3 are visiting Stonehenge on Thursday 27th January. The cost for this trop is £10. Payment can be made online by visiting https://payments.atomwide.com/bishopperrinschool Please fill in and return the permission form that was sent to you via email and make your payment ASAP. You will need to provide your child with a packed lunch for this trip



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Y1 WINDSOR CASTLE

Y1 are visiting Windsor Castle on Friday 28th January as part of their curriculum topic. The cost for this trip is £9. Payment can be made online by visiting <u>https://payments.atomwide.com/bishopperrinschool</u> Please fill in the permission form that was sent to you via email and make any outstanding payments ASAP.

Remember to book a lunch for Windsor Castle Trip

Every child in the class is entitled to receive a packed lunch provided by the school caterers. Below is a menu from which you can choose the options they would they like in their lunch. If you would like a school provided packed lunch please visit

www.schoolinterviews.co.uk and enter code **53gu6** to select one main **and** one dessert item.

MAIN: Cheese roll Ham roll Tuna roll

DESSERT: Flapjack Fruit

School packed lunches also come with carrot and cucumber sticks.

Please provide your child with their water bottle for this trip.

Alternativity, you can provide your child with a packed lunch from home.

Diary Dates

7th Jan YR 2 Great Fire of London, Online Workshop with Kew National Archives.
25th Jan YR 5 to St Augustine's Church
27th Jan Y3 to Stonehenge
28th Jan Y1 to Windsor Castle
2nd Feb Parent Interviews (School closing early at 2:15)
3rd Feb Parent Interviews
14th Feb – 18th Feb HALF TERM