



Preesall Fleetwood's Charity School
Spring Term

Friday 15th January 2021

James 1:12 Blessed is the man who remains steadfast under trial, for when he has stood the test he will receive the crown of life, which God has promised to those who love him.

Home Learning:

Well done for getting to the end of week 2! I hope the children have settled into some kind of manageable home learning routine but please remember if there are days when it doesn't go as well or you need to have day where you do your own activities or even have a day off, that is absolutely fine. We understand that it is going to be difficult – everyone's situation is different. Last week I said that pupils should be aiming for three hours a day of home learning but that is just a recommendation from the government – in the real world, that is not always going to be possible! Please just do what you can, especially if you are trying to work from home yourself.

The teachers are sending feedback sheets home each week so the children can identify how they found the lessons. Please complete these as teachers will then plan intervention sessions over Zoom for pupils who have not understood something. I would also urge you to send completed work to the teachers as they will give feedback and it is important that we have an idea of what the children are doing at home.

We also do not expect you to print off reams of worksheets. Your child's teacher will be able to advise you on how they can complete tasks without printing them off.

Miss Moore is delivering phonics lessons through Zoom for Ash Class pupils which are great! I highly recommend you join them if you have a Reception or Year 1 child at home.

Spelling Challenge:

You should now have been sent your child's spelling challenge. This will run through the half-term and when we are back in school, we will test the children on their words and award certificates. They should be able to use their Spelling Shed account to practice.

Pupils Attending School:

We are now asking pupils to wear their school jumper or cardigan with black leggings or tracksuit bottoms and trainers. They need a fresh set of clothes each day so if you don't have enough clean uniform available, it is fine for them to wear their own clothes some days.

Dance:

Miss Gemma is delivering Street Dance on Zoom each Wednesday. These classes are free this half-term so if your child would like to join, email Miss Gemma for the link. (gcocker@fleetwoods.lancs.sch.uk)

Barber Shop Window Display:

Mrs Potter has sent out information about a whole school project to decorate the window at Knott-End Barbers.



We will be dressing the window on 22nd January so need work to be dropped at school on or before Tuesday 19th Jan.

There is a shelf, so models can also be included.

Be as creative as you like,
families are welcome to work in teams!

Any questions, please contact Mrs Potter via the school office.

Pupil awards week ending Friday 15th January 2021

	Ash	Oak	Willow	Maple	Elm	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3
Star of the week	Archie – outstanding effort in home learning as well as coming in to school for part of the week!	Hallie – Star of the week for a wonderful, positive attitude to home learning	Izzy Gee – for excellent effort	Jack – for his hard work in all subjects Katie – for having high expectations of her work (even at home!)	Daisy – for keeping a positive attitude towards home learning	Michael – for a superb start to Fleetwood’s Charity School life	James – for trying hard with his work	Chloe – for her enthusiasm in all of the week’s learning Dylan – for his positivity
English Star	Clara – adapting well to learning phonics from home	Evelyn – For some wonderful work in her English Leo – For some wonderful work in his English Ava-Grace – Fantastic work in her English	Lucy – for using fantastic vocabulary in her writing	Imogen – for her amazing sentences	Adam – for a brilliant retelling of the opening scene of Aladdin	Ivy – super concentrating during Literacy and Phonics sessions	Emily – for excellent work in English	Charlie – for his creative ideas in writing
Maths Star	Wisey – Fantastic effort with Maths at home	Kyle – For some fantastic Maths work	Claudia – for persevering with her Maths	Alfie – for his perseverance with the Maths home learning	Imogen – for never giving up on a tough question!	Oakly – superb, accurate counting in Maths	Eddie – for fantastic work in Maths	Poppy – for her reasoning around mathematical problems

Celebration Assembly:

I will be delivering a Celebration Assembly each Friday afternoon on Zoom where I will give out certificates to pupils in school and to those learning at home. I will post the link on Class Dojo each week. It will be trial and error to begin with! Certificates will be emailed to the home learners named above after the assembly.

Next week, we may be able to add in a Zoom worship. Our theme this half-term is perseverance which seems highly appropriate!

Please get in touch with the class teachers, Mrs Adams or myself if you have any questions or queries or if you need any kind of support. I am happy to arrange Zoom meetings with parents if you wish.

Stay safe and enjoy the weekend!

Mrs Gladwin

