



# INSKIP ST. PETER'S C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

*Learning, Loving and Living with Jesus*

Keep your roots deep in Jesus Christ the Lord, build your lives on him

and always be thankful. *Colossians 2:7*

**Compassion Friendship Respect Forgiveness Trust Thankfulness**



**Monday 10th January 2022**

## Library Van

The library van will be visiting school this **Friday 14th January**. Please remind your child to return any books they have and exchange them for new adventures. Thank you.

## Curriculum Overviews

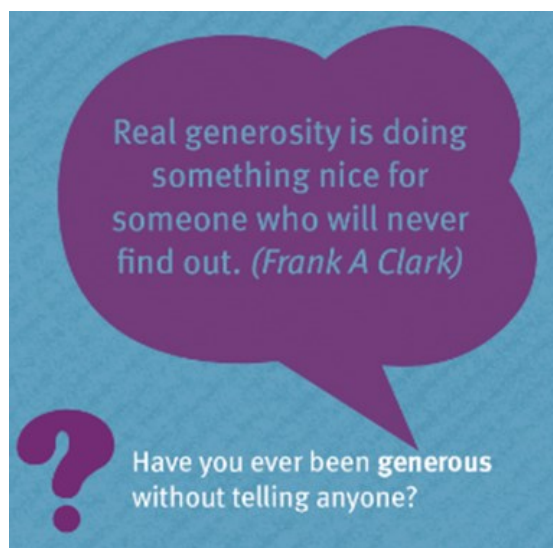
To see what your child will be learning in their class this term take a look at our curriculum overviews on our website <https://www.inskip.lancs.sch.uk/learning/curriculum-overviews>

## *Christian Values*

Our Christian value theme this half term is

**'Generosity'.**

Here's a way of exploring this theme at home.



## School Website

Please take a look at our school blogs and see lots of the inspiring learning your children have been doing in class. Please comment at the bottom of the blog posts your thoughts of encouragement for the children to read.

### Lower School

Welcome Back Spring 2022

Music

### Middle School

Where Do We Live?

Poetry Detectives

### Upper School

Discovering Joan Miro

Lessons in First Aid

## Online Safety

We all want our children to be safe online and with that in mind we will be providing you with information about online behaviours, apps and games which will be useful to you in supporting your child to stay safe. This will also support the daily teaching of online safety at school.

This week we attach a parents and carers guide to **Age Ratings** which can differ in meanings between video and gaming.

Please also take a look on our website at [Our Safeguarding](#) page where you will discover a range of links to on-line safety information.

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# What parents need to know about AGE RATINGS

**bbfc**

If you have children, it is understandable to have concerns about the films and TV shows they watch, as well as the games they play. In this guide, we take a look at the two official ways you can assess if a particular title is suitable for your child. Both the BBFC and PEGI have search facilities on their websites that can be used to look up individual titles so you can check their ratings.

**PEGI**

## RATINGS FOR FILMS, TV & MUSIC VIDEOS

Since 1912, the BBFC (British Board of Film Classification) has informed UK residents of the age suitability of films, TV and music videos - providing parents with the information needed to assess whether or not it is appropriate for their child's age. This applies to cinema releases, DVDs and streaming video services such as Netflix.

### WHAT ARE THE BBFC RATINGS?

BBFC ratings are broken down into seven age categories:

 <b>U</b> Universal, suitable for all ages	 <b>PG</b> Parental Guidance required	 <b>12</b> Suitable for people aged 12 and over	 <b>12A</b> Suitable for people aged 12 and over; anyone younger must be accompanied by an adult
 <b>15</b> Suitable for people aged 15 and over	 <b>18</b> Suitable for people aged 18 and over	 <b>R18</b> RESTRICTED Adult content only available in specially licenced cinemas and specialist retailers	

### WHAT ELSE CAN BBFC REVEAL?

Accompanied with the age suitability rating, BBFC also provide an additional warning regarding the content and what to expect, such as swearing, sexual content, violence and anything you may consider to be inappropriate for your child. In addition to this, the content is also rated in three levels: frequent, mild or strong.

### LIMITATIONS OF BBFC RATINGS

It's important to note that there is no obligation on streaming video services to use or display BBFC ratings. Due to this, we advise that you check the rating online before your child streams the content. It may also be a good idea to watch the content first yourself or discuss it with other parents to help you decide whether or not it is suitable for your child.

Source: [www.bbfc.co.uk](http://www.bbfc.co.uk)

## RATINGS FOR GAMES

PEGI (Pan European Game Information) is a content rating system that ensures all video games are labelled with a minimum age recommendation. These age recommendations are based on the types of content featured within a game. With each game, PEGI also provide a content descriptor that indicates the potential issues and concerns, including sex, violence, bad language and drugs.

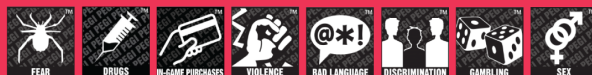
### WHAT ARE THE PEGI RATINGS?

PEGI ratings are split into age restriction and content descriptors. Additional 'content descriptors' help parents and children to understand the type of content featured within a particular game, including sex, fear, bad language, discrimination, gambling, drugs, violence, and in-game purchases. In combination, the two different ratings can provide a good level of information to help make informed decisions regarding the suitability for your child.

PEGI age ratings are broken down into five categories:

 <b>3</b> <a href="http://www.pegi.info">www.pegi.info</a>	 <b>7</b> <a href="http://www.pegi.info">www.pegi.info</a>	 <b>12</b> <a href="http://www.pegi.info">www.pegi.info</a>	 <b>16</b> <a href="http://www.pegi.info">www.pegi.info</a>	 <b>18</b> <a href="http://www.pegi.info">www.pegi.info</a>
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PEGI content descriptors are broken down into eight categories:



### LIMITATIONS OF PEGI RATINGS

It's possible for young people to buy games online without a required proof of age, opening them up to age-inappropriate content without you knowing. We advise that you regularly monitor your child's gaming activities and maintain a honest and healthy dialogue with them about the online world.

### PARENTAL CONTROLS

It is a good idea to put in place parental controls for all online accounts which your child may use to purchase or download online games e.g. The App Store, Google Play Store, PlayStation Store and Microsoft Xbox Store etc.

Source: [www.pegi.info](http://www.pegi.info)

## Dates for the diary:-

Friday 14th January	Library Van
Saturday 15th January	Primary School Applications Close
Friday 11th February	School Closes for Spring Half Term
Monday 21st February	School Reopens
Tuesday 1st March	Secondary School Places Confirmed
Friday 1st April	School Closes for Easter
Friday 15th April	Primary School Places Confirmed
Tuesday 19th April	School reopens

## Clubs:-

MONDAY 10th	8:00am	Breakfast Club
	3:30pm	NO CLUB
TUESDAY 11th	8:00am	Breakfast Club
	3:30pm	Tennis with Simon Ardron
WEDNESDAY 12th	8:00am	Breakfast Club
	3:30pm	Multi-skills Sports Club with sports coach from Fleetwood Town
THURSDAY 13th	8:00am	Breakfast Club
	3:30pm	Afterschool Games, Construction and Arts Club with Mrs Welsh
FRIDAY 14th	8:00am	Breakfast Club
	3:30pm	Multi-skills Sports Club with sports coach from Fleetwood Town



### Birthdays this week

Emily for 19th January

### Primary School Applications Sept 2022

**Closing date for primary applications for September 2022 is 23:59 15th January 2022.** You can apply for their primary school place at: [www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools](http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools) or click the link at the top of our school website. It's quick and easy to do and you will receive email confirmation of your application. **You must apply even if you already have siblings in the school.**

### Catforth Beavers

Due to having to change venue, **Catforth Beavers** have started meeting in our school hall on a **Thursday evening**. If you have a child aged between 6 years old and 8 and are interested in finding out more, please contact Sonya Scott on 07764449209.



## **IMPORTANT PLEASE READ**

### **Information on the changes to the self-isolation period for individuals who test positive for COVID-19**

Since Wednesday 22 December, the 10 day self-isolation period for people who record a positive PCR test result for COVID-19 has been reduced to 7 days in most circumstances, unless you cannot test for any reason.

Individuals may now take LFD tests on day 6 and day 7 of their self-isolation period. Those who receive two negative test results are no longer required to complete 10 full days of self-isolation. The first test must be taken no earlier than day 6 of the self-isolation period and tests must be taken 24 hours apart. This also applies to children under 5, with LFD testing at parental or guardian discretion. **If both these test results are negative, and you do not have a high temperature, you may end your self-isolation after the second negative test result and return to your education setting from day 8.**

Health and social care workers, including those working in education settings, should follow guidance for their sector on taking LFD tests on day 8, 9 and 10. For more information, visit [COVID-19: management of staff and exposed patients or residents in health and social care settings](#).

Anyone who is unable to take LFD tests will need to complete the full 10 day period of self-isolation. Further information is available in the [stay at home: guidance for households with possible or confirmed COVID-19 infection](#).

### **Daily testing for close contacts of COVID-19**

People who are fully vaccinated, or children and young people aged between 5 and 18 years and 6 months, identified as a close contact of someone with COVID-19, should take an LFD test every day for seven days and continue to attend their setting as normal, unless they have a positive test result or develop symptoms at any time.

Children under 5 are not being advised to take part in daily testing of close contacts. If a child under 5 is a contact of a confirmed case, they are not required to self-isolate and should not start daily testing. If they live in the same household as someone with COVID-19 they should limit their contact with anyone who is at higher risk of severe illness if infected with COVID-19, and arrange to take a PCR test as soon as possible. **They can continue to attend an education or childcare setting while waiting for the PCR result.** If the test is positive, they should follow the [stay at home: guidance for households with possible or confirmed COVID-19 infection](#).