



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 24th May 2021



Our monthly **non uniform day** will take place **this THURSDAY (27th May)**. Children may attend school wearing home clothes if they wish in return for a £1 contribution to our Friends association.

Visit to Church



Lower School had a very enjoyable visit to St Peter's Church last week, Revd Paul welcomed them and answered their myriad of questions, whilst explaining different artifacts and aspects of our church.

The children's behaviour and attention was impeccable and thank you very much to the adults who accompanied us on this visit. See our website for more about this special visit.

We are reviewing our Relationships and Sex Education (RSE) policy, schools are required to consult with parents during this process. Please read our draft policy and our curriculum for RSE on our website through the link below, you will also find there an online survey where you can register your thoughts on our RSE policy and provision. <https://www.inskip.lancs.sch.uk/parents/relationships-consultation> Thank you.

School Website

Please take a look at our school blogs and our news blog items which will be written by the children, and see all the wonderful learning your children have been doing in school. Click on the title of the blog to open it in a new window. Please comment at the bottom of the blog posts your thoughts of encouragement for the children to read.

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Thank you Parents

Thank you everybody for all your support of our school during this last half term, your children have worked very hard indeed and shown excellent examples of all our Christian values in action: **Compassion Friendship Respect Forgiveness Trust Thankfulness**. Miss Leyland and all our staff are very proud of them.

Thank you also very much for adhering to our COVID-19 precautions; self isolating if required and responding immediately to any concerns or requests from school. As always if your child shows symptoms of COVID-19 keep your child at home and call school on 07760306161.

COVID-19

Please do not send your child in to school if they or members of your household have coronavirus symptoms or have tested positive in the last 10 days.

Symptoms are

- A high temperature—this means you feel hot to the touch on your chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)
- A new, continuous cough—this means coughing a lot more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours (if you usually have a cough, it may be worse than usual)
- A loss or change to your sense of smell or taste—this means you've noticed you cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal

If your child shows any of these symptoms at school we will ring you immediately and expect you to come and collect your child.

Christian Values

Our Christian value theme this half term is '**Courage**'.

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

THINK TOGETHER
ABOUT WORDS OF WISDOM

"**Courage** is not the absence of fear, but the willingness to overcome that fear."

Nelson Mandela

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 **Roblox** which is a popular game played by our children.

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.



What Parents & Carers Need to Know about

ROBLOX



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7+

With more than 150 million users worldwide, Roblox is one of the most popular video games of recent times. Roblox allows users to create their own gaming experiences using Roblox Studio: building levels and games then allowing other people to play them. Similarly, players can play each other's creations, either on their own or with other people online. While it's a tool that can help foster creative thinking, Roblox is also intermittently in the news amid concerns over young users' safety.

No Age Rating

Roblox is rated 7+ by PEGI, but the platform itself doesn't have a minimum age requirement. It does ask for a date of birth when registering, but this can be easily fabricated. The sheer quantity of games available on Roblox means that some will fall into teen/adult categories. Users can also interact with each other freely – and the game has, historically, attracted scammers, griefers and online predators.



Chat Functionality

Users can join group chats with almost anyone through the Chat & Party function. While the chat has some filters, predators still try to find ways around these to prey on young children. There have been recent reports of adults pretending to be children, attempting to groom younger players and encouraging them to chat privately in an unmoderated environment away from the game.

In-App Purchases

Robux is the in-game currency used to buy things like special outfits or emotes, and to play certain sections of the game. A subscription service (costing £4.99 per month) called Roblox Premium offers more privileges and more in-game currency. Robux can also be purchased in batches, for up to £4.99. Children can easily pay for these, or purchase a membership, without realising it.



ODers

An 'ODer' (online dater) joins Roblox to find someone to 'date' online. While there's nothing inherently wrong with finding love on the internet, it becomes an issue in a space that's populated by children and young teens, like Roblox. Online dating is against Roblox's community guidelines, but certain player-built games on the platform are specifically for 'ODers' and should be avoided by children.

Online Predators

Roblox's developers aim to maintain a safe place for children; they employ human moderators for their players' protection. But there will, sadly, always be individuals who try to bypass these safeguards so they can chat to children and attempt to communicate outside the game. Anyone asking for your child's personal information or to talk privately should be blocked and reported.



Advice for Parents & Carers

Take Note of Ratings

Recent press reports drew attention to Roblox's issues with potentially offensive content. Some players were using Roblox Studio to create games featuring nudity, sexual activity and extreme political views. In response, Roblox is introducing a ratings system which will rank content by age appropriateness, with clear warnings if a game is not suitable for younger players.



Set Parental Controls

Roblox has controls that allow parents to moderate who their children can talk to and which games they can play. To enable these, add your email address to your child's account through the Security menu, and create a secure PIN to stop settings being tampered with. Then head into the Privacy menu where you can apply moderation to in-game chat, personal messages, invites and more.



Disable Messages

It's advisable to block all messaging if you have concerns over your child's safety. If they're playing with friends they know in real life, encourage them to chat in another way (like on the phone), so you know exactly who they're talking to and how. Accounts can be tweaked to allow messages from specific groups of people, such as friends or users that your child follows.



Block and Report

To report players in a game, find the Roblox symbol on screen (or the 'Settings' button on some devices). Identify the offending player and click the flag icon. Clarify why the player is being reported by choosing a reason from the list. If you think a particular game is inappropriate, you can also flag it for a moderator to check by following the same steps but selecting 'Game' instead of 'Player'.



Encourage Creativity

It could prove a little too complex for younger children, but Roblox Studio is a great place to start learning the fundamentals of game design. Many budding developers have created Roblox games which have become popular among the community. There are plenty of tutorials on making games on sites like YouTube. You never know, your child's creation might be the next big thing!



Meet Our Expert

Mark Foster has worked in the gaming industry for several years as a writer, editor and presenter. He is the gaming editor of two of the biggest gaming news sites in the world, UNILAD Gaming and GAMINGible. Starting gaming from a young age with his siblings, he has a passion for understanding how games and tech work, but more importantly, how to make them safe and fun.



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<https://corp.roblox.com/parents/>

<https://www.bbcnews.com/news/tech-51000000-roblox-calls-for-game-kids-exposed-pornographic-scenes-sex-acts>



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Dates for the diary:-

Thursday 27th May	Friends Non-Uniform Day
Friday 28th May	School closes for Half Term
Monday 7th June	School Reopens
Tuesday 8th June	School Photos with Tempest
Monday 12th July	Year 6 Leavers Celebration
Wednesday 14th July	Summer Disco 5 –6.30pm
Friday 16th July	School Closes for Summer
Monday 6th September	School Reopens

Clubs:-

MONDAY 24th	8:00am	Breakfast Club
	3:30pm	Afterschool Games, Construction and Arts Club with Mrs Welsh
TUESDAY 25th	8:00am	Breakfast Club
	3:30pm	Tennis with tennis coach Simon Ardron
WEDNESDAY 26th	8:00am	Breakfast Club
	3:30pm	Multi-skills Sports Club with Pete sports coach from Fleetwood Town
THURSDAY 27th	8:00am	Breakfast Club
	3:30pm	Afterschool Games, Construction and Arts Club with Mrs Welsh
FRIDAY 28th	8:00am	Breakfast Club
	3:30pm	Multi-skills Sports Club with Pete sports coach from Fleetwood Town



Birthday this week!

Isaac 24th May

School Uniform—Updated April 2021

Preloved Uniform available to purchase at very low prices.

All items have been **washed, individually bagged and labelled.** I

f you would like to purchase any of the below items please contact **Helen Mason 07841195886.**

Please be aware that it is **first come first served as quantities are limited.**

Uniform Items with School logo

Colour	Item	From Shop	Label Size	Label Age	Quantity	Suggested Donation
Green	Fleece Jacket		26	5/6	1	£3.00
Green	Fleece Jacket	No Label	30 ?		1	£3.00
Green	Sweatshirt		24		1	£2.00
Green	Sweatshirt	26 - Small - Looks More like a 24			1	£2.00
Green	Sweatshirt		26		1	£2.00
Green	Sweatshirt		28		1	£2.00
Green	Cardigan		30		1	£2.00
White	PE T-Shirt (Logo)	School Trends	22-24		1	£1.00
White	PE T-Shirt (Logo)	F&F		6-7yrs	1	£1.00
White	Polo Shirt	F&F		5-6yrs	1	£1.00
White	Polo Shirt	F&F		9-10yrs	1	£1.00
White	Polo Shirt	Fruit of Loom	140cm	9-11yrs	1	£1.00

Other Items

Colour	Item	From Shop	Label Size	Label Age	Quantity	Suggested Donation
Green (Logo)	PE Kit Bag	Have Names written on them			2	£1.00
Green (Logo)	Baseball Cap				1	£1.00
Grey	Girls Socks		12.5-3.5		1	£0.20
Black	Waterproof Jacket	Mountain Warehouse		5-6yrs	1	£3.00
Black	Waterproof Jacket	Hi Gear		7-8yrs	1	£3.00
Black	Waterproof Lined Trousers	Sprayway		8-9yrs	1	£3.00

Uniform Items without School logo

Colour	Item	From Shop	Label Size	Label Age	Quantity	Suggested Donation
Green	Sweatshirt	Next		8yrs	1	£1.00
White	Polo Shirt	George		8-9yrs	8	£0.50
White	Polo Shirt	George		9-10yrs	7	£0.50
White	Girls Polo Shirt	George		9-10yrs	1	£0.50
White	Girls Polo Shirt	F&F		10-11yrs	1	£0.50
White	Girls Short Sleeved Shirt	George		10-11yrs	1	£1.00
White	Short Sleeved Shirt	George		9-10yrs	1	£1.00
Black	Shorts	George		7-8yrs	2	£1.00
Grey	Shorts	Tesco		5-6yrs	1	£1.00



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Green	Sweatshirt	Next		8yrs	1	£1.00
White	Polo Shirt	George		8-9yrs	8	£0.50
White	Polo Shirt	George		9-10yrs	7	£0.50
White	Girls Polo Shirt	George		9-10yrs	1	£0.50
White	Girls Polo Shirt	F&F		10-11yrs	1	£0.50
White	Girls Short Sleeved Shirt	George		10-11yrs	1	£1.00
White	Short Sleeved Shirt	George		9-10yrs	1	£1.00
Black	Shorts	George		7-8yrs	2	£1.00
Grey	Shorts	Tesco		5-6yrs	1	£1.00
Grey	Shorts	George		5-6yrs	1	£1.00
Grey	Shorts	George		6-7yrs	1	£1.00
Grey	Trousers	M & S		6yrs	1	£1.00
Black	Cargo Trousers	George		9-10yrs	2	£1.00
Charcoal	Trousers	George		8-9yrs	2	£1.00
Charcoal	Trousers	George		10-11yrs	1	£1.00
Grey	Trousers	TU		12yrs	4	£1.00
Black	Trousers	George		8-9yrs	2	£1.00
Black	Trousers	George		9-10yrs	3	£1.00
Black	Trousers	George		11-12yrs	2	£1.00
Grey	Skirt	Next		13yrs	1	£1.00
Grey	Skirt	BHS	140cm	10yrs	1	£1.00
Grey	Pinafore	George		8-9yrs	1	£2.00
Grey	Pinafore	George		10-11yrs	1	£2.00
Green Check	Summer Dress	Back To School		5-6yrs	3	£1.00
Green Check	Summer Dress	TU		13	2	£1.00

Sports Kit without logo

Colour	Item	From Shop	Label Size	Label Age	Quantity	Suggested Donation
Green	Trackie Bottoms	No Label		7-8 ?	1	£1.00
Black	Trackie Bottoms	George		8-9yrs	1	£1.00
Black	Trackie Bottoms	George		9-10yrs	1	£1.00
Black	Zipped Hoodie	George		9-10yrs	2	£2.00
Black	PE Shorts	George		9-10yrs	2	£1.00
Blue	PE Shorts	David Luke	60cm 22-24in		1	£1.00
White	PE Shorts	David Luke	60cm 22-24in		2	£1.00
White	PE Shorts	George		4-5yrs	2	£1.00
White	PE Shorts	George		6-7yrs	2	£1.00
White	PE Shorts	TU		8yrs	1	£1.00
White	PET-Shirt	George		7-8yrs	3	£0.50
White	PET-Shirt	George		8-9yrs	1	£0.50
White	PET-Shirt	George		9-10yrs	1	£0.50

Footwear

Colour	Item	From Shop	Label Size	Label Age	Quantity	Suggested Donation
Black	PE Pumps	George	13/32		1	£1.00
Black	PE Pumps	George	1/33		1	£1.00
Black	Football Boots (Astro)	Sondico	13/32		1	£5.00
Black	Footbal Boots (Studs)	Adidas	1/33		1	£5.00