



SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Monday 9th March 2020

Library Van this Friday. Please bring your books to exchange for new ones.

Sing Together

Thank you parents for coming along and supporting our singing last Thursday, the children were fantastic!

Huge thanks goes to Mrs Hurley for organising and preparing the children for this superb opportunity.

Well done children we are all very proud of you!

We were only able to take photographs during the rehearsal so if any parents have any good photographs of the Sing Together concert please would you send them in to the office so we can have a look. Thank you.



Hand Hygiene



On **Friday morning** our children will be having a visit from Tanya Shaw the **Infection Prevention and Control Nurse** for LCC. She will be bringing her UV light and showing the children how washing our hands correctly can help the fight against germs. This will further enhance our learning that the children have covered in class.

Mothering Sunday

On **Friday 21st March** Dorothy Etherington and the ladies from Church will be coming into school in order to make Mothering Sunday posies with the children which will be given out by the children to their mums at the **Mothering Sunday Service**.

This service will take place at **St. Peter's Church on the 22nd March at 9.30am**. A letter will go out next week asking which job at the service your child would like:

- Welcoming people into Church
- Reading from the Bible
- Composing and reading 'Thank you Mum' prayers
- Helping with the collection
- Handing out posies to ladies in Church
- Saying goodbye to people as they leave Church



World Book Day

We are excited to celebrate all things to do with reading and books again this year but wish to do it slightly different to other years! Firstly, we will be celebrating with special activities on **Friday the 20th March**. This year to encourage the children to learn new vocabulary and increase their store of great vocabulary we are hoping you will help them **come to school dressed as a word** rather than the usual fancy dress where they come dressed as their favourite book character!

Mabel Murple by Sheree Fitch



Mabel Murple's house was purple
So was Mable's hair
Mabel Murple's cat was purple
Purple everywhere.
Mable Murple's bike was purple
So were Mabel's ears
And when Mabel Murple cried
She cried terrible purple tears.



Research has shown that poetry helps children become better readers through building the essential skills of phonemic awareness, vocabulary, fluency and expression. Each of these is crucial for children to develop in order to become strong readers. We are reciting the poem daily in class, please help your child to learn it by reciting it at home too, the more expression and rhythm you use the easier it is to remember!

Here is this week's:

Class Words of the Day

Both Upper and Lower school have a word of the day which they use and investigate in class. In order to deepen this learning please look at the words below that your child learnt last week, use these words with your child in conversation as much as possible so that they develop their knowledge of how to use them in different situations.

Lower school

estimate
predict
exhausted
observe

Years 3 & 4

schedule
jaded
undeniably
plead
passionately

Years 5 & 6

empathy
exquisite
effortlessly
exhale
eye-opener

School Website

Please take a look at the blogs on our school website and talk to your child about what they did and learnt. Our children love reading the comments left by parents on the blogs, please write lots more.

Sensational Salads <https://www.inskip.lancs.sch.uk/blog/2020-03-08-07-43-51-sensational-salads>

Observing Plants <https://www.inskip.lancs.sch.uk/blog/2020-03-08-08-25-36-observing-plants>

Please remember upper school parents to keep looking at our **Class Dojo** for your children's class news.

Pen Recycling

Inskip St Peter's have become a **BIC Community Champion drop off location**. This means that you can drop off your used writing instruments for recycling. These are simple tools that we use on a daily basis, whether it be at home, school or work. Thanks to BIC, through Terracycle, it is easy to **recycle them for free** at our school, which helps to **protect the environment**.

The **box is found in the foyer** so it's easy to leave any used writing instruments off when you drop off or pick up from school. The items accepted by the scheme are **pens, felt tips, highlighters, markers, mechanical pencils, correction fluid pots/tape, fountain pens and their ink cartridges. These items do not need to be BIC branded.**

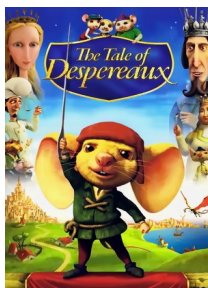
As well as helping to protect our environment our school will receive money to help towards our school events for each full box we send to Terracycle.

Many thanks for your support
Friends of Inskip St Peter's Primary School



This week's Wednesday film is:-

The Tale of Despereaux (U)



There will be a small charge of **£2** to cover the cost of a biscuit and drink.

Please collect children at **5.00pm** when film club finishes.

Thank you.

Our Christian value theme this half term is

'friendship'

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

THINK TOGETHER **Words of Wisdom**

"A good **friend** is worth their weight in gold."

Anon

That's a lot of gold!

Why do you think that this is such a popular proverb?

Dates for the diary:-

Friday 13th March	Library Van
Friday 20th March	Inskip's Dress as a Word Day
Sunday 22nd March	Mothering Sunday Church Service
Friday 3rd April	Library Van—Collecting ONLY
Friday 3rd April	School Closes for Easter
Thursday 16th April	Primary School Applications Confirmed
Monday 20th April	School Re-opens
Friday 8th May	May Day Holiday
Friday 22nd May	School Closes for Summer Half Term
Monday 1st June	School Re-opens

Clubs:-

MONDAY 9th	8:00am till 8:50am	Breakfast Club
	3.30pm till 4.30pm	Tennis with Simon
TUESDAY 10th	8.00am till 8.50am	Breakfast Club
	3.30pm till 4.30pm	Activity Club
WEDNESDAY 11th	8.00am till 8.50am	Breakfast Club
	3:30pm till 5:00pm	Film Club
THURSDSAY 12th	8.00am till 8.50am	Breakfast Club
	3.30pm till 4.30pm	Technology Club
	3.30pm till 4.30pm	Inskip FC—US
FRIDAY 13th	8.00am till 8.50am	Breakfast Club
	3.30pm till 4.30pm	Activity Club

LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE;

UPPER SCHOOL 99.4%

LOWER SCHOOL 100%

WELL DONE

LOWER SCHOOL!



Nathaniel for 9th March

Paige for the 9th March

Spencer for 15th March