



FRIDAY UPDATE – 16th April 2021

CHRISTIAN VALUE THIS HALF TERM: WISDOM

Values homework will be based on the life of Prince Phillip. Each class is doing something slightly different with all the work being brought together to go on our school Christian Values board.

We will be having a minutes silence this afternoon at 3pm as a mark of remembrance for the funeral of HRH Prince Phillip which will be held on Saturday at 3pm. There will be a national minute of silence at 3pm at this time.

CURRICULUM NEWS

Please find attached the Curriculum News for the Summer Term 2021. Full curriculum overviews and further support can be found on the school website. There has been a lot of work updating the English pages so please take a look as there is lots of fantastic support material on these pages

KS2 CLUBS

Golf club was a big success on Tuesday, it was brilliant to see the field kitted out as a mini golf club and the children out in the sunshine learning new skills. There are still 3 places left if any child in KS2 would still like to join. The deadline for letting school know is the end of the day on Monday 19th April.

KS2 Gardening club also started today. Mrs Noble has a group of KS2 pupils who have signed up to learn how to grow vegetables, look after our bedding boxes and plant displays and learn how a greenhouse can be used.

SCHOOL LUNCHES

School has been informed by LCC that charges for school lunches are increasing from the start of the summer term. This will mean that a school lunch will now cost £2.35 a day.

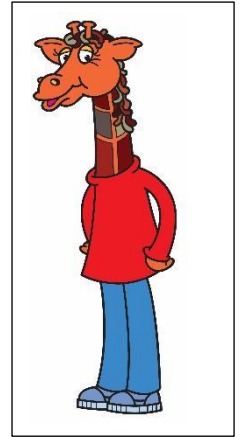
PE KIT REMINDER

Children should wear school appropriate PE kit on PE days please. This should be a school PE hoody (or plain royal blue hoody), school PE T-shirt, school PE shorts (or plain black or navy blue joggers/leggings still as the weather can be variable!) and appropriate sports trainers not fashion trainers. For Year 6 pupils who are leaving PE hoodies do no need to be bought considering how long is left of the year and a school jumper can be worn.

LIFE EDUCATION (PSHE) IS COMING TO SCHOOL ON WEDNESDAY 21ST APRIL



Life Education Lancashire is a charity providing unique health, mental health and drug education programmes which teach children about the wonder of their bodies, how to take care of them, and how drugs (including medicines, alcohol and tobacco) can affect them.



All our children will have an opportunity to take part in the programme, which is specifically designed for their age group. The aim is to encourage the children to think about all aspects of health (including mental health and wellbeing) and make positive decisions about themselves.

The highly trained educator, along with Harold, delivers memorable, informative and age appropriate sessions and assists our school in our work around PSHE (Personal Social and Health Education) and Relationships and Health Education. All sessions cover what is in the National Curriculum.

We would normally invite you into school to find out more about what your child will be doing and so you can meet the Life Education Educator, and to ask any questions you may have, however we are currently not doing this because of health and safety in relation to covid-19. If you do have any questions, please contact school and we will be happy to ask the Educator and respond via your child's teacher.

From all the team at Life Education

SWIMMING STARTS FOR Y5/6 NEXT WEEK

Swimming starts on Wednesday 21st April – please follow the instructions already emailed from Mrs Greenbank.

COVID TESTS

Lateral flow tests are available for anyone now and can be ordered via this website https://www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests?fbclid=IwAR2HeBvMziX25K0aha8ENJ5t7jC6C03ITw30bDW-IM04B_cuR3nHeZ2xFb0.

Please continue to follow all guidance for anyone displaying Covid symptoms.

INFANT READING CHALLENGE & READING FOR PLEASURE BOOKS

Today all the infants will be bringing home their reading challenge sheet and a letter to explain what to do. I know that the children are looking forward to getting started with this.

Don't forget that all infants have a set day to change their reading for pleasure book. Our Year 2 children are being fantastic class librarians, supporting our year 1 and reception children choose their books each week.

As always, have a restful weekend and stay safe,

Lucy Sutton
Headteacher