

Weekly Newsletter

Empathy, Honesty, Respect, Responsibility

11 September 2020

Key Dates This Term

Individual School Photographs

Wed 16 September
Unfortunately, at this time, we are unable to arrange photos with siblings but will ask the photographer to return at a later date to do this.

Jeans For Genes Day

Fri 18 September
Children can come in their jeans, but the rest of their uniform should be worn. Please support this very worthy charity if you can. Payment should be made on MCAS.

Term Dates

Close – Friday 16
October
**Open – Tuesday 3
November**
Close – Friday 18
December
**Open – Tuesday 5
January 2021**

EVERYday
counts
attendance matters

1 st Reception	100%
2 nd Year 2	99.0%
3 rd Year 1	98.9%
4 th Year 3	97.7%
5 th Year 5	97.4%
6 th Year 6	97.0%
7 th Year 4	95.86%



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This Week

Another great week in school. The children are working really hard and enjoying their new 'Think and Discover' topics. They have also enjoyed PE lessons outside this week. All children have been working in their PSHE lessons and writing lessons on the fabulous picture book 'Here We Are' by Oliver Jeffers. The book and lessons planned are designed to encourage a sense of community across the entire school, to reflect on the last few months, and also help the whole school look forward to the future in a positive way. We continue to ensure that the children remain in their bubble in all areas of school and constantly re-iterate the need for good hand and respiratory hygiene and the use of hand sanitiser. Please continue to talk to your children at home about the importance of this. <https://tinyurl.com/Stay-at-home-guidance>
<https://tinyurl.com/Stay-at-home-easy-read-guide>

Christian Values

For this half term in school, we will be focusing on the values of empathy and compassion. Please see the sheet attached to the newsletter with ideas of how you can explore these values with your children at home. Children will have a class worship assembly each Wednesday in school and are busy re-learning our school prayer by heart. Rev. Kathryn Buck is meeting me next week when we will plan for her to visit school safely and lead some of our class assemblies.

Attendance

Please remember that children only need to stay at home if they have the Coronavirus symptoms or any other illness, otherwise children should be in school as usual. The latest GOV.UK information can be read in the links above. If your child is not in school, please remember to telephone the office (leave a message or speak to Mrs. Horner), send an email (admin@stchads.trinitymat.org) or a message through MCAS.

Behaviour for Learning

For parents of children who are new to school and as a reminder for all parents, we are sending out a copy of our Behaviour for Learning system. You will be able to see your child's achievement points for the previous week in their planner on a Monday.

Home Learning

From next week, we will have a system in school which will enable your child to learn at home. Our Teachers have been working hard to ensure that any child who needs to stay at home due to shielding or isolation because of Coronavirus will be able access the same lesson content as their peers who are in school. At the moment the children are being shown in school how this works and where to access the Home Learning. As soon as this is ready, you will receive a letter outlining the plan.

Arriving and Leaving School

Thank you for continuing to ensure that a social distance of 2m is being observed when arriving and leaving school. It is important to stress the need to wait for your child's time-slot before coming down the path. This is for the safety of all and to ensure that bubbles are not coming in to contact with each other. A reminder of the times is below.

Reception	8.30am 3.00pm	Path	Year 2	8.40am 3.10pm	Driveway
Year 1	8.40am 3.10pm	Path	Year 4	8.50am 3.20pm	Driveway
Year 3	8.50am 3.20pm	Path	Year 6	9.00am 3.30pm	Driveway
Year 5	9.00am 3.30pm	Path			

Stars of the Week



Reception:

Olivia W
Finlay D

Year 1:

Lucas H-C
Emma S

Year 2:

Harrison T
Harry S

Year 3:

Dylan K
Eve M

Year 4:

Harmony D
Jack C

Year 5:

Logan H
Logan S

Year 6:

Holly R
James L

Congratulations to all our Stars of the Week for their great achievement!