



ST. PAUL'S PEEL C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Headteacher: Miss Barker

Friday 11th February 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

What a busy week we have had here in school; as well as our usual teaching and learning going on we have taken part in Childrens' Mental Health Week and Safer Internet Day.

A few updates:

Parents' Evening:

If you haven't already booked a virtual appointment to speak to your child's class teacher, I would encourage you to do so. These meetings are a valuable opportunity to discuss your child's progress and wellbeing. Go to www.stpaulspeelce.schoolcloud.co.uk to book a convenient appointment time.

Safer Internet Day:

This year's theme for safer internet day was 'All fun and games?' pupils completed activities in school to help them to understand how to keep themselves safe online.

Safer Internet Day comes at an important time. During the unprecedented challenges of the last two years, playing games online has been an important and enjoyable way for some pupils to stay connected with their friends and, in many ways, has had a positive impact on their emotional well-being through some difficult times.

However, research also reveals the emotional challenges and safety risks that online games can present for young people, including offensive comments, hostile behaviour and frequent contact with players they don't know. Now, more than ever, it is vital for us all to understand and address these challenges and risks to ensure online games can be enjoyable, respectful, and safe for everyone.

Childrens' Mental Health Week:

This year, the theme for Children's Mental Health Week has been 'Growing Together'. Pupils have been completing activities around how they feel they've grown so far and how else they'd like to grow in the future. It has given pupils the opportunity to reflect on their growth and be proud of themselves for it. Miss Green (Class 2) and Miss Denney (Class 3/4) are our Mental Health First Aiders in school. Pupils and staff (including Martha, our school dog!) wore a scarf to show support for mental health week.

Sakura Cherry Tree Project:

We have been very lucky to be chosen to take part in the 'Sakura Cherry Tree Project' and been given a cherry blossom tree. The tree is a gift from Japan (only 6,000 have been given) and is a strong symbol of hope and of friendship. Our tree is to be planted near the reading shelter (next to Miss Denney's modular classroom) and will for many years, bring colour and joy to welcome the coming of spring.

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Lateral Flow Kits:

School does still have kits to give out, please contact the school office if you require any.

Face Coverings:

Staff and any visitors (including parents and carers) are required to still wear a face covering around communal areas in school. This means if you do need to enter the school building you will be asked to wear a face covering.

Coronavirus Risk Assessment:

The school risk assessment can be viewed on the school website: www.stpaulspeelh.co.uk

School Website:

Our school website is full of lots of information regarding school and also has a calendar that tells you things that are happening or are planned to take place in school, please take a look: www.stpaulspeelh.co.uk

February Half Term Holiday:

School closes on Friday 18th February at 3.30 pm and reopens on Monday 28th February.

Our School Neighbours:

I have received complaints from some neighbours regarding driveways being blocked by parents at the start and the end of the school day and that litter is being dropped, please can I ask that we all respect the area outside the school blue gates.

A little reminder, please can I ask that any pupil who is not feeling 100% well should not be attending school also please can parents/carers contact school to let us know if your child is absent from school.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,
Miss Barker
Headteacher

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