



Frances Olive Anderson C of E Primary School

Snippets

Academic Year 2017/2018

05/01/2018

Welcome Back!

I hope that you have all had a good break and are feeling refreshed and ready for the new year.



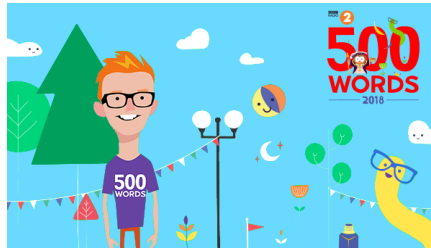
This year we are exploring ways to raise the profile of writing and one of our main objectives is to give the children a reason to write. You will hopefully see lots of opportunities given to the children to perform aspects of their writing. Last term, Year 5 tweeted performance of their written speeches as leader's of the peasant's revolt; the children used powerful vocabulary and expression to deliver their messages convincingly.

We will be exploiting ways to provide a purpose for the children to write which will be to inform, persuade or entertain. Examples of this will be shared using twitter. If you do not follow your class' twitter please sign up to do so – this is where we share most of the work currently.

Facebook

The school has decided to set up a Facebook page. This will purely be used as an information service and no pictures or work will be shared. If you would like to follow please search for Frances Olive Anderson Primary School in the Facebook search box.

Writing to entertain others.



The world's biggest story writing competition returns for 2018. Pupils at Frances Olive Anderson C of E Primary School will be encouraged to participate this year. We will join in with a celebratory packed story-telling extravaganza beamed live to the classrooms. Look out for information from your classes.

If you want to find out more follow this link:

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p0Orfvk1>

New Starters September 2018 (Reception class)

We have had a reminder from the admissions team at county that applications for September places are due. Even if you already have older children in the school, applications still need to be made through county. The date of birth for these children will be between 01/09/2013 and 31/08/2014.

Further Information regarding applying for a place

Lincolnshire parents can pick up an information letter from any Lincolnshire 'early years' provider or school which will provide them with the information they need to apply.

They can apply online at www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/schooladmissions, or ask for a paper application form or make a phone application by contacting the Education Team on 01522 782030. Parents can only apply by using one of these three methods. If applicants live outside of Lincolnshire then they need to apply to their home Local Authority even if they want a school in Lincolnshire.

The main closing date is 15th January 2018, although the online and telephone application facility should still be available to use until 31st January 2018.

Tully Cup

This term, our school value is Friendship. Christians believe they can call God their friend because of the relationship made possible through Jesus.

Winners this week:
KS 1 – Madelyn Young
KS 2 – Gracie Owen

Evergreen

Well done to everyone who achieved their Evergreen status.

Please let the office know if you did not receive an Evergreen text this Friday unless you already were aware that your child was not Evergreen.



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Attendance

Overall this week

3rd – 5th January 2018

95.36%

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Snippets are sent out by email each week. If you do not receive a copy please let the office know.

They are also available to download from our website under the 'Letters Home' tab.

This year's Diary Dates are also available in the Term Dates section. Copies of both are also available from the school office.

Dates for spring term

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS Term 3	
January 2	Training Day
3	Children Return
4	
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18	Young Voices - Sheffield
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22	6-7	FOLS meeting
23		
24	3.10	Year 6 class assembly
25		
26		
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31	3.10	Year 5 class assembly
February 1		
2		
5		
6		
7	3.10	Year 4 class assembly
8		Year 5/6 art and poetry day at Scampton RAF base. FOLS disco
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HOLIDAYS Term 4		
19		Children return
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March 1		
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7	3.10	Year 3 class assembly
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14	3.10	Year 2 class assembly
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16		
19		Dress rehearsal
20	2pm & 6pm	Performance
21	6pm 3.10	Performance Year 1 class assembly
22		
23		Sport Relief
26		
27		
28	9.30 3.10	Easter Service at Lea Church Reception class assembly
29		INSET