

Frances Olive Anderson C of E Primary School

Snippets

Academic Year 2019/2020

28/02/2020

Shrove Tuesday, Ash Wednesday and the start of Lent.

We have had Collective Worship this week with Canon Wain and Mr Watkinson. They have both spoken with the children about what is special at this time of year to Christians, all over the world.

We have continued these discussions in class as well.

I am sure lots of you enjoyed having pancakes on Tuesday, which is known as Shrove Tuesday.



This is the last day before Lent begins. In the past Shrove Tuesday and the making of pancakes allowed people to eat up foods such as eggs and other rich foods before Lent began.

Lent began on Wednesday, this is known to Christians as Ash Wednesday. We have discussed with the children that this marks the start of a special period of time where Christians may choose to give up something for Lent.

We have talked about this being a time to ask for special forgiveness from God and that those who choose to attend a special service in church, have a cross drawn on their head using ashes.

Remember that thou art dust ...



... and unto dust shalt thou return

SIAMS Inspection

Your child/children may have told you that we are having a special visitor next week on Monday.

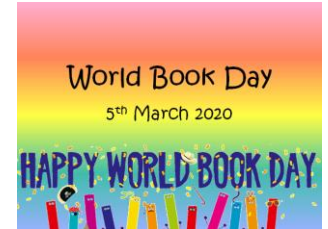
We are having our Statutory Inspection of Anglican and Methodist Schools. We are very much looking forward to our children, staff, parents and community being able to show what a wonderful school we are.

The inspector will be looking at how our school vision is lived and embedded, in and out of school by all of us.

She will be looking at how we enable everyone to flourish and be the best that they can be in order to be able to serve our community.

Coronavirus

To allay any concerns we would like to assure you that we are following all of the updated guidance as it becomes available from the Public Health department.



We will be celebrating World Book Day in school. We have chosen to look at a variety of Julia Donaldson books this year. Children may come dressed as any book character and they will be taking part in various activities through out the day.

There will also be a book fair in school on Tuesday and Wednesday next week – please see the separate letter which contains further information.

In Case of Bad Weather

If we need to close school due to weather conditions we will notify you via Parent Hub. If you have not downloaded the app yet, please do. The handle is @Lea_Primary_Sch

We will also have reported the closure to Lincs FM so you can listen for updates.

We will also put a notice on our website.
www.olive-anderson.lincs.sch.uk

Evergreen

Well done to everyone who achieved their Evergreen status.

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PAACT (Parents And Autistic Children Together)

Do you have a child with autism or associated condition? Or are you awaiting diagnosis or just have concerns?

For more information, or membership details please email paactsupport@hotmail.co.uk and also request to join our **closed PAACT Facebook group**. Follow us on Twitter **@PAACTsupport**

NSPCC Helpline

If you have a question about parental controls or concerns about a social networks, our Online Safety Helpline advisors are here to help.

Call 0808 800 5002

Monday to Friday 9am – 7pm
Weekends 10am – 6pm
Bank Holidays 10am – 4pm

Attendance

The greater the attendance, the greater the achievement.



In addition to missed learning, the children quite often find relationships a little challenging when they return following extended breaks.

Overall this week
24th – 28th February
97.15%

Tully Cup

This term, our school value is 'Trust'.

Trust is the basis of all stable relationships, including a person's relationship with God. It is rooted in truth, and will grow through consistent experiences and reliability and integrity. God's commitments to humanity is seen in his willingness to trust ordinary people with the carrying out of his purposes through history.

Winners this week:

KS 1 – Dylan H - Rec
KS 2 – Maddie G - Yr 6

Communication

We now use Parent Hub instead of the text system to send reminders, Snippets, letters and other information.

The Parent Hub app is the easiest way to receive the messages. Please contact the school office if you would like help on this.

You can also access Snippets on the website and Facebook. Paper copies are available from the office.

Next Week

02.03	All day pm	SIAMS inspection Yr 3 swimming
03.03	3.30 – 3.50	Book Fair
04.03	3.30 – 3.50	Book Fair
05.03	All day	World Book Day
06.03		