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Friday 19th January 2024 – Term 3 - Newsletter 3

Our Christian Value this term is 'Love'

Dear Parents/Carers,

Despite the freezing temperatures, we have had a great week at Frampton. On Tuesday some of the children played a football match against Watermore. They were all amazing and participated really well. When I have been visiting classes this week, the children have been really engaged with their learning and have been really eager to share what they have exploring.



World Book Day & Author Visit

World Book Day this year is on Thursday 7th March. It's always such an exciting day for us here at FCE and we are very much looking forward to it. As in previous years, we ask that children dress up as either a book character or an interesting word (pictures below) – we feel this works really well and we very much enjoy our annual costume parade. During the day we will be doing lots of fun activities to celebrate reading – we can't wait!



We are also excited to say that John Dougherty, a published author, poet and songwriter, will be coming in to school to do workshops with all the children on Tuesday 27th February. **This will be at a cost of £1.80 per child and is payable on Arbor under clubs.** We feel these experiences are invaluable to the children and thank you for your support. To find out more about John please have a look on his website: [JOHN DOUGHERTY, Author, poet, songwriter \(visitingauthor.com\)](http://JOHN DOUGHERTY, Author, poet, songwriter (visitingauthor.com))

Parent Workshops

We sent details of our workshop on **DCD/Dyspraxia** earlier this week which filled up very quickly! We have been able to increase the capacity - for any parents who missed out, there are more spaces now available at <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/understanding-dcddyspraxia-online-with-caroline-jacques-ot-tickets-773638963967?aff=ebdsoporgprofile>

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A few other parent workshops coming up: Book with code SNOWDROP.

Suicide Awareness for Parents <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/suicide-awareness-for-parents-and-carers-online-tickets-763386478507?aff=ebdsoporgprofile>

Understanding and Supporting Behaviour <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/understanding-and-supporting-behaviour-discussion-online-tickets-759639370807?aff=ebdsoporgprofile>

Understanding ADHD <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/understanding-adhd-online-with-corrina-wood-tickets-770203378037?aff=ebdsoporgprofile>

Understanding and Supporting Communication <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/understanding-and-supporting-communication-tickets-758851564457?aff=ebdsoporgprofile>

Fidget/Sensory Resources

Some of our children use fidget toys and sensory/stress toys and resources to keep them self-regulated whilst learning and for use in sensory breaks in lessons. If you have any unwanted fidget toys or sensory toys in your home we would welcome any donations please to be handed into the school office for Mrs Walker.

'Anxiety and difficulty coming into school' workshop

This upcoming workshop and cafe is being held in the school hall and is being delivered by 'South Glos Parent and Carers' on Monday 22nd January at 9.15am. Please let the school office know if you would like to attend.

Children's Mental Health Week – Dress Up Day – A Heads up!

During Children's mental health week we will be completing a range of activities based on the 5 ways of wellbeing and the 'zones of regulation' we use as a school. **On Friday 9th Feb there will be a dress up day to express yourself.** This can be expressing your interests, hobbies or simply dressing up as you. E.g. Brownie and/or Beavers uniforms, football kit, or a creative fashion statement of your own! A donation of a £1 is optional for Place2Be Children's Mental Health Charity.

Clerk to the Governors Vacancy

We still have a vacancy for the Clerk to the Governors and the advert accompanies this newsletter. Details of how to apply are provided in the advert.



Our Golden Broom winners this week are....class 2! Well done everyone, you have worked hard to keep your environment clean and tidy.

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Messy Church



at Fromeside

Saturday 20th January 2024
@ 3:30 – 5:15pm

Fun, craft, worship,
activities followed by food!

St. Saviour's Hall, Coalpit Heath BS36 2RP

Free event, all very welcome



Mrs Fisher's Shout Outs

- Teddy (C1) for being a super star and making progress with his language.
- Sebbie for being really polite in the dinner hall.
- Erin H for showing wonderful walking around the school.
- Layla F for being really polite when coming to the office.
- Ollie H for being so enthusiastic with his topic learning.

I hope everyone has a lovely weekend and we'll see you on Monday.

Mrs Debbie Fisher
Headteacher

Coming up ... Dates for your diary 2023/2024

AUTUMN TERM 2 2023-2024	Dates highlighted in yellow have been added this week.
School Academic Year 2023 – 2024. Please note these term dates may vary from other local authorities.	
Monday 22 nd January 2024	South Glos Parent and Carer 'Difficulties coming in to school' workshop 9.15am in the school hall
Monday 22 nd January 2024	E-safety workshop for parents/carers at 5.30pm – KS2 focus. Specifically important for Year 5 and 6 parents
Monday 5 th February	Camp meeting at 5pm for Year 3 parents/carers (Year 4 camp in 2024/2025)
Monday 5th February-Friday 9th February	Children's Mental Health Week

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Tuesday 6 th February 2024 4pm	Dance Club Performance to Parents
Wednesday 7 th February 2024 4pm	Charlie and The Chocolate Factory – Drama After School Club Performance.
Friday 9 th February 2024	Last day of Term 3 Children’s Mental Health Week– DRESS UP DAY –EXPRESS YOURSELF
Monday 19 th February 2024	First day of Term 4 - INSET DAY – No children in school
Tuesday 20 th February 2024	First day of Term 4 for children
Tuesday 27 th February 2024	John Dougherty, a published author, poet and songwriter, will be coming in to school to do workshops. Please pay £1.80 on Arbor
Wednesday 28 th February 2024	Reception workshop for families at 8:40am – Understanding the World
Thursday 7 th March 2024	Rags 2 Riches World Book Day – children are invited to dress up as either a book character or an interesting word
Monday 11 th , Tuesday 12 th , Wednesday 13 th and Thursday 14 th March 2024	Parents Evening – more information to follow
Tuesday 12 th March 2024	Rocksteady Concert
Thursday 14 th March	Target throwing intra-competition in school
Saturday 23 rd March 2024	Globe Trot at 11am
Monday 25 th March 2024	Christian Faith Day
Thursday 28 th March 2024	Last day of Term 4
Monday 15 th April 2024	First day of Term 5
Friday 24 th May 2024	Last day of Term 5 - INSET DAY – No children in school
Monday 3 rd June 2024	First day of Term 6 for children
Monday 1 st July & Tuesday 2 nd July	Reception year vision screening, height & weight measurements 23/24
Tuesday 9 th July 2024	Rocksteady Concert
Tuesday 23 rd July 2024	Last day of Term 6.

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