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Friday 10th February 2023 – Term 3 - Newsletter 6
Our Christian Value this term – ‘Love’

Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been impressive to see at least 97% of parents in the school attended Parent's Evening this week. Sharing your child's successes and next steps is extremely important. If you were unable to make an appointment please try to reorganise this for as soon as you are able.

Our Christian Values. This week Mrs Adams and Mrs Hudson have been talking to the children about our school Christian Values and how important they are for everyone at school. Here are a few of the comments from your Key Stage 1 children this week. The children gave good reasons for having values and said they were happy they are there. They thought they were important for everyone's wellbeing.

‘Our teachers want us to grow to be kind and helpful people.’ **‘Because we don't want people to be crying’**

‘It would be bucket dipping if there were no values.’ **‘There would be more bullying, it would be mayhem’.**



CLIVE PIG PAYMENTS. Please can we remind you to pay £2 on Arbor towards the cost of the workshop last week if you can. There are some outstanding payments. The workshops really inspired all our children as writers and storytellers. Thank you!

Vacancy

We are still looking for a lunchbreak supervisor to join our fabulous team. Please call in to the office to enquire with Mrs Addicott. Flexible days available. No prior experience needed except for a love of working with children and food!
£10.79 an hour.

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Staff news

Miss Beth Fuller has successfully qualified as a Teaching Assistant this week and we are delighted that she will be staying on at Frampton to continue working with our wonderful children. She really shone during her assessment period! Well done Miss Fuller.

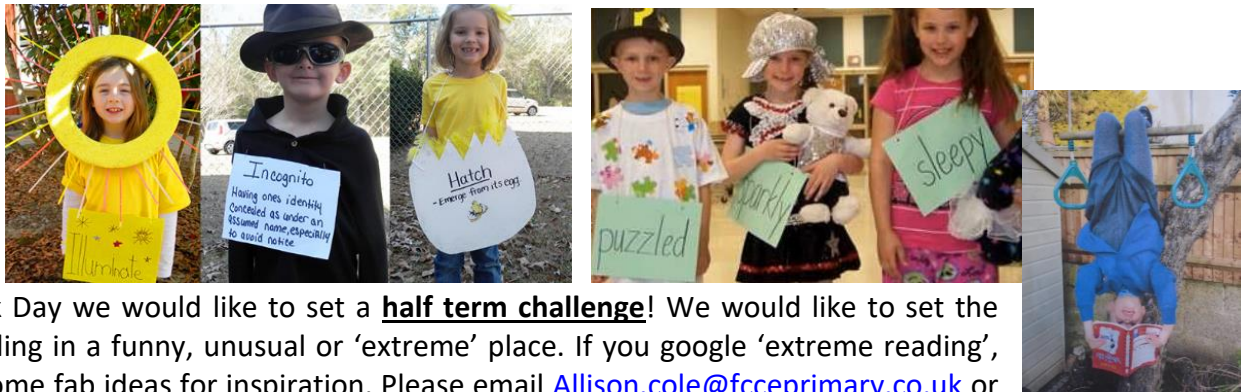
Mrs Sarah Clay – Lunch break supervisor will be leaving us today after 5 years at Frampton. She has consistently worked extremely hard as part of the team and we are really sad to see her go. The whole team will really miss her. Thank you Sarah!

World Book Day

This year, our celebration of World Book Day will be on Friday 3rd March. We felt that dressing up as a word worked really well last year so we would like children to dress up either as a word or as one of their favourite book characters – whichever they prefer! On the day, we will be doing lots of fun activities to celebrate; it is a day we look forward to every year in the school calendar. We would also like to invite you to come into school at 2:55pm to share a book with your child. Older siblings are welcome to join younger siblings in their class. You are welcome to read the books in class but if you would like to bring a book of your own then that would be great. Thank you for your support.

World Book Day c'td

Leading up to



World Book Day we would like to set a **half term challenge!** We would like to set the task of reading in a funny, unusual or 'extreme' place. If you google 'extreme reading', there are some fab ideas for inspiration. Please email Allison.cole@fceprimary.co.uk or Abigail.anderton@fceprimary.co.uk with your pictures. We will be sharing them on World Book Day and making a display in school. We can't wait to see what you come up with!

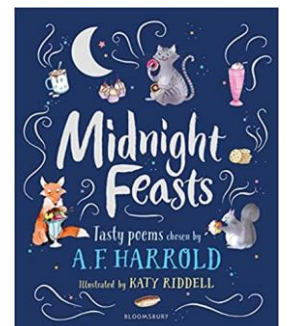
Phonics Parent Session

Thank you to everyone who joined the phonics meeting this morning; it was great to see so many of you there. If you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to contact Mrs Anderton or Miss Cole. The slides and some resources in the attachments.

Poetry Recital Week

Following on from World Book Day, we will be having a Poetry Celebration Week from Monday 6th March. All classes will be using a selection of poems from the book 'Midnight Feasts' by A.F. Harrold and then writing their own poems.

Hopefully your child has brought home a selection of poems; we ask that all children have a go at learning a poem off by heart to perform to their class (these are attached to the newsletter but they can choose their own). Each class will vote for their favourite performance and then we will have a Poetry Slam on Friday 10th. It's going to be a wonderful week!




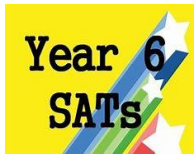
After half-term ...

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Coming up ... Dates for your diary 2022 / 2023 – **THESE ARE UPDATED WEEKLY!** Additional Football Tournaments added.

SPRING TERM 3 2022-2023	
Monday 20 th February	First day of Term 4. Year 5/6 Trip to Steam Swindon (please pay via Arbor) Please email the office if your child will require a school packed lunch from the kitchen for the trip. (Either paid for or for children in receipt of benefits related free school meals)
Tuesday 21 st February	Year 6 Lifeskills Trip (please pay via Arbor)
Thursday 23 rd February	Rags 2 Riches 4 Schools Collection Ks1 trip to Cardiff National Museum (please pay via Arbor) Boys Y5/6 (5 aside) Football at Yate Academy 9.30 – 12.30pm. Coach Ryan will be accompanying the children.
Tuesday 28 th February	Class Values assembly – Year 1 /2 – Robin – 2.30pm Girls Y5/6 (5 aside) Football at Yate Academy 9.30 -12.30pm
Thursday 2 nd March	Industrial Action – classes may be affected
Friday 3 rd March	World book day! 2:55pm Parents are welcome to come in and share a book with their child/children.
Monday 6 th March	Poetry Recital Week
Wednesday 8 th March	Y3/4/5/6 Girls Football Festival 9.30am
Friday 10 th March	EYFS Workshop (Understanding The World & Expressive Arts & Design) 8.40am -9.40am Details on Tapestry Poetry Slam
Tuesday 14 th March	Class Values assembly – Year 2 – Kingfisher – 2.30pm
Wednesday 15th March	Industrial action – classes may be affected
Thursday 16th March	Industrial action – classes may be affected
Friday 17 th March	Fundraiser
Saturday 18 th March	The FCCE Globe Trot – Volunteer marshals please
Monday 20 th March	Roman Play 2.30pm – Miss Cole Year 4 Woodpeckers

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 <p>ROMAN PLAYS ALL WEEK</p>	
<p>Tuesday 21st March</p> 	<p>Roman Play 9.30am – Year 3/4 Mrs Barter Swallows Class</p> <p>Rocksteady Concert - for parents of Rocksteady Music students - 2pm until 3pm for parents</p>
<p>Wednesday 22nd March</p>	<p>Roman Play 2.30pm Starlings Mrs Houston Year 3</p>
<p>Wednesday 29th March</p>	<p>Drama club play 'Robin and the Sherwood Hoodies' at 4pm for parents.</p>
<p>Thursday 30th March</p>	<p>Easter Service at Church 1.45pm – 2.30pm at church (children)</p>
<p>Friday 31st March</p>	<p>Last day of Term 4</p>
<p>EASTER BREAK</p>	
<p>Monday 17th April</p>	<p>First day of Term 5</p>
<p>Saturday 22nd April</p>	<p>Greenpower - Renishaw Miskin (near Cardiff)</p>
<p>Tuesday 25th April</p>	<p>Class assembly – Year 1 – Goldfinch</p>
<p>Monday 1st May</p>	<p>May Day Bank Holiday – school closed</p>
<p>Wednesday 3rd May</p>	<p>Y3/4 Trip to Caerleon (please pay via Arbor)</p>
<p>Monday 8th May</p>	<p>Additional Coronation Bank Holiday – school closed</p>
<p>Tuesday 9th May – Friday 12th May</p> 	<p>Y6 SATS WEEK</p>
<p>Saturday 13th May</p>	<p>Greenpower - Renishaw New Mills (Wotton-Under-Edge)</p>
<p>Tuesday 23rd May</p>	<p>Class Values Assembly – Year 5 – Barn Owl & Buzzard</p>
<p>Thursday 25th May</p>	<p>Last day of Term 5</p>
<p>Friday 26th May</p>	<p>FCCE INSET DAY - no children in school</p>
<p>HALF TERM WHITSUN</p>	
<p>Monday 5th June</p>	<p>First day of Term 6 Year 6 Camp at the Manor BOOKED</p>
<p>Tuesday 20th June</p>	<p>Reception Values Assembly – Sparrow & Wren 2.30pm</p>
<p>Wednesday 21st June</p>	<p>Winterbourne Academy Transition Day Y6 going into Y7 in Sept 2023.</p>
<p>Friday 23rd June</p>	<p>Musicians Concert after school 3.30 – 5pm</p>
<p>Sunday 25th June</p>	<p>'Celebrating our school Church Service' – all invited</p>
<p>Tuesday 4th July</p>	<p>Twilight Session for Winterbourne Academy 4.30 – 6.30pm</p>
<p>Tuesday 11th July</p>	<p>Rocksteady Summer Concert - for parents of Rocksteady Music students 2pm until 3pm for parents</p>

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Friday 21 st July	Last day of the summer term
 SUMMER Holidays	Monday 24 th July – Friday 1 st September 2023 School closed to children.
School Academic Year 2023 – 2024. Please note these term dates may vary from other local authorities.	
Friday 1 st September 2023	First day of Term 1 - INSET DAY – No children in school.
Monday 4 th September	First day of Term 1.
Friday 20 th October	Last day of Term 1.
Friday 15 th December	Last day of Term 2
Tuesday 2 nd January 2024	First day of Term 3 - INSET DAY – No children in school
Wed 3 rd January 2024	First day of Term 3
Friday 9 th February 2024	Last day of Term 3
Monday 19 th February 2024	First day of Term 4
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 FCCE - INSET DAY – No children in school
Monday 3 rd June 2024	First day of Term 6
Tuesday 23 rd July 2024	Last day of Term 6.
Two Additional INSET DAYS TO BE CONFIRMED for Academic Year 23- 24.	

Mrs Hornig's SHOUT OUT to:

- **Mrs Clay** who has worked tirelessly as a lunchbreak supervisor for several years at Frampton but will be leaving us this half term. Thank you for all your hard work!
- **Luke F** for his consistently brilliant contributions to our discussions in collective worship
- **Archie G** for phonetically spelling one of the Transformers (he had a very long name!)
- **Georgia M** for recognising how to spell 'worry' from Worrysaurus, as it is like Happy and Harry!

Attachments:

- **Clubs List for Term 4 (Clubs return on week one)**
- **Phonics Slides**
- **Y1 & Y2 Common Exception Spellings**

I hope you have a lovely February half term week. This time last year 'Wind Day' was threatening the country.
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