St Saviour's Weekly Update

Friday 20th October 2023

Dear St Saviour's Families,

It has been a really busy term with plenty of learning, sunshine and visits. Thank you so much for all of your support and enthusiasm - it really does make such an enormous difference.

Messages from the PTA

We will be holding a secondhand uniform sale on **Tuesday 7th November** in the hall at 8:45a.m.

Save the date!

Friday 17th November: Football Tournament in the playground - more information to follow!

Friday 8th December: Groove and Grotto - dancing, Father Christmas and hot dogs - what more can you ask for?!

Dates for next term

Dates will also be added to the 'Events' tab in the ParentMail app.

30.10.23 INSET day - school closed for children
31.10.23 First day of term
W/b 31.10.23 Book Fair in school
1.11.23 8:45a.m Living Gallery of homework projects in the hall

7.11.23 Secondhand uniform sale

Buster

Caiden is taking Buster home for half term. He has had an exceptional start to the year, and always tries his hardest from the moment he steps foot into the classroom each day. He is kind, caring and helpful towards others and it is a joy to have him in Year 4. Well done Caiden!

Attendance

This week **Year 6** won the Attendance Cup AGAIN with 98.5%. Year 5 were not far behind though!

Reception 95.4%; Year 1 96.4%; Year 2 95%; Year 3 97.2%; Year 4 95.5%; Year 5 98.4%

If your child is sick, please call the Office on **each day** of their absence. We need as much information as possible about your child's illness - not just 'unwell' - thank you! If they have a temperature, vomiting or diarrhoea, please keep them at home.

Stars of the Week

Reception - Arlo; Year 1 - Riko; Year 2 - Alkmini; Year 3 - Alfie; Year 4 - Logan; Year 5 Soren- ; Year 6 -Izzy What a brilliant way to finish the term!

Teacher Angels

The children chose two people as Teacher Angel this week:

Miss Ng is kind and caring and a brilliant teacher. We hope you enjoy your new career. You did a great Black History Month assembly and we have loved having you here!

Mrs Owen has made a fantastic addition to the school and has done some amazing things. She is kind, caring and respectful. Thank you for all of your hard work and great lessons!

We will miss both of you and wish you all the happiness in the world as you embark upon your new adventures.

It was great to see everyone looking so colourful and sparkly today! Thank you for your donations - there is still time to donate if you would like to. I hope that you all have a restful and reinvigorating half term break.

Don't forget that the 30th October is an INSET day! *Miss Granite*



What Three Questions?

Nursery

Can you name some shapes that we have been learning about? (circle, square and triangle)

Can you say how you are feeling?

What emotions did 'the Colour Monster' feel in our story? (*happy, sad, scared, loving, angry and calm*)

Reception

How do we pronounce the digraph 'ff' and 'ss'? Can you find some short words in a book/ newspaper/ magazine that have these digraphs and practice writing them down?

Can you roll a dice and subitise (say the number without counting) numbers 1, 2 and 3?

We have been learning about different types of homes - can you draw a picture of your home and use your phonics to label the different parts of your home?

Year 1

Geography: How does the weather affect people's jobs? (e.g. taxi driver, ice cream seller, etc.)

Science: Why do we have tiny hairs inside our nostrils?

Art: What is a sculpture? Who is Charles McGee?

Year 2 Phonics: What is a homograph?

Maths: pick a 2 digit number. Can you tell me one more, one less, 10 more, 10 less?

Science: What are waterproof materials and when might you use them?

Year 3 Art: What is the purpose of a sketchbook?

Maths: Round 364 to the nearest 100

RE: How does Buddhism set a good example for others? Through what stories?

Year 4

English: What features do you need to include when creating a playscript?

Maths: Can you explain how you work out both area and perimeter?

Science: Can you name 3 non-flowering and 2 flowering plants that grow in ponds?

Year 5

Science: what are the phases of the moon and how long is a lunar cycle?

Maths: How do you work out the perimeter of a rectangle, square and equilateral triangle?

English: Can you list as many alternative words for 'said' as you can?

Year 6

English: What are the features of a diary entry? Think style, purpose, grammar, punctuation, vocabulary, etc.

Maths: What are the factors of: a. 81 b. 64 c. 120

History: Why did the Maya civilisation end? What do you think caused their demise?