

Let Your Light Shine

Matthew 5:16

Canon Popham C of E Primary Academy Newsletter

Friday 23rd February 2024

This newsletter is a regular feature – available online. Please visit our website

<https://www.canonpopham.co.uk/>

Please let us know if you prefer a paper copy.

The VALUE we will continue to explore for some of the half term is **COURAGE**.

We have looked this week at: **LENT and Lenten Sacrifice using GUS: Give Up Something and TOM: Take On More**

Next week we will look at the message:

Overcoming Fear – 1 John 4.18

ENDURANCE, HOPE, JUSTICE, FORGIVENESS, THANKFULNESS and COMPASSION



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Attendance for the past week:

F2: 95.8%

Y1: 92.9%

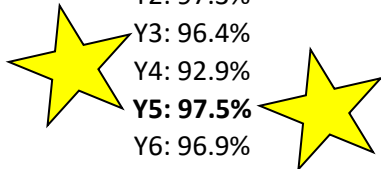
Y2: 97.3%

Y3: 96.4%

Y4: 92.9%

Y5: 97.5%

Y6: 96.9%



Every week the class with the highest attendance earns 5 mins extra break (10 mins if they have 100%). Well done to this week's winner.....**YEAR 5!**

Well done – 4 classes achieved over **96%**!
Overall school attendance was **95.7%**

What's happening in school:

Week beginning 26th February

Monday 26th February: myHappymind **CELEBRATE** launch assembly

Monday 26th February: myHappymind lessons

Tuesday 27th February: Worship assembly

Overcoming Fear – 1 John 4.18

Wednesday 28th February: Worship with Rev Tom/Josie

Thursday 29th February: BRITISH VALUES assembly

Week beginning 4th March

Monday 4th March – Y6 visit Lifewise Centre, Rotherham

Thursday 7th March – WORLD BOOK DAY 2024



Young Voices 2024..... What an amazing night we had!

A huge congratulations to Canon Popham pupils who travelled to Sheffield's Utilita Arena to take part in this year's Young Voices concert. After a 3 hour rehearsal, the children performed a live 2 hour concert to a packed audience of family and friends. You were all amazing, giving fantastic effort and were a real credit to our school with your impeccable behaviour throughout the day, great singing and impressive dance moves! A massive thank you to *Miss Westwood* and *Mrs Creighton* for the hours of practice time they gave to prepare everyone so well!

Team points for the term so far...

St ANDREWS: 72 = 4th

St GEORGE: 105 = 3rd

St PATRICK: 192 = 1st

St DAVID: 162 = 2nd

Well done St Patricks, winner of this week
Keep working hard everyone next week

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Information and Letters



The children returned from half term to a huge surprise in the hall. During the break, we had an amazing new gym equipment frame installed for children to use within indoor PE sessions. These are designed to increase skills of balance, strength and gymnastic ability. The children and staff are really excited to be the first to use this!

READING VOLUNTEERS in SCHOOL

Please see your class teacher or the office if you would like to be a reading volunteer next term! This role is so vital to us as a school, thank you!



SPRING Diary Dates

March

Monday 4th – Year 6 trip to Crucial Crew
Thursday 7th – World Book Day
Monday 11th March - Year 2 parent meeting day
Tuesday 12th March – Year 4 parent meeting day
Wednesday 13th March – Year 5 parent meeting day
Friday 15th March - Year 6 parent meeting day
Monday 18th – Friday 22nd Y6 Bikeability sessions
Tuesday 19th March - Nursery parent meeting day
Thursday 21st March - Year 3 parent meeting day
Friday 22nd March – Nursery parent meeting day
Monday 25th March – Reception parent meeting day
Tuesday 26th March – Reception Westy's Café local area visit
Wednesday 27th March - Year 1 parent meeting day
Thursday 28th – Easter Service Y3 leading 2.30pm
Thursday 28th – last day of term
Easter holidays – Friday 29th March until Friday 12th April

EASTER HOLIDAYS (2 weeks)

April – SUMMER TERM

Monday 15th – school reopens to all pupils

May

May Day – school closes on Friday 3rd May and re-opens on Tuesday 7th May

Monday 6th May – Bank Holiday – school closed for the day

Monday 13th May – KS2 SATs week in school Mon - Thurs



We are always proud of children at Canon Popham with how well they learn in school. But we wanted to share a big achievement for Harriet and how super proud we are of what she has chosen to do outside of school.

During half term she had her hair cut which she has been growing purposely to donate to **Little Princess Trust** which is a charity that provides real hair wigs, free of charge, to children and young people who have lost their own hair through cancer. Her hair will be used to make wigs for children going through cancer treatment.

In addition, she has managed to raise over £1800 to donate to the same charity as each wig costs £500-700 to make. Well done, Harriet!



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