

## St. George's CEP Newsletter

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'Bringing faith and education together'

# Our value this term is RESPECT Treat others as you want to be treated.

[Luke 6:31]

It has been so good to welcome you all back to school for a new academic year! It was a pleasure to see the children arriving back in school uniform, shiny new school shoes – they look very smart! I am aware of some school uniform delays (the same for many schools) but in a couple of weeks this will all be sorted I am sure so every child can come in looking super smart in full school uniform. Responding to parent feedback we are keeping to wearing PE kit on the children's allocated PE days but please be aware these are sometimes subject to change so please keep an eye on your child's Class Dojo with updates from their teacher. With Class Dojo being an excellent way to communicate what's happening in classes, and reducing the amount of paper the school uses I will be doing a fortnightly school newsletter. This will be emailed to you and will also be on our school website! Please make sure that if you change your contact details that you inform the school so they can



Our revamped cross in the KS2 playground welcoming everyone back to school!

### ATTENDANCE MATTERS

be updated!

Our school target is attendance of 97% - it is currently 97.8%!!! This is great but we MUST work together to ensure we are all doing our part to be in school every day. Any absence must be reported to the school office on a daily basis and if illness is over 48hours then we require medical evidence as proof of absence.

Please note that late arrivals, after registration closes, is also recorded as an absence. Let's all do the very best we can!



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You can find out about what's going on at St George's in a variety of ways:

Visit the school website: <a href="www.st-georges-wrotham.kent.sch.uk/">www.st-georges-wrotham.kent.sch.uk/</a>

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We welcomed our new children in Oak Class – what a super class they are! I cannot believe how well they are settling into 'big school' already.







This coming Monday our Year 6 children are walking their Oak Class 'Buddies' down to St George's Church where we will be presenting them with their welcome Bible and a gift kindly donated by our hardworking PTA!

Our Parent Teacher Association (PTA) is fantastic! As a parent/carer/teacher we are all part of the PTA but there are more ways you can get involved to help support the school. Please make sure you put THURSDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> SEPTEMBER in your diaries for the PTA AGM in the school hall at 3.30pm.

**EVERYONE WELCOME!** 

### MEET THE TEACHER

Thank you to those of you that came along to meet your child's teacher face to face – it's so nice to be able to do this!

However, if you missed it please find the teacher's presentations on the class pages of the school website!

We would like a Parent Rep from each class so please volunteer! Can you email with your name and class of your child you'd like to be rep of to <a href="mailto:office@st-georges-wrotham.kent.sch.uk">office@st-georges-wrotham.kent.sch.uk</a>



A celebratory Hazel Class (Year 5) on hearing the news that our school has gained the Music Mark for our commitment to promoting music in school. A BIG THANK YOU to Miss Brownfield for the behind the scenes work!

#### HAS YOUR CHILD SIGNED UP TO A CLUB?

Mrs Scriven tells me there are a spaces left in Year 1 and 2 Tag Rugby and KS2 Young Voices – if you'd like one of them please email <a href="mailto:admin@st-georges-wrotham.kent.sch.uk">admin@st-georges-wrotham.kent.sch.uk</a>

All children attending extra-curricular sessions will be signing the code of conduct – this can be found on the club section of our website. Please call the office if your child cannot attend for any reason.

Please note the only gate to be opened for collection is the KS2 main entrance gate. Staff will open the gate for collection from the playground when they have finished.

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