

St. George's CEP Newsletter

'Bringing faith and education together'

Our value this term is COURAGE

Be strong, be courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the lord your God will be with you wherever you go - Joshua 1:9

Here at St George's we don't just think about the children's progress within an academic school year but from the start of the children's journey with us to Year 6 and beyond as they become young citizens of the future.

One tradition we have managed to adapt was our Bible Services. Our Rector Edward was able to join us in school last week for two very special services. The first was for our Oak Class. Each child in Reception was presented with their First Bible. These were donated by our very own PTA along with a welcome gift. Our Willow Class of Year 5 children were also presented with an older child's version of the Bible. These were generously donated by members of the St George's Church Community and an inscription of their choice to personalise for the children's journeys. Thank you to everyone in our wider community who has so kindly thought about the young generation.







OUR AMAZING P.T.A

I want to say a BIG thank you to our PTA who continue to go above and beyond and think outside the box in ways to fundraise and support our children. Today your children will come home with a lovely pin badge to commemorate our school's 50th birthday – what a unique memento. Please continue to support our P.T.A.

Christmas is coming...

What a wonderful sight to see our Christmas Tree arrive but this year it looks extra special as the children have each written and decorated a personal decoration which has filled the branches with messages of love and hope.

At the end of term our plan is to send them home with the children so they can add them to their own trees.

The children across the school are busy filming and our hope is to share with you some festive traditions such as Oak nativity and the Christingle service albeit in a different format – fingers crossed the technology comes together!



Starting at Primary School...

Know anyone who is looking for their child to start school in September 2021? Tell them they can call the school and book a zoom call with the Headteacher!

They can also have a look at our new tab on our website for Prospective Parents 2021.

Do you have a child born between 1 Sept 2016 and 31 Aug 2017?

Applications open: November 5 2020 Apply for a place online at: www.kent.gov.uk/ola before 15 January 2021

Need help? Email the team at primaryadmissions@kent.gov.uk

Full information booklet can also be viewed online at: <u>www.kent.gov.uk/primaryadmissions</u>



DECEMBER DATES!

Wednesday 9th December -

Christmas Dinner Day with PTA fundraiser to wear a Christmas Hat £1 in the buckets on the school gates

Friday 11th December -

Christmas Jumper Day £1 donation for NSPCC in the buckets on the school gates

Last day for Dragon Post

Wednesday 16th December – Class party afternoon

Thursday 17th December – Pantomime Performance and last day of term!

We return on Monday 4th January 2021

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Speak to us - we are happy to help in any way we can!