



St. George's CEP Newsletter

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'Bringing faith and education together'

Our value this term is KINDNESS

Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other,
just as Christ forgives you. - Ephesians 4:32

Autumn Has Arrived

What an end to the week last week and continuing into a wet and chilly weekend. While we braved some queues in pick up and drop offs the children remain unperturbed!

The children in Oak Class were happy to wander outside to make it rain with their magic wands. Maybe they had a big part to play in the torrential rains we've experienced! They also loved painting their portraits.

I was also impressed by Year 6 Group 2 Forest schoolers who were outside ALL DAY on Friday. Despite returning soggy they had the biggest grins on their faces and couldn't stop talking about their learning.

Back in school in other lessons I could hear the laughter from Year 1s PE afternoon with Mr Jones as they explored shapes and movements by being different types of beans! Have a look at the picture and see if you can work out which bean they were!

My favourite was French bean where you could hear a chorus of 'Oh la la' reverberating around the school!

I wonder how many beans you can think of...



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HEALTHY SCHOOL

This week we took the collective decision that we will not allow birthday treats to be bought into school from home and be distributed within the classes. We want to ensure we have a consistent approach across the school that supports both our approach to staying safe within Covid-19 guidelines and also to uphold our approach in supporting our status as a healthy school.

Can I please take this opportunity to remind you that in class the children should only have water in their water bottles. Milk can be purchased through Cool for School scheme as an alternative. Break snacks are healthy and should be fruit.

If your child has packed lunch, please ensure they are having a balanced meal. How to be healthy will be a key focus in our Relationships Education Policy that focuses on PSHE / Healthy Schools? Relationships and Growing and Changing to name a few aspects.

Have a look at some of these inspiring packed lunch boxes!



Virtual Tours



Education is adapting at a phenomenal rate as we are changing, updating, altering so many ways of working in school to ensure we are as safe as we can be while providing continuous education for families asked to self-isolate.

One thing we've had to change is our traditional tours of the school for the new intake in September 2021. For the health and safety of our school community we have taken the decision not to do physical tours. However, we are having a virtual tour put together with filming happening on Tuesday. We want to reflect our vision of the journey our children go on at St George's to become lifelong learners, celebrate our school grounds for outdoor learning and sport and show our reading for pleasure approach. It will be a useful insight into film production for the children and we will share the results with you by next week!

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