



Lea Endowed CE Primary School
Newsletter No 16
Friday 24th January 2020
Our theme this half term is **Creativity**



"Let your light shine." Matthew 5:16

Another week has flown by and we are nearly half way through the school year! Several teachers have let me know that certain children appear very sleepy and appear to be staying up very late, watching films and playing games on devices. If children are tired, this will clearly affect their learning in school. Research clearly shows that lack of sleep affects memory.

The approximate hours of sleep needed by children of different ages, as taken from the NHS website are as follows:

aged 4: 11 hours 30 minutes, aged 7: 10 hours 30 minutes, aged 9: 10 hours, aged 11 : 9 hours 30 minutes.

Please make every effort to ensure your child has an appropriate amount of sleep to stay healthy, alert and ready to learn, in order to reach their full potential.

Mrs Seagrave's Good Manners Award

Congratulations to **Alexie in Y2** who won my Good Manners award last week. Alexie is a quiet member of our school family who has been noted for shining her manners and respectful attitude in and around school. Keep letting your light shine Alexie - we are very proud of you!

Compassion Cake Sale

Year 6 were completely overwhelmed with the whole school support for our 'Compassion Cake Sale' this week. Thank you so much to everyone who bought a cake and/or sent in a donation. We raised a huge **£184** which is enough to Sponsor a child for 6 months! Once again, the children and parents at Lea Endowed have shown how we can love and care for others with compassion and kindness, just as Jesus intended. We will keep you updated with our Sponsorship when we have further details and we hope to do another fundraiser in the Summer Term.

ROAD SAFETY

Once again, can I please remind all drivers about **NOT** parking or dropping off on the Yellow Zig Zag lines on Lea Road or Sidgreaves Lane. Both areas must remain clear of cars for the safety of children and adults. Thank you



Following the PTA meeting on Monday evening – please find below some upcoming dates for your forward planning.

A huge thank you to those parents who did join us – your contribution is highly valued and much appreciated...

Dates for Your Diary

6.2.20 – NSPCC Maths Day – Maths Carousel /Wear green to school today for a £1 donation

11.2.20 – Safer Internet Day – School focus on Online Safety

14.2.20 –Break up for half term @ 3:15pm and return on Tuesday **25.2.20** @8:55am

26.2.20 – Ash Wednesday- beginning of LENT

28.2.20 – Zero Discrimination Day – Celebrating our God given Uniqueness – Everyone Counts

5.3.20 - Sing Together Concert (Y4/5 performing) @ King George's Hall @6pm (tickets directly from King George's Hall)

11.3.20 – Parents' Evening – all classes 3:30-5:30pm

12.3.20 – Parents' Evening – all classes 3:30-5:00pm and 6:00-7:00pm

25.3.20 - Mothers' Day Afternoon Tea – KS1 2:00-2:30, KS2 2:30-3:00pm

31.3.20 – Easter Activity Day – Exploring the theme of Easter through Music, Art, Reflection, DT, Drama etc

2.4.20 - Easter Celebration Service @ 10am – all welcome

24.4.20 – PTA Non - Uniform Day (please send a Tombola Prize for Springo Bingo)

1.5.20 – PTA Springo Bingo Curry Night – more details to follow



Thank you for your support, C M Seagrave