

Lea Endowed CE Primary School
Newsletter No 9
Friday 28th January 2022
Our theme this half term is
JUSTICE



"Let your light shine." Matthew 5:16

It's been an extra exciting week in school for those Deep and Wide learning experiences. Reception and Year 1 children have had great fun learning to ride balance bikes and some have moved on to pedal bikes - a fantastic achievement (with not a stabiliser in sight!) Class 3 have enjoyed their special reward day for best attendance and Class 4 have had an exciting day of Engineering with the Royal Air Force's Livestream Glider Challenge.

Over the last two weeks we have faced some significant challenges with numerous staff absences however we have worked hard to protect face to face learning for the children and keep our classes open. I would like to thank the staff, for their extra efforts in supporting this. We continue to work hard to help the children catch up with lost learning. One of the most valuable ways you can support your child's progress in ALL subjects, is to listen to them read at least 5 times a week and sign their Reading record to inform the staff of progress at home.

Important Reminders

- The school registers are taken at 9:00am Please allow extra time (with traffic lights & roadworks) to get your child to school before the official school day starts at 9:00am. Children arriving after 9:00am will receive a late mark. After the register closes, they will receive an unauthorised attendance. The teachers provide Morning Work from 8:45am each day to allow for a smooth transition into the school day and a prompt start to the Day's Learning.
- Snacks for playtimes must be "healthy snacks" eg, fruit, raisins, mini bread sticks, piece of cheese or pea/lentil snacks Please don't send in packets of sweets, crisps, biscuits or chocolate bars! (they will be sent home from Monday).

Mrs Seagrave's Great Manners Award

I have been delighted to present my special awards for excellen manners and a wonderful, respectful attitude to:

Isla () in Year 1 (14th Jan) and last week to

Matthew in Year 5. Well done and keep shining brightly.

I am yeru proud of you both.



Parent Governor Election

Thank you to the two parents who put themselves forward for the Parent Governor Election. It was a close vote but I am pleased to announce

Mr Keating (dad to Freddie and Eliza and former pupil, George) has been elected to the role.

Thank you to all parents who took the time to vote.

We're holding the first ever Wear your Scarf to School Day event on Friday 11th February, during Children's Mental Health Week which runs from 7th to 13th of February. Please see letter to follow, for more details.





NSPCC Number Day: Fri 4th Feb
Queen's Platinum Jubilee: Sun 6th Feb
Children's Mental Health week: 7th-11th Feb
Wear a Scarf to School Day: Fri 11th Feb
Safer Internet Day: Tues 8th Feb
&6 Borwick Residential: Wed 9th Feb -Fri 11th F

Y5&6 Borwick Residential: Wed 9th Feb -Fri 11th Feb Break for half term: Friday 11th February at 3:15pm

INSET Day: Monday 21st February
School Reopens for children: 8:45am Tues 22nd Feb
World Thinking Day Girl Guiding: Tues 22nd Feb
Parents' Evenings: Wed 16th and Thur 17th March

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any concerns, queries or you would just like to share some good news! Thank you,

CM Seagrave