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Monday 15th October 2018 Excellence with Compassion

Dear Parents/Carers,

We had a busy week last week.....

We had parents' evening on Monday and Wednesday. If you were unable to meet with your child's class teacher and are keen to talk to them, meetings can be arranged with child's teacher directly. There will also be an opportunity to view your child's work during open afternoon in December in the last week of term.


Last week we also had 2 classes out on trips: Class 5 had a great time visiting Hampton Court on Tuesday and Class 3 travelled to Wimbledon to the Polka theatre to see a play called Three Sit Under the Banyan Tree.

This week we have:

Individual photos tomorrow!

Individual photos and photos with brothers or sisters together are all taking place tomorrow so don't forget to come looking smart!

Parent wellbeing training session

Tomorrow we also have a wellbeing session for parents run by Collective Voices,  at 3.30pm. More information is available on the flyer by the parents' area next to the office.

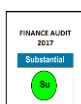
This training is an opportunity to:

- Reflect on your own well-being and how you could support your child's mental health and wellbeing
- Learn valuable information including how to identify a range of different mental health issues
- Understand a young person's perspective on mental health and mental illness, delivered by young people - including what support they want
- Learn what support is available online and in your area and how to get support from local CAMHS

What the training is not:

- Yet another boring PowerPoint presentation
- An attempt to tell parents how to parent, or pass any judgement

Please remember, this Friday is the last day of term and we break up for half term holiday at 3.30pm. School starts for children on Tuesday 30th October 2018. (Staff training is on Monday 29th October).



Harvest

What a fabulous collection of donated food we have, thank you all so much! If you would still like to donate any tins or dried food for our harvest assembly it's not too late. Our Harvest assembly is on this Thursday during family assembly and any donations will go to help the homeless in our neighbourhood, through the Passage charity.

Our Harvest assembly is not only an opportunity to say thank you for all of the food we have collected, but is also an opportunity to acknowledge the many skills we have amongst our Year 6 children and is the time when we announce our House Captains and members of class 6 who have been chosen to hold special responsibilities.

Confirmation Classes

These will be starting on Friday, if your child is in class 5 or class 6 and would still like to take part, it is not too late. Spare letters can be collected from the office.

Attendance

What a fabulous improvement in our attendance last week! We had so many classes collecting their gold stars for every child in their class being in school and on time, well done!! Our attendance just for last week was a fabulous 98.03%, and our overall attendance is very nearly at 96%, with 95.63%!

	07/09/2018	17/09/2018	21/09/2018	28/09/2018	05/10/2018	12/10/2018
Class 6	83.89	93	96.6	95.52	98.62	96.21
Class 5	72.22	91.38	95.42	97.2	97.59	95.86
Class 4	88.89	97	95.67	97.33	98.33	99
Class 3	95.24	94.29	98.91	97.04	96.04	100
Class 2	93.33	97.2	93.6	98.4	92.8	98.8
Class 1	94.74	98.95	100	96.84	97.89	97.89
Class R	85	93.89	96.11	93.89	93.33	98.89
Average	87.09	94.92	96.5	96.72	96.57	98.03

Excellent attendance by class 3 with every child in school every single day; well done class 3!

Dates for Your Diary.....

Please do refer to these regularly as dates may change and new events will be added.

Events for Parents

Every Wednesday: Mass – a different Junior class each week is in Mass held by Father Owen. You are all warmly invited.

Every Thursday: Family assembly – all parents/carers are welcome

Tuesday 16th October: 3.30pm Parent Wellbeing session

Wednesday 31st October : ASD coffee morning

Thursday 20th December: Open afternoon (opportunity to view your child's work in their classroom)

Other Events this month:

Monday 15th: Yr 6 to library

Tuesday 16th: individuals photo day

Wednesday 17th Yr 5 to library

Thursday 18th: Harvest Assembly

Friday 19th: Confirmation Classes start

Wednesday 31st: Yr 6 screening

Events in November:

Friday 2nd: Yr 1 to library

Monday 5th: Class 2 to the library

Tuesday 6th: Yr 4 to the Tate & Reception handwashing session

Thursday 8th: Governor committee meetings (staffing & Curriculum and Premises)

Friday 9th: Yr 6 to St Pauls Cathedral

Awards:

Star of the week: Mutaz

Class of the week: Class 2

Sports Award: Yasseen

Mentions	Sanaavi and Dorela	Suad and Tommy	Ava P and Adib	Ena and Rania	Amelia and James	Lulyana and Mahdi	Charlotte and Mumtaz
Courtesy		Angel and Ayesha	Enkela and Rina	Kaiya and Daisy	Iman and Jahvan	Ayoub and Iyla	Charlotte and Aryan
Top Table	Rebecca T and Mujeeb						

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www.stgabrielsprimary.co.uk

I hope you have a great week!

Rebecca Anson
Headteacher



I have read and noted the contents of this newsletter. Date: 15th October 2018

Signed: _____

Child's name: _____ Class: _____