

St Barnabas' Church of England (VA) Primary School

Newsletter Friday 13th May 2022

Each child is uniquely created and loved by God.

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Our **School Christian Values** are Aspiration, Love, Trust, Perseverance, Reconciliation and Compassion.

This week we found out about resilience.



Attendance

We are always challenged to have the best attendance we can and our target this year is 97%. Do remember that we close our gates at 8:50am everyday and we finish at 3pm.

This Week...

A HUGE well done to all our Year 6 who have completed their KS2 assessments (SATS). All the children challenged themselves and took each paper in their stride. A huge thank you to the Year 6 team and to all the adults who helped invigilate and of course cook breakfast! I know they are now looking towards their end of term production and Young Enterprise activities amongst other challenges!

On Tuesday Acorn class went to Pizza Express and Miss Traviss shares that:

We were taught how to make the pizzas with dough, tomato sauce, cheese and even basil! We were able to look around the kitchen and see where the pizzas are made and cooked. Our pizzas were then put into the oven to be cooked and collected later. Then we walked all the way back to school and learnt about road safety on the way. Thank you to the parents who were able to help us!

Our Year 2 children have continued to work on preparing for their assessments and they will start next week.



Staffing update

At the end of this term Miss Stephens will be leaving us for a new challenge. We will be very sad to see her go as she has worked across the school, and kept us active with Cheerleading and Zumba.

I know she will keep in touch with us and especially with Oak class.

Friday Worship



On a Friday our worship is all about celebration. We share our stars of the week, children who are in our Golden books for showing our School Values, team points and any other celebrations from our School community.

Well done to the following for being our Stars this week: Atiyyah, Billy, Lili-ana, Saira, Aimee, Oscar, Sessa, Isadora, Chandra, Chloe H, Oak

Good luck to Oguz who is taking part in a wrestling championship competition tomorrow.

Team points winners were Disciples.

Keeping in contact

If you would like to contact your child's class teacher here are the class email addresses. If it is an urgent matter please contact the School office.

Acorn: acorn@st-barnabas.kent.sch.uk

Willow: willow@st-barnabas.kent.sch.uk

Beech: beech@st-barnabas.kent.sch.uk

Maple: maple@st-barnabas.kent.sch.uk

Chestnut: chestnut@st-barnabas.kent.sch.uk

Lilac: lilac@st-barnabas.kent.sch.uk

Oak: oak@st-barnabas.kent.sch.uk

Reminders



Please remember we are a nut free school.

Earrings should be studs or not in children's ears especially on PE days.

No bracelets or necklaces.

Please can all children bring in a water bottle everyday

PE kits should be in School everyday but especially on:

Acorn Class: Monday and Wednesday

Willow Class: Wednesday and Thursday

Beech Class: Wednesday and Thursday

Maple Class: Thursday and Friday

Chestnut Class: Monday

Lilac Class: Wednesday and Thursday

Oak: Monday

Have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes

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