

# Ashton St. Peter's Primary School

## Newsletter 22



**'To seek to open our hearts and minds to the love of God and learning'**

***Our value for March is Forgiveness***

***"1 John 1v9: But if we confess our sins to God,  
he can always be trusted to forgive us and take our sins away."***

4 March 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

### **Ofsted Inspection Update**

I am delighted to be able to inform you that our most recent Ofsted report was received today and a copy has been sent out via Parentmail as well as being uploaded onto the school website. I would personally like to say a huge thank you to all of your children for being so brilliant when called upon and being their usual polite, hardworking selves. I would also like to take this opportunity to thank staff, Governors and parents for their continued support which enabled us to achieve such a good result. Thank you.

### **World Book Day**

The children had fun yesterday, sharing their favourite stories, wearing their PJs and drinking hot chocolate. Each child took home a World Book Day token. There are a number of books that children can choose with their token which can be accessed for free with the help from a local bookseller. I hope they have fun selecting a book and reading the story. Thank you.

### **Red Nose Day - Friday, 18 March 2022**

As of Monday, 7 March 2022 we will be selling red noses from the school office at a cost of £1.50 each. We currently have limited stock and will sell them on a first come first served basis. This year, red noses are being sold in individually sealed boxes so children will be unable to choose which red nose they get - it will be a lucky dip! On Red Nose Day, children will be able to come to school in mufti and we are asking parent/carers to send in a donation. Activities will be planned to make it a fun day and further details will follow shortly. Thank you.

### **Midday Supervisory Assistant Vacancy**

We are looking to appoint a permanent Midday Supervisory Assistant. If you are interested in applying for this position, please speak to a member of staff in the school office.

### **Health and Safety**

Can I please ask parents to help with the following:

- Parents are not to walk through the staff car park gate when dropping off and collecting their children as cars and delivery vans use this entrance and it can be very dangerous. Please use the pedestrian entrance in the alleyway.
- Parents are not to leave children in Year 4 and under unsupervised but must hand them over to a member of staff.

### **Coats**

As the weather continues to be wintry please can children remember to bring in their coats, hats and gloves as it can get chilly in the playground. Thank you.

### **School Closure - Important Notice**

Please note that in the event of any school closures such as snowfall over the coming months we will endeavour to remain open. All parents should register with the Central Bedfordshire "State of Schools" portal. You will then receive email alerts if our school does close for any reason. The website to register is: [www.centralbedfordshire.gov.uk/webApps/SOS](http://www.centralbedfordshire.gov.uk/webApps/SOS). If there is snowfall during the night we will keep our registers open for longer so there is no need to telephone the school to say your child will be late in.

### **Attendance**

Congratulations to Year 3 who had the highest attendance last week. Well done!

1st	Year 3	98.2%
2nd	Year 4	96.6%
3rd	Year 5	94.6%
4th	Year 1	94.4%
4th	Year 6	94.4%
5th	Year 2	94.1%
6th	Year R	93.3%

*Thank you for your continued support.*

Best wishes

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