



SLINFOLD CE PRIMARY SCHOOL
AND PRE-SCHOOL

Caring for each other, learning from each other,
achieving with each other... guided by God



Newsletter

29th February 2024

The last two weeks have gone with a flash. It has been great to see all the children working so hard on their learning. I have had so many children come and visit me with their writing. Hamble children have been really excited to show me a range of sentences they have written that has shown wonderful description and key punctuation being used. We have also seen some great maths across the school and some children had the opportunity to attend a maths competition at Christ's hospital. The children were brilliantly behaved and really enjoyed the experience.



World Book day - Friday 8th March

Next Friday the children will get the opportunity to take part in a fun packed day of reading. Children can come dressed as their favourite book character and can also have a go at decorating a boiled egg as a character from a book.

Children will also take part in a reading café and will take part in a masked reader activity.

Reflection

It is important to show that we are trustworthy for the small tasks as well as the big tasks.

What are you trusted to do?



Church services – Keep up to date by logging on to St Peter's page on Facebook or the website: www.stpeterslinfold.co.uk

For more information contact our churchwarden, Vicky Burrell for visits, baptisms or weddings. She can be contacted on 790477 or email vickyslinchurch@gmail.com

Weekly services held at St Peter's:

Holy Communion - 9.30am 1st, 2nd 4th and 5th Sundays in each month.

Young in Faith – Family Service 10am 3rd Sundays – all ages welcome to a simple celebration

Mid-week Holy Communion – 10 a.m. Thursdays 2nd and 4th Thursday only

During school holidays the services at 9.30am will be Family Communions, all ages welcome.

Don't forget Sunday's Cool at St Peter's.

Sunday's Cool - Every Sunday in term time (except the 3rd) in the village hall 9.15am



Join the team

For more information visit:
We are seeking wrap around care assistants. Call in at the office for more information.

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

| Class | Attendance |
|--------------|------------|
| Hamble | 93% |
| Medway | 91% |
| Arun | 96% |
| Adur | 93% |
| Rother | 97% |
| Whole school | 93.5% |

Remember Great attendance leads to Great Progress!

Our attendance has gone up great work, keep it up.

Remember our aim this term is to reach a collective attendance of 94%.

If the school manages to achieve this target then there will be a whole school reward on Thursday 28th March!



Our super swimmers had a great time at the swimming gala. They all gave it their best and had a wonderful experience. The competition was tough and it was great to see the resilience and courage of our team. A great well done!

Spotlight on safeguarding

Parenting is a huge responsibility and a huge challenge. One day all is calm and the next it is tipped on its head. The NSPCC web page provides clear information on a range of different topics. Try visiting: <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/support-for-parents/> For more help and support.

House competition winners.

St George – Max
St Patrick – Ethan S
St Andrew – Neve
St David – Emily P

DIARY DATES

Please note that letters about these events will come out to provide more information.

| Date | Event |
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| Week beginning 4th March | Bikeability year 6 |
| Wednesday 6th March | Year 5 and 6 football |
| Thursday 7th March | Arun and Adur Sculpture park trip |
| Friday 8th March | World book day |
| Monday 11th March | Year 2 football |
| Monday 11th March | Windmill hill meeting |
| Tuesday 12th March | Year 3 and 4 Tennis festival |
| Friday 15th March | Children in need |
| Monday 18th March | Choral day |
| Tuesday 19th March | ILP meetings |
| Wednesday 20th March | Class photos |
| Monday 25th March | Fire service visit (subject to change) |
| Monday 25th March | Year 1 football |
| Tuesday 26th March | Easter Service 2pm start |
| Thursday 28th March | Last day of term, school closed at 1:30pm |

Spirituality at Slinfold

Over the last half term the school staff have been reflecting on what makes Slinfold CE Primary and Pre School such a special place for our community. After much reflection and theological discussion we identified that what makes our school unique is our **CONNECTIONS** through strong relationships with pupils, staff, parents, community leaders and wider supporting agencies. As a close village, we have dedicated ourselves to serving our community so that all can flourish.

Respect, Courage, Compassion, Responsibility