

Kildwick Church of England Primary School

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Newsletter

6th November 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

I trust you have had a restful half term and that you find some time for calmness, peace and reflection in this second season of lockdown.

It has been a busy week of learning for all our children in school and for many of our staff, a week of many new challenges. I would like to take this opportunity to commend them for their hard work and dedication in maintaining a sense of purpose in the classroom.

I have updated the Risk Assessment and this has been emailed to all parents and is available on the school website.

Enjoy your weekend!

Mr T. Whitehead
Headteacher

6th November 2020



Positive Covid Test

If you receive a positive Covid test out of school hours please email the Headteacher ASAP.

headteacher@kildwickce.uk

Thanks

Birthdays

ELIZA, C4
HIDAYAH, C4



Impact of isolating and lockdown

We are very aware that the children, both in school and at home, have had a strange week and that we are all going through some tough times. The children have amazed us all with their resilience and attitudes. However, we are still very conscious that we need to support them as individuals and understand their own personal circumstances and perspectives. If you have any concerns about your child please contact Miss Akrigg at d.akrigg@kildwickce.uk and she will arrange a time to give you a call. We are here to help and support you.

Sports Clubs

Due to DfE guidelines both the running club and Kanga Sport club have been postponed until further notice.

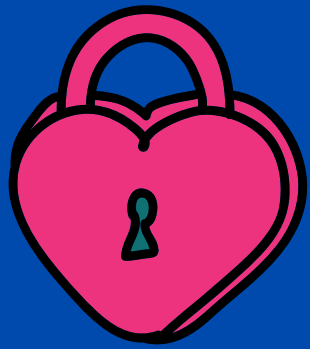


Reverse Advent, w/c 16th Nov

We know that lots of families are facing tough times and we want to support our local community. We will be collecting for Skipton food bank again w/c 16th November. For the past few years we have had a reverse advent when children are given a day in December to bring in donations for the food bank. So that we can get your donations to them



before their Christmas deadline we are going to do things differently this year. We are asking that children bring in one or more of the items from the list attached. Children can wear non uniform on the day they choose to bring their donations in. If there are any parents or carers who have a reasonable sized car to take the donations to Skipton on Friday 20th, please email the school office. Thank you for all your generosity and support.

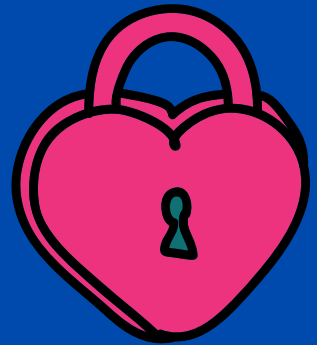


Lockdown Hearts

We have very kindly had a donation of some knitted hearts from a Grandparent. We thought it would be a nice idea if children bought them to send to a friend or relative who they aren't able to see due to isolation or lockdown. It's also a nice way for children to stay connected to people they are missing.

A donation of £2 can be made via parent pay.

These will be sent home every Friday with children who have made a donation. All proceeds will be passed on to the PTA.



Curriculum Newsletter

The curriculum newsletters for this half term have been posted on Google Classroom .





Non Uniform Day
Friday 13th November

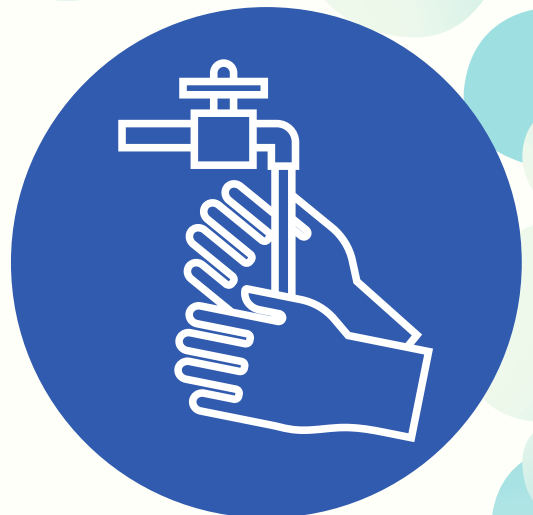
Children are invited to come into school in non-uniform next Friday for a donation via the following link [Children In Need](#)

Together, we can
transform young lives

Hand washing

Please make sure your child is thoroughly washing their hands before they come to school. It is not easy for us to supervise all hand washing so we would be grateful if you could give prompts and reminders about effective hand washing at home.

You can watch a video about handwashing here on CBBC - [How To Wash Your Hands](#)



A group of four children are painting a large white sign on a brick wall. One boy is on a ladder, another girl is painting a heart, and two other children are on the ground with paintbrushes and buckets. A string of colorful bunting hangs above them.

The PTA now have a Facebook Group which can be found [here](#). This will not include any photos of children or their names, and group admins will approve all posts.

PTA News

A sprig of holly with green leaves and red berries.

RAFFLE PRIZES

Please let Miss Akrigg know if you know of any local businesses who will donate raffle prizes! We desperately need these donations to go ahead with the raffle. The raffle is one of our biggest fundraisers and really important for improving resources in school.

PTA Meetings

The first virtual PTA meeting has now taken place. We will keep parents/carers informed about all upcoming meetings.

We welcome all, and any level of support, it is all appreciated.

A string of three Christmas lights: orange, green, and red.

Parent Presents

A reminder to bring in unwanted gifts for children to purchase as Christmas presents for parents.

These can be sent in with children after half term.

A red Santa hat with white fur trim and a white pom-pom.

Fundraising

All children have drawn a picture of themselves which will go on a school tea towel. This will be available to buy next half term.





Class Awards

Class 1 – Robins

OSCAR

IVY

FINLAY

ROSIE

MADDIE

ELLIOT



Class 2 – Swallows

GEORGIA

RALPH

MAX

SIENNA

GEORGE W

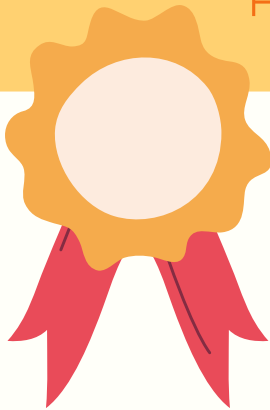
Class 3 – Kingfishers

BLOSSOM

WILLOW

ELSIE

HARRY W



Class 4 – Owls

EMMA

WILLOW

HARRY R

MILES

Class 5 – Eagles

DAWUD

SOFIE

NOAH



It has been a tough year, help us bring some
light and joy to others this Christmas

Tinned Gammon/Lean Ham

Tinned Chicken

Stuffing Mix

Gravy Mix

Christmas Puddings - All sizes

Custard Packets

Christmas Cake Bars

Sweet Biscuits

Savoury Biscuits/Crackers

Chocolates

Chocolate Selection Packs

Hot Chocolate

Mince Pies

Toiletries for Men, Women, Families and Children

Christmas Crackers

Food donations welcome until Friday 4th December

St Andrew's Church, Newmarket Street, Skipton, BD23 2JE

Financial donation always welcome! www.justgiving.com/campaign/SkiptonFoodBankChristmas2020

