



Margaretting C of E Primary School Newsletter

No Limits on Learning

With God All Things are Possible

(Matthew 19:26)



Courageous optimism

Boundless creativity

Heartfelt compassion

NEWSLETTER DATE: 10-09-2021

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Dear Parents,

What a wonderful week! The sun has been shining and it has been great to see the children play at the field with their friends. Children have also been enjoying outdoor learning and we have made the most of the last few days of summer. When the weather is dry, we always try to take the children to the field. Children are given a choice so they can stay in the playground, if they wish. EYFS children have been staying on the playground but when they get to know the school better, we will start taking them to the field at lunchtimes as well. Please remember to pack a water bottle in your child's bag and fill it with plain, still water.

It is fantastic to see the EYFS children so well settled and confident. They are joining the whole school for Collective Worship and love playing with the older children too. As we feel they are getting more confident, we would like to ask EYFS parents if you could drop your child off in the EYFS playground from next Monday morning (13th September). This means that you will not come into the classroom. Once they are even more confident, we will ask you to drop them at the main playground gate but of course you can start to do this whenever you like.

A letter was sent out from the office this week about funding that could be available for your child, if you qualify. This means that they could receive free school lunches as well. Please have a look at this letter carefully and talk to Mrs Taylor or Miss Howard if you have any questions.

Next Wednesday Mrs O'Regan and Mrs Taylor will be holding a Homework Forum in the hall at 2:30pm. Please come along if you would like to know more information about the homework we set (and the reasoning behind it) or if you would like any useful tips or strategies for supporting your child with homework. Straight after this will be our Meet the Teacher afternoon. Please come along to your child's classroom to meet their teacher and find out about the exciting year ahead. Please note that there are two sessions so if you have more than one child in the school, you can attend both.

All clubs start next week except for break dance, please see the email sent out this week.

We have Macmillan Coffee Morning on 24th September so please start getting your baking mittens on! We ask that you kindly drop off any cake donations on the morning of 24th September and the PTFA will be serving cakes from 11:30am, so please come and have cake and coffee with us. The Year 3/4 class assembly will also take place at 11:00am on this day. A separate letter will go to Year 3/4 parents next week.

Have a lovely weekend. Mrs M. O'Regan (Executive Headteacher, B. Mus, HDip in Ed, NPQH, NPQEL) and Mrs M. Taylor (Head of School, BA Hons, PGCE, NPQSL).

TERM DATES:

13th September—Clubs start

15th September 2:30pm—

Homework Forum

15th September—Meet the Teacher 3:15pm to 3:45pm and 3:45pm—4:15pm (for siblings)

24th September—Macmillan Coffee Morning and Year 3/4 Class Assembly

1st October—Year 1/2/3 Dinosaur Experience (rearranged from June 2021, PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF DATE FROM 17.9)

12th October—EYFS and Year 1/2 Fire Safety Talk

20th October—Parents' Evening 3:30-7:30pm

22nd October—Harvest Festival

22nd October—Last day of Autumn 1

1st November—First day of Autumn 2

3rd November—Open Morning for new EYFS parents/children

11th November—Remembrance Service at 11am

30th November—Carols by Candlelight at Chelmsford Cathedral 6:30pm-8:00pm

17th December—Christingle

17th December—Last day of Autumn 2

4th January—INSET Day

5th January—INSET Day



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Awards

The Headteacher's Award has been awarded to Bobby Crouch.

The LOL (Love of Learning) Award has been awarded to Matilda-Rose Kirk.

The SCB Writing Award has been awarded to Alabama Devers.

The Reading Awards have been awarded to Arwaa Ali and Demie Smith.

The Maths Award has been awarded to Tommy Richards.

The Arts Award has been awarded to Beau Morss.

The Stringer Star award has been awarded to Lucy Chapman.

The Sports Star Award has been awarded to Holly Jones.

The Lola June Homework award has been awarded to Grace Davies.

The Environmental Award has been awarded to Aaliyah Bourne.

Certificates this week went to King Yui Wu, Madison Donovan, Henry Davey and Rocky Wilson.

Well done to Mya Betts, Noah Betts, Henry Davey and Alabama Devers for completing the Summer Reading Challenge.

Please bring back awards on Monday 13th September 2021.

A snap shot of what we've been up to this week:



Here at Margaretting, and all our LIFE schools, the safety of our children is of paramount importance. With this in mind, you are welcomed to use the car park outside The Red Lion pub on Main Road when dropping off and collecting your children from school. This avoids a build up of traffic down Penny's Lane and enables our children to exit the building, and cross the road, safely. We thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

