



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

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Dear Parents,

Mrs Taylor has visited all of the classrooms this week to see English and maths lessons. It was a joy to see the learning that the children are enjoying in school and how much progress they have made since September. As Tuesday was National Teacher's Day, we would also like to take this opportunity to thank our wonderful teachers who work so hard to provide the best education they can for the children. Thank you to all of our fantastic staff!

Children in Year 5/6 had a great time at the Nuclear Races on Monday. Despite the cold and the mud, the children worked hard as a team to complete the obstacle course and even supported children from other schools. We are so proud of the children that went, they represented our school so well.

It was great to welcome new parents for lunch on Wednesday. We hope that you enjoyed sampling our tasty school dinners that are made using locally sourced produce.

Teachers allocated parents' evening appointment times this week. Please make sure you check your child's bag for the slip which has your time on. We kindly request that children do not attend this meeting.

On Thursday 21st October, the PTFA are holding 'Crazy Hair Day' which has proved to be very popular in the past. The children will wear their normal school uniform that day but are allowed to have their hair however they want. The more outlandish—the better! They are allowed to have something spooky, if you will allow. There will be buckets at the gate that morning, please give what you can to the PTFA in exchange for your child having crazy hair. Every penny donated goes towards supporting the children at our school.

On Friday 22nd October, we would like to invite you to celebrate Harvest Festival with us at St Margaret's Church (Church Lane, Margaretting, Ingatestone, CM4 0ED). Year 1/2 will be leading the service as their class assembly for this year. The service will start at 11am and the whole school will walk to the church. Once the service has finished, you will be able to take your child home straight from the church. If you ARE NOT going to take your child home from church, please can you let Mrs Taylor know as soon as possible. Those children will walk back to school and can be collected at 12pm, as usual.

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:

12th Oct—EYFS and Year 1/2 Fire Safety Talk
20th Oct—Parents' Evening 3:30-7:30pm
21st Oct—Crazy Hair Day
22nd Oct—Harvest Festival and Year 1/2 Class Assembly 11am
22nd Oct—Last day of Autumn 1
31st Oct—Year 6 deadline for applying to secondary schools
1st Nov—First day of Autumn
2nd Nov—Individual and sibling photos
3rd Nov—Open Afternoon for new EYFS parents/children
5th Nov—PTFA Cake Sale
11th Nov—Remembrance Service at 11am
12th Nov—Drama Workshop for Year 1/2
18th Nov—Non Uniform Day (please donate chocolate or a bottle of something)
30th Nov—Carols by Candlelight at Chelmsford Cathedral 6:30pm-8:00pm
3rd Dec—Christmas Fair
15th Dec—School Nativity
17th Dec—Christingle
17th Dec—Last day of Autumn 2
4th Jan—INSET Day
5th Jan—INSET Day
6th Jan—First day of Spring 1
10th Feb—Year 5/6 Class Assembly
10th Feb—Year 5/6 Greek Day
10th Feb—Parents' Evening
11th Feb—Last day of Spring 1
21st Feb—First day of Spring 2
1st April—Last day of Spring 2
6th June—Bank Holiday
7th June—INSET day



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Awards

The Headteacher's Award has been awarded to Oscar Barham.

The LOL (Love of Learning) Award is currently being repaired.

The SCB Writing Award has been awarded to Fabian Kirk.

The Reading Award has been awarded to Marykate Clark.

The Maths Award has been awarded to Oscar Jones.

The Arts Award has been awarded to Albie Tabram.

The Stringer Star award has been awarded to Delilah Richards.

The Sports Star Award has been awarded to Noah Embery.

The Lola June Homework award has been awarded to Dollie Tabram.

The Environmental Award has been awarded to Evie Belloy.

Certificates this week went to Grace Davies, Aaron Antoniou-Morgan, Elizabeth Lowe and Jake Smith.

Please bring back awards on Monday 11th October 2021.

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



This week the children all watched the Speak Out, Stay Safe assembly, which was provided by the NSPCC. If your child does ever have something on their mind then Childline is a fantastic service that provides support for children under the age of 12. The website address for Childline is childline.org.uk/kids and the phone number is 08001111.

