Friars Primary Foundation School

Dates for Autumn term

New items in red

Newsletter

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Spring term parent consultations:

Letters went out yesterday (also available on the letters page of the website) about spring term parent consultations. Please remember to complete and return the slip on Monday 21st March so that we can allocate you an appointment time

National Day of Reflection:

Next Tuesday marks a full year since we first went into lockdown because of Covid. Along with the rest of the country we plan to have a one minute silence across the school to remember lives lost since Covid-19.

CHILL project:

We are carrying on with our involvement with the Children's health in London and Luton (CHILL) project which is about exploring the affect of air pollution on children's health. Next week the researchers return to carry out some assessments and health checks for those children in Y4-6 that are involved.

Comic relief:

It has been wonderful to see so many "fun" outfits in the school today and to hear so many great (and frequently corny!) jokes. Have a look at our twitter feed and the next page of this newsletter for more information. As per our previous texts, please donate directly to Comic Relief online this year if you can.

FSM provision over the Easter break:

As with the Christmas and half term breaks, Southwark are funding £36 Easter holiday food vouchers from Tesco for any primary children who request it. Please complete the form that will be texted to you on Monday and will be on the home page of the website if you would like to request the vouchers. Those who are eligible for FSM will automatically receive the vouchers and do not need to complete the form.

Food and fun Easter holiday programme 2021:

Southwark Council will be hosting the Food and Fun holiday programme during the Easter holiday. Local hubs across Southwark will provide an exciting programme of food and activities for children aged between 5 and 16 years. Further details about how parents can locate and sign up to their nearest hub can be found on P4 and 5 of this newsletter.

Laptop/Chromebook donations:

We have now had donations of chrome books and laptops from three companies:

ASDA, "Weil Gotshal & Manges" and "My London Home". We cannot thank

you enough as they have made and will continue to make a huge difference to the children of Friars!



Thought for the week:



Have a lovely weekend!

Yours sincerely,

J. Burtt, Headteacher:

LONDON

Monday 22nd and Tuesday 23rd March—CHILL cognitive assessments for Y4-6

Tuesday 30th March and Thursday April 1st—Spring term parent consultations

Wednesday 31st March 2021—last day of Spring term for children

Monday 19th April—first day of Summer 1 for children

Wednesday 5th May—"Into University" working with Y4 and Y5 all day

Friday 28th May—last day of Summer 1.

Monday 7th June—first day of Summer 2

Children's learning at Friars:

In Geography, Year 5 have been learning about natural resources and energy. Specifically they have learned about the difference between renewable and non renewable energy sources. They created their own water wheels, and tried them outside. However it was so

windy they acted more like windmills—2 renewable energy sources for the price of 1!











Red Nose Day jokes:

Angel YN: What do you call a bear with no ears?

A B

KIARA YR: WHAT'S BLACK AND WHITE, BLACK AND WHITE, BLACK AND WHITE?
A PANDA ROLLING DOWN A HILL

Khalid Y1: Knock Knock. Who's there? Boo! Boo who? Don't cry it's only a joke

Layla G Y2: Doctor Doctor, I feel like a pair of curtains. Well pull yourself together!

Chelsea Y3: What do you call a seagull flying over a bay?

A Baygull

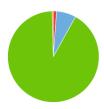
Davion Y4: Why did the dog bark?
To cover up the sound of a trump

DJ Y5: What do you call a blind dinosaur? A Doyouthinkhesaurus!

Eva Y6: I saw a witch and a lion carrying a wardrobe into my neighbor's house. I said "What are you doing?" and they said "Narnia business!"

Attendance:

Attendance for the whole school this week is a **93.43%.** This is not as high as last week but still a good effort. Well done to Year 3 who are the best attending class this week with a whopping **99.47%** attendance!



The green section of the pie chart shows the percentage of children who are in school.

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Stars of the week



EYFS / Y1—Y3

Y3—Rhema and Daniel

For excellent partner work

Y4-6

Y6—Enelda

For always coming into class with a smile on her face and then being ready to learn

Well done!

Values stars

Compassion

Felipe—Y6

Creativity

Kwaku—Y1

Endeavour

Jaime—Y2

Resilience

Sabrine—Y3

Respect

Nusrat—Y4

Responsibility

Anas—Y5

Well done!

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Commitment to keeping children safe:
Paper copies of our safeguarding policy
are available for parents from the school
office. It is also posted on the policies section of the website.

Our focus value for this half term:

Respect

Achieving excellence in a happy, nurturing and safe environment

Compassion, Creativity, Endeavour, Resilience, Respect, Responsibility



Activity programme for children & young people

1 April - 16 April 2021

www.southwark.gov.uk/foodandfun

Funded by



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Contact our providers to sign up!

- Ages: 8 18
- Bede Centre, Abbeyfield Rd, SE16 2BS

BERMONDSEY & ROTHERHITHE CHILDREN & FAMILY CENTRE

- Ages: 0 8
- Southwark Park, Hawkstone Rd, SE16 2PE
- 020 7525 2017

- 07523 943 819

CAMBERWELL & DULWICH CHILDREN & FAMILY CENTRE

- Ages: 0 8
- Dulwich Wood Children's Centre, Lyall Ave, SE21 8Q5
- 020 7525 2017
- cdcfcoffices@dulwichwood.com

CAMELOT SCHOOL'S CHAMPS

- Ages: 5 11
- Camelot School, Bird in Bush Road, SE15 1QP
- 07931 616 456
- 🐐 iali@camelot.southwark.sch.uk

- COMMUNITY HUB

 Ages: 5 16. Remote sessions with lunch
 & activity packs delivered/picked up
- holidayclub.csch@gmail.com
- 020 7703 1653

FAST 58/LEATHERMARKET

- 26 Leathermarket St, Bermondsey, SE1 3HN
- 020 7450 8021

KINGSWOOD ESTATE T.R.A

- Ages: 5 16
- Ketra Community Hall, Telfer House, Seeley Drive, Kingswood Estate, SE21 8QW
- 07852 986 086
- ketracommunity@gmail.com Twitter: @ketracommunity

MILLWALL COMMUNITY TRUST

- Site 1: Lions Centre, Bolina Rd, SE16 3LD Site 2: St Paul's Sports Ground, Salter Rd, Rotherhithe SE16 5EF

PARENT SKILLS 2 GO WITH LITTLE

- PEOPLE'S WORLD

 Ages: 0 16. Remote sessions with lunches & activity packs delivered/picked up

 Site 1: Lewington Community Centre, SE16 2RU
 Site 2: 59b Denmark Hill, SE5 8RS
 Site 3: Salvation Army Nunhead, SE15 3RT
- Pamela.simpson@Parentskills2go.com www.Parentskills2go.com

See the listings to choose the best club for your child. Please book a place with your chosen provider as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

- Ages: 5 11
- | Ivydale Primary School, 1 Bellwood Rd, SE15 3BU

PRO TOUCH SA

- Ages: 6 15
- Burgess Park Community Sports Centre, Cobourg Rd. London, SE5 0JD
- 07856 461 040

- Oliver Goldsmith School, 83 Peckham Rd, London, SE5 8UH

- 156 Eugenia Rd, SE16 2RA

ST GEORGE'S CHURCH CAMBERWELL

- The Trinity College Centr Newent Close, SE15 6EF

TIME & TALENTS

- Ages: 6 11
- T&T2, Surrey Quays Shopping Centre (opposite the Tesco), Redriff Rd, SE16 7LL
- 020 7232 7845

WESTMINSTER HOUSE YOUTH

- Ages: 8 16
- 29 Nunhead Grove, SE15 3LZ
- 020 7639 5879