

St. John's and St. Clement's



School Values: Aspiration, Resilience, Creativity, Community, Kindness



Spring Term 2020 – Newsletter 3

This Week's News...

This week started with the coldest day of the decade so far and in the school the children have been very busy with their learning projects.

On Monday Year 5 visited the Globe Theatre as part of their work on the Tempest. On Wednesday Gormley Class visited the Bridge Theatre to enjoy a performance of The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe as part of the [Raise the Curtain](#) project. On Thursday Year 2 journeyed to the Science Museum and on Friday Year 1 went to the Centre for Wildlife Gardening.

Please keep an eye on our [website](#) and our [twitter](#) for all the latest news.

Best wishes,

Mr Bell and Miss Crank

Diary Dates

Friday 31st January

Y3 Trip to the Natural History Museum

Wednesday 5th February

CSI Workshop for Year 5 and Year 6

Friday 7th February

9am Parents' Prayer Group

NSPCC Number Day

Tuesday 11th February

Parent Café by Pascale Mather our educational psychologist on Helping children to regulate their emotions

Thursday 13th February

2pm Y5 Tempest performance for parents

Saturday 15th February – Sunday 23rd February

School Closed for Half Term

Friday 28th February

Y1 Trip to the Natural History Museum

Tuesday 3rd and Wednesday 4th March

Parents' Evening

Tuesday 17th March

School Photographs

Wednesday 18th March

Voice in a Million at Wembley Arena

Wednesday 1st April

Walker Class - Pete Letanka Jazz Project

Thursday 2nd April

9.30am End of Term Service at St John's Church – all welcome

Friday 3rd April

Last day of term

Friday 8th May

Bank holiday – school closed

Our Stars of the Week

Each week, every class chooses two children to be stars of the week, it can be linked to one of our values, learning or simply for being a star!



Smit Class Assembly



On Friday we enjoyed our first class assembly of the year from Smit Class. We learnt all about light and enjoyed hearing their poems and singing. Well done Smit Class.

Admissions consultation

The Governing body of St John's & St Clement's is currently consulting on proposed changes to the admissions arrangements for September 2021 intake.

The consultation period will run until 31 January 2020.

Please see our [website](#) for details.

Chinese New Year

Reception have been focusing on Chinese New Year through arts, crafts and literacy. During an exciting visit, Edison's mum shared examples of Chinese, cultural traditions and allowed them to try out a beautiful lion puppet and New Year shirt.



Half Term Holiday Camp

This half term Magna, our extended school provider are running a holiday camp at the school. Please see the flier or their website for details.

<https://www.magnagroups.com>



Y5 trip to the Globe



On Monday Year 5 visited the Globe Theatre on the Southbank. They learnt lots of professional tips and tricks ready for their own performance in a few weeks.

Year 1 at the Centre for Wildlife Gardening



Year 1 had an exciting day visiting the local Centre for Wildlife Gardening on Marsden Road. They experienced pond dipping, a mini-beast hunt and found out about the structure of trees.

Help your child to be on time

The school day starts at 8.55am. Classroom doors open at 8.45 to give children a calm start to the day. If children are in the playground at 8.55 they are already late. Please help your child be in the playground for 8.45 and be on time for their learning.

Class Assemblies

We will be presenting a series of class assemblies to share our love of learning and achievements, and would like to invite family members and carers to join us. Whilst some of these assemblies are a long way off, I wanted to give you as much notice as possible. The assemblies will take place on the dates below at 9.15am after drop off in the hall.

Date	Class	Date	Class
Friday 24th January	Smit Class	Friday 3rd April	Lichtenstein Class
Friday 31st January	Kahlo Class	Friday 12th June	Walker Class
Friday 7th February	Gormley Class	Friday 19th June	Kandinsky Class
Friday 13th March	Stowasser Class	Friday 26th June	Stik Class
Friday 20th March	Van Gogh Class	Friday 3rd July	Monet
Friday 27th March	Kusama Class	Friday 10th July	O'Keefe Class

** Year 6 will perform a show in the summer term