

St Peter's CE Primary School

Bratton

NEWSLETTER

Friday 15th November 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to another edition of the newsletter. We have a write up this week about Anti-Bullying Week and a new member of school our 'Prayer Bear'. We have also had our local police in school this week working with Year 6 on the Star Programme, which has become an annual event for us.

On Thursday, many of our Year 6 pupils very confidently showed prospective parents around school. A great job from Year 6, well done. It was lovely to see Year 6 talking so enthusiastically about their school.

I came across this link on the BBC website https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/joinin/dualwa-anxiety-in-primary-school, which I thought was very useful, so I have shared the link.

The weather has turned very cold over the last week and it's also been wet. Please make sure that your child comes to school equipped for the weather. We try and get children outside, whatever the weather as the break and the fresh air does them good.

I hope you all have a super weekend.

Best wishes,

Mark Davis

Head Teacher

Thought for the week: 18th-24th Road Safety Week Safety doesn't happen by accident.

UPDATES AND INFORMATION

Year 5 Reading Morning

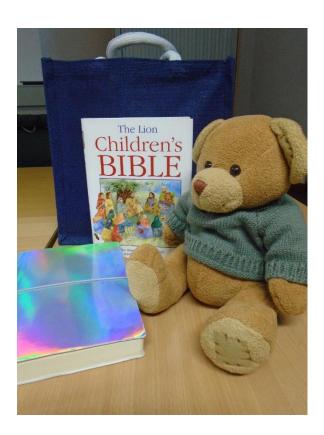
Year 5 would like to invite parents/carers into school on Friday 22nd November 8:50 - 9:15am. You are welcome to join your children for a reading session where the teachers and children will share their reading strategies.

The St. Peter's Prayer Bear

In school we now have a prayer bear. This is a bear that comes with a prayer book and a Bible. Any child in school can request to take the bear home. They can then have the bear overnight to share a prayer or even add their own prayer to the prayer book for others to share.

If you would like the prayer bear to come home with you please let your class RE Ambassador know and when it is your turn the bear will arrive in his own bag all ready for you.

We hope this will spread prayer among our school community and our Prayer Bear will become a loved addition to our school.





This week across school we have been taking part in Anti-Bullying Week.

What is bullying?

The repetitive, intentional hurting of one person or group by another person or group, where the relationship involves an imbalance of power.

Bullying can be physical, verbal or psychological.

It can happen face-to-face or online.



This year's theme is change

Whether it is verbal, physical, online or in-person, bullying has a significant impact on a child's life well in to adulthood. By making small, simple changes, we can break this cycle and create a safe environment for everyone. Because together, we can challenge bullying. Change starts with a conversation. It starts with checking in. It starts with work together.

Change starts here.

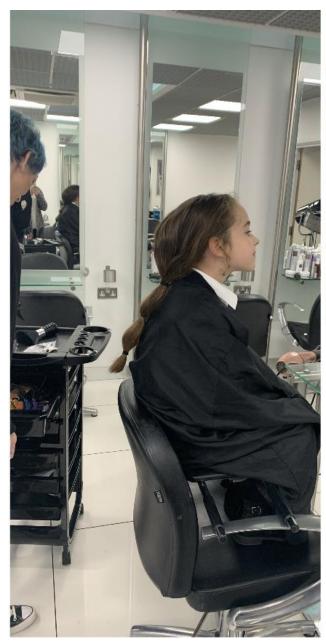
Change starts now.

Change starts with us.

Who can I talk to?

If you have any worries or concerns there are lots of people you can talk to: your friends, safeguarding squad members, DSL's (posters in classrooms), teachers, TA or any trusted adults. In school we are all here to help and support you.

A new look for Phoebe and a fabulous fundraiser too. Well done Phoebe







for your fantastic donation of

£115.00





Thank you to all the parents who attended our first SEND Coffee Morning today! We had a lovely time sharing information and ideas with some of our families and visitor. Please watch this space for the next one!

Miss Plowman and Mrs Woolley









DATES FOR THE DIARY

Date	Event
Monday 18 th November	Year 2 Freshwater theatre in school
Tuesday 19 th November	Year 5 Planetarium
Friday 22 nd November	Year 1 Blists Hill Visit
Friday 22 nd November	Year 5 reading morning with parents
Monday 25 th November	Parent consultations – details to follow
Tuesday 26 th November	Parent consultations – details to follow
Wednesday 27 th November	Community Prayers 2pm
Wednesday 27 th November	Year 2 Reading morning with parents – details to follow
Tuesday 10 th December	Yr 1-6 Pantomime
Friday 13 th December	Christmas jumper day
Tuesday 17 th December	Years 3-6 Carol service – All Saints Church Wellington – 3S1, 4S1, 5W1, 6W1 10:00am 3S2, 4S2, 5W2, 6W2 1:30pm
Wednesday 18 th December	Reception Nativity – School 9:30am – details to follow
Wednesday 18 th December	Pupil Christmas Lunch
Thursday 19 th December	Year 1 & 2 Nativity – High Ercall Church – details to follow
Friday 20 th December	Last day of term
Monday 6 th January	Spring term starts