



Sedlescombe Newsletter No. 22

WORSHIP THEME - RESISTING TEMPTATION

This week in worship we have been thinking about how Jesus was tempted when he was in the wilderness by Satan. Whilst being tempted Jesus turned to his Father and trusted in what God had taught him.

In worship we watched some funny clips of children being tempted by a big box with a surprise inside and saw that some managed to resist but some gave into temptation. We learnt that it can be easy to be tempted to do the wrong thing, especially when encouraged to do so by others. We thought about times when we have been tempted and how others could help us at this time to make the right choice. The children were encouraged to make good choices and not to be tempted, but also to support others to make the right choice. The children were also reminded, that like Jesus, they could turn to God for help and support through prayer.

TO SNOW OR NOT TO SNOW!

Well what a week it has been, snow has fallen and quickly melted, been forecast and then not arrived and I know it has been a difficult time for everyone. We have taken the decision that if we can open we will open as we believe that we should show the resilience we talk about with the children in their learning in the actions that we take.

I would firstly like to say a huge thank you to my fantastic staff who have all shown great commitment in getting to work this week to keep the school open for the children. Secondly I would like to say a very big thank you to all the families which have worked just as hard to make sure that their children have attended school this week. Thank you also to those parents who have expressed their appreciation at us staying open, this has really helped us through. And finally a massive well done to all the children who have come to school despite feeling a little sad that we haven't had very much snow. They have all been superstars in class and done some fantastic learning—well done!

PARENTS' EVENINGS

Hopefully everyone has signed up for an appointment to meet with their child's class teacher to discuss the progress their children are making at school and to celebrate their successes and learn ways in which children can be supported at home with areas that they are finding more challenging. We do hope that everyone will take the time to come and discuss their child with their class teacher.

Arrangements for Parents' Evening this time will be slightly different as we feel that meeting in the hall is very public and want to try and create a more private space in which to discuss your child's progress. The new arrangements are outlined below:

When you arrive all the children's work will be available in the hall and the hall will serve as a waiting area for all parents.

Teachers will then come and collect you for your appointment from the hall. Mrs Hancock and Miss Brogan will be in the Year 6 classroom, Miss Caush and Miss Highwood will be in the Year 5 classroom and Mrs Dolding, Miss Hovenden and Mrs Heggie will be in the Year 2 classroom.

WORLD BOOK DAY

We postponed World Book Day on Thursday due to the freezing weather conditions. We will now be celebrating World Book Day next Friday (9th March) and as part of our celebration of great books we have arranged for a theatre company to visit and perform Alice in Wonderland for the children. We hope that all of the children will enjoy this live theatre experience. In addition to this the Year 6 children will be doing a workshop with the theatre group. We look forward to seeing the children in all of their fantastic outfits on Friday

KITCHEN NEWS

Congratulations to the kitchen team, who were visited by Environmental Health on Thursday and received a 5 star rating for their kitchen hygiene.

ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICINES

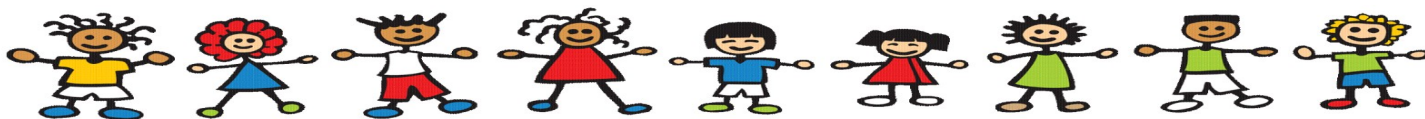
We are being asked to administer a lot of medicines at the moment. Please be reminded that we can only give children prescribed medication that is named and that it can only be given in line with the stated dose. Arrangements for children with medical conditions are unaffected by this as individual plans are in place for them.

GOOD WORK WORSHIP



Congratulations to Year 6 who did a great Good Work Worship on Wednesday despite difficult conditions with lots of children missing for the rehearsal. They showed great resilience and shared some beautiful art work and very atmospheric pieces of writing—well done!



We look forward to sharing in Class Da Vinci's learning in Good Work Worship on Wednesday. Hopefully lots of you will be able to join us for this.



Have a lovely weekend and stay warm and safe.



Wonderful Weekly News

 Star Workers 
Mozart: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alexander Leo
Van Gogh: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Arthur Thomas
Lowry: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Daniel Bruce
McCartney: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ellie Kian
Da Vinci: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sam Emily J
Picasso: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Imogen Scarlett
Vivaldi: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Charlotte Teddy

 Star Writers 
Mozart: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Samuel
Van Gogh: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kian
Lowry: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Iris
McCartney: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Charley F
Da Vinci: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Flo
Picasso: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Peter C
Vivaldi: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> William

 Maths Wizards 
Mozart: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Harry S
Van Gogh: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> George W
Lowry: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Archie Corn.
McCartney: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lollie
Da Vinci: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Raya B
Picasso: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Casey Mae
Vivaldi: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gwen

Party Point Champions	
Van Gogh <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Leni 	Da Vinci <ul style="list-style-type: none"> James
Lowry <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evie E. 	Picasso <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scarlett
McCartney <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Beatrix 	Vivaldi <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thomas
KS1 Playtime Champions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Van Gogh 	KS2 Playtime Champions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vivaldi
Congratulations	

Gold Book Awards for Outstanding Work


Attendance Award

Picasso




Congratulations Everyone

