



GUSTON

CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER 9th October 2020

YOU ARE NOT ALONE

#HelloYellow

Thank you

You have all been amazing with your suggestions for a videographer and ideas for things to include in the video. Thank you so much.
Mrs Day

Sensory Space

We are in the process of establishing a sensory space for pupils that need it. The aim is to have part of the walls carpeted to offer pupils different textures. We would like to take this opportunity to thank Mascalls Carpet and Flooring, Whitfield, who have kindly donated off cuts of carpets to allow us to do this. Such generosity is greatly appreciated.

Parent Consultation

Obviously we are unable to run parents evening as usual so we are aiming to do this via Zoom. School Spider are offering to coordinate this via the School Spider app so we are hopeful you can book a time in a similar way as usual. (More information will be sent out soon.)

We are however trialling something slightly different with the timing this year. In an attempt to reduce the workload on teachers in what has been a very tough start to the year, we are holding the consultations between 1pm and 6pm on Thursday 22nd October. Children will be having class treats that afternoon, supervised by their Teaching Assistants.

During these consultations, Teachers will share how children have settled into their new year groups, if any gaps in learning have been identified through the informal assessments that have taken place during this term and if any additional support has been put in place. Due to the significant amount of time children were absent from school, we are not at this stage in a position to say if pupils are working at Age Expected levels. We will however be able to give more detailed feedback at the next consultation and if there are specific concerns, in the meantime, we will of course contact you.

Thank you for your continued cooperation.

Term 1

Week 6

Monday 12th October
Starfish & Seahorses Class
Forest School

Tuesday 13th October
3:15—4:15pm Sharks
Multisports Club

Wed 14th October
3:10—4:10pm Sand Dollars
Multisports Club

Thursday 15th October
Kent Test
3:00-4:00pm Jellyfish
Multisports Club

Friday 16th October

Week 7

Monday 19th October
Sharks Class Forest School

Tuesday 20th October
3:15—4:15pm Sharks
Multisports Club

Wed 21st October
3:10—4:10pm Sand Dollars
Multisports Club

Thursday 22nd October
1—6pm Parent Consultations
3:00-4:00pm Jellyfish
Multisports Club

Friday 23rd October

Half Term Holidays



Hello Yellow Day

The Starfish are enjoying their first Hello Yellow Day along with Dolphins and the rest of the school. Thanks to all the parents and children for a huge effort this year. We were all certainly cheered up by the bright clothes and jokes! The money raised is in quarantine and will be counted next week and the total amount raised will be given on next week's newsletter.



Animal Puzzles

If you have any animal jigsaw puzzles at home (preferably 60+ pieces) and no longer need them, we would be happy to receive them! Thanks in advance of your help.



HOUSE POINTS TERM 1

THIS WEEK'S RESULTS:

KEARSNEY: 66
BURGOYNE: 60
REDOUBT: 58
CONNAUGHT: 51

LEADER BOARD:

BURGOYNE: 107
REDOUBT: 105
KEARSNEY: 97
CONNAUGHT: 89



Writer of the week

The nominations this week are:

Brisant, Bianka, Jessica, Shikha, Racheal and Drew

The winner is: Shikha

Congratulations!!

SUPERSTARS!

Liam X, Reggie, Bianka, Kyle, Ella, Hasit, Darya, Chloe, Xander, Solomon, Maisie, Lotty, Shuwasna, Jude, Jake, Unique, Shreeya, Suyash, Ruby C and Riley

Well done!!

