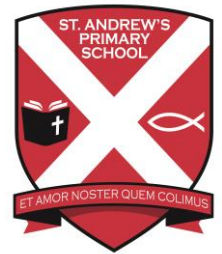


# St Andrew's Primary School

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## February/March 2020

### An update from Mrs. White.

Welcome back, I hope you all had a lovely half term break. For the rest of the Spring term we have an extremely busy calendar of events. There are various sporting events going on, together with World Book Day, Bedtime story, school trips and finally our lovely Easter service, which will be held in the school hall due to the church not being available. We welcome you to come and join us.

### Special Achievement awards for the month:

Alfie R, Alice W, Ethan S, Abraham B, Ruby C, Maple Class, Giles T, Douglas H, Muneni M, Cora H, Tamara L, William L, Jacob S, Noah M, Isabelle L, Lewis S, Luke Y, Sylvia G, Siara C, George D, Florence S, Natalia S.

### Sporting News

On Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February our Basketball team played in a tournament at Robert Smythe Academy in Harborough. They played exceptionally well showed great sportsmanship at the level 2 finals. Thank you to all the parents who transported the children to and from the venue.



On Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March there will be a non-school uniform day to support this year's Sport Relief Day. Pupils should dress up as a Sporting idol and a £1 donation would be appreciated.

### Class News



Reception and Year 1 pupils are investigating Plants and exploring what they need to grow. We have looked at how they start as a seed and develop in to a seedling. To introduce our "On the Move" topic we have made a variety of vehicles and explored axles and wheels. In support of this, the children are very excited to be going on a trip to Coventry Museum to find out about the history of transport now and long ago.

In Maple and Willow, we have been learning about forces. We have found out about different forces such as gravity. We have investigated magnets and what happens when we put magnets together. The children have also been learning new songs in music lessons and learning new French phrases. In Literacy Willow have been learning about the features of instructions and have started creating their own magical land maps.

Oak are exploring early settlements of the uk and what settlers need in a location. They have been looking at maps to locate rivers, places and transport links. As well as finding out about what place name endings mean.



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## Open Afternoon



We welcomed parents and grandparents into school to share our sausage breakfast on the last Friday before half term. It was lovely to see so many families in attendance. Our final sausage breakfast will be on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May.

Our next Open Afternoon will be on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March, Please come in to school to join in our Easter RE activities from 2.00 – 3.00pm.

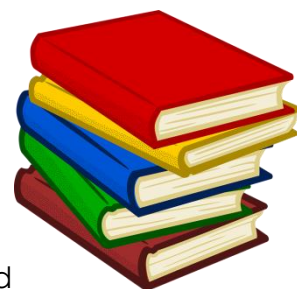
## Easter Sports Camp

Super Star Sports are running a holiday camp at Lubenham Primary school from Monday 6<sup>th</sup> April to Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2020 from 9.00am – 3.00pm, (early drop off is available for an extra £2.00 day). Prices: 1 day - £13, 2 days - £25, 3 days - £33, 4 days - £41 direct to organisers. To book, text Leon on 07963 324799 or email [leon@superstarsportmidlands.co.uk](mailto:leon@superstarsportmidlands.co.uk)

## Amazon Wish List

Just a reminder that if you are shopping on Amazon, please could you buy a book for our school library? The school has an Amazon wish list where you and your child/ren can choose a book to be delivered to our school. Please use the following link to connect to our school wishlist.

[https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/QZG25GOICR7U?ref=wl\\_share](https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/QZG25GOICR7U?ref=wl_share) all purchases online with your chosen book will be delivered to the school automatically. It will be inscribed in the front cover with the date purchased and your family name. Do spread the word to family and friends or ex-pupils to help us!



## School Lunches



This term we have introduced a new menu which will be in place up until the end of May 2020. If your child is in Reception, Year 1 or 2, school dinners are free of charge. We would like to encourage as many pupils as we can to have a school dinner, not forgetting that we also offer a Cheese, Ham or Tuna sandwich instead of a hot meal. Our new menu can be found on the school website.

[www.standrewsnorthkilworth](http://www.standrewsnorthkilworth)

## Easter Lunch

There will be a special lunch menu to celebrate Easter on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April.

## Free School Meals

If you are receiving a qualifying benefit your child may be eligible for Free School Meals – please call School Food Support on 0116 305 6588 to check. By registering you may also receive financial help for school trips and other activities. Please note this differs from the Universal Free School Meal system for children in Reception/Y1/Y2.

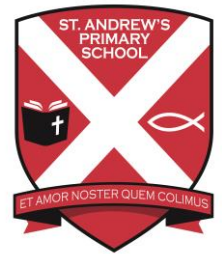


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## Parent Helpers in School

If you have any time to spare and would like to come into school to help support our pupils or help support sporting events then please contact the office. You could help with things like: listening to pupils read, supporting art or another practical subject or sharing a particular skill like IT, cooking or woodwork!

## Going Paperless



As you know, from the beginning of this term, we have been sending all letters, newsletters and other communications by email to achieve both economic and ecological benefits of saving paper. Please make sure we have your correct email addresses. All letters and newsletters will also be available on the school website.

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## Dates for the Diary March 2020

Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Reception and Year 1 Coventry Museum
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Sports Relief day – Non uniform day – Dress as Sporting Idol - £1 donation.
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Bedtime Story 6-7pm
Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup>	RE Open Afternoon
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Conkers
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup>	Group Photos
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup>	Travelling Book Fair in the school hall
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April	Easter Dinner
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Easter Service – School Hall – Break for Easter
6 <sup>th</sup> – 9 <sup>th</sup> April	Holiday Club at Lubenham School

## **Academic Year 2019-20**

School Closes	Friday 3rd April 2020 Summer Term
School Opens	Monday 20th April 2020
Mid-Term Break	25th to 29th May 2020
School Closes	Friday 10th July 2020

**Please note: This year's Early May Bank Holiday has been moved to Friday 8th May 2020.**



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## Academic Year 2020-21

School Opens	Wednesday 26th August 2020
August Bank Holiday	Monday 31st August 2020
Mid-Term Break	19th to 23rd October 2020
School Closes	Friday 18th December 2020
School Opens	Tuesday 5th January 2021
Half Term Break	Monday 15th – 19th February 2021
School Closes	Friday 26th March 2021
School Opens	Monday 12th April 2021
May Day	Monday 3rd May 2021
Half Term Break	Monday 31st May – Friday 4th June 2021
School Closes	9th July 2021

## DATE FOR YOUR DIARY



St Andrew's Primary School will be celebrating VE Day on Thursday 7th May 2020. We are hoping to close Dag Lane to public transport. We hope all parents, grandparents and villagers will join in our celebration. Further information to follow nearer the time.



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