

St Mary & St Peter Primary School Newsletter

Set Sail for Success

Newsletter Friday 15th March 2021

Executive Headteacher: Mrs. Priscilla Crane

Head of School: Mrs. Jade Block



Headteacher's News

Dear Parents and Carers,

It is lovely to have all your wonderful children back in school. They have all settled back in really well and it is a joy to hear them laughing and engaging in their learning again.

Thank you all for following the Covid guidelines to keep us safe in school. Please continue to ensure you wear a face covering on school site, adhere to social distancing and be prompt in dropping off and collecting.

We know that limited parking is a big issue outside our school, and ask that you allow time to park further away from the school, as we do not have the space in the street outside the main gates. We have had complaints from both parents and residents this week and need to ensure that all parents understand the need to not park directly along the road, outside the main gates. We do not want there to be an accident involving any of our pupils or even any one from our school community, so please do take care and allow yourself plenty of time. There is free parking at the back of Wilko for a period of time, which is not a great walk from school.

We welcome one new member of staff - Mrs Hodger who is our new Thrive Practitioner, covering Mrs McNabs Maternity. I know that Mrs Hodger has been in contact with many families already, due to commencing her work with some pupils during school closure.

We have reinstated our school Twitter page, which will be updated frequently with all the great things that are happening in our school. Please do follow us @SMSPgorleston. Please do continue to check our school app for any important updates and communication.

Warmest best wishes,
Mrs Block

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Our Mission Statement

Through nurturing trust and strong relationships, our learning adventure will see each and every one of us thrive in God's love.

Values

*Believe
Respect
Love
Trust*

Rewards

Stars of the Week:

Reception - Roguen and Lola
Year 1 - Harry and Jace
Year 2 - Hanna K and Chloe
Year 3 - Elliot and James
Year 4 - Promise and Kacper
Year 5 - Ethan and Trinity
Year 6 - Archie and Leonor A

Well done to all our star workers
- such a great start to your
return.



Reading Record:

Reading Record winners for this week are Year 6. Well done year 6!

Please can we ask that children read each night to a parent or older sibling, and that this is recorded in their school diary, to go towards the classes weekly reading total.

If your child is an independent reader, please record that you have seen them read independently instead.

Thank you!





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with the class
teacher.*

Help in a crisis

<https://www.nsfth.nhs.uk/Find-help/Pages/Help-in-a-Crisis.aspx>

FirstResponse is a 24/7 helpline offering immediate advice, support and signposting for people with mental health difficulties.

If you are experiencing something that makes you feel unsafe, distressed or worried about your mental health you can now call the helpline on **0808 196 3494**

Norfolk and Waveney Mind telephone support line

The Telephone Support Line provides a listening ear, emotional support, coping strategies, signposting and practical advice for people living in Norfolk and Waveney. This includes help with developing plans to tackle and limit crisis situations.

Visit the Norfolk and Waveney Mind helpline website, or call **0300 330 5488**, to find out more about accessing this support.

Opening times: weekdays 4pm - midnight, weekends 10am - midnight.

Experiencing low mood, stress or anxiety?

Self-refer to our Wellbeing services, which are run in partnership with the Mind charity.

Visit www.wellbeingnands.co.uk or call **0300 123 1503**

If you have more complex problems, visit your GP and discuss how you are feeling. They can refer you into our services, if appropriate.

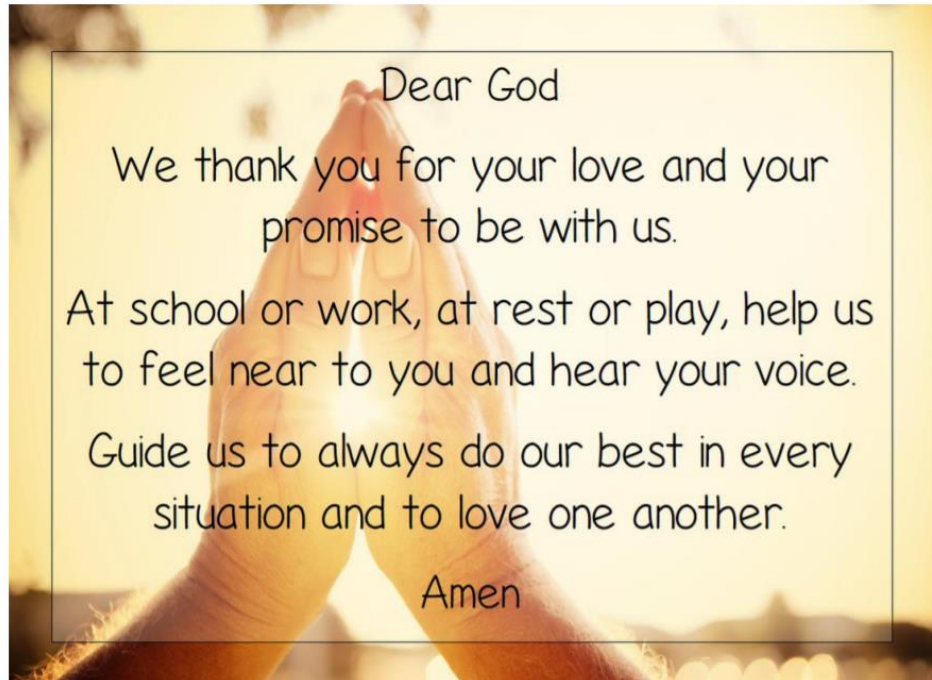
Just One Norfolk

<https://www.justonenorfolk.nhs.uk/>

The 'go to' health website for Norfolk.

This Week's Prayer

Prayer



St Mary and St Peter, Pray for us.

Upcoming Events

Friday 26 th March	End of Term
Monday 12 th April	Pupils return
Friday 28 th May	Half term begins
Monday 7 th June	Pupils return
Wednesday 23 rd June	New Reception intake parents evening 2021
Friday 2 nd July	School reports emailed to parents
Tuesday 6 th July	Sports Day KS1am KS2pm
Friday 9 th July	Year 6 Performance 6pm
Friday 16 th July	Last day of term 1pm finish
2 nd and 3 rd September	INSET (Staff only)
Monday 6 th September	Pupils return



Dates for
the Diary: