



ST. PAUL'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

10th February 2016

Half Term Holiday

We have had a busy half term, and the children have been working very hard. It has been gratifying to see the children make good progress, and we are very grateful for the support that parents give to their children. We have come to the half term holiday – please make sure they still read daily during the holiday and do their homework. Don't forget the local libraries where children can have books that we do not have in school. Children return to school on Monday 20th February.

School Policies

There are a number of policies on our school website including: Admissions Policy, Health and Safety policy, Safeguarding Policy, Complaints Policy and the Attendance Policy. Please browse and have a look at any that you are interested in.

School Website – videos for parents

There are some home learning videos on our school website relating to reading and maths, and we hope to add to them as time goes on. Just click on the learning tab on our website and you will find them. If you have any suggestions for future videos that you would like to learn more about, please let me know.

Zero Tolerance Policy

Our zero tolerance policy has been in place for two half terms now, and it has helped make a big improvement in the behaviour and safety in school. However, we have recently seen an increase in internal exclusions, and would ask that you remind your children that any act of violence, no matter how minor, will result in the policy being implemented. Thank you for your support with this, as this has contributed to its success.

Ash Wednesday

Last week I wrote about our plans for the Ash Wednesday service on March 1st at 9.15 a.m. at St. Paul's Church. I would like to remind you that you are all invited to this service.

School Attendance

Our school attendance has dipped a little this academic year. Please make sure your children attend, on time, wherever possible. We will always contact you if your child is ill in school, but it is important we have your correct daytime phone number.

Children's Traffic Club

As part of trying to achieve a Bronze Sustainable Travel award, Nursery children have received a special booklet which gains them access to the Children's Traffic Club; an online initiative provided for by Transport for London. There is a special feature of the website on this.