

(4th November 2022)

Dear Parents and Carers

Please find below the Friday Flyer for this week:



Remembrance Home Learning Challenge:

Attached to this Friday Flyer is information about the Home Learning challenge. This challenge is linked to Remembrance Day which takes place on 11th November.

The Home Learning Challenge should be handed in by **Wednesday 16th November**.

Poppies on Sale:

Every morning next week we will have poppies on sale. Poppies will be brought round to each classroom every morning. We also have a small selection of sundry items (available on a first come first served basis), *suggested* prices are as follows:

Paper Poppies : 50p

Metal Pin Badge : £2.00

Wooden Cross : £2.00

Wrist Band : £1.00

Zip Pull : 50p

Snap band/Ruler : £1.50

Reflector : 50p

If your child would like to make a donation for an item, please ensure they bring the cash to school next week.

Friends of South Bersted Meeting:

A reminder that Monday 7th November is our Friends of South Bersted AGM (2.15pm). We would love to see as many parents and carers as possible at this meeting. We will be allocating key roles but also planning Christmas events and activities.

Parent Teacher Consultations Evenings:

A reminder that Parent Teacher Consultations will take place next week as follows:

Monday 7th November

Wednesday 9th November

If you have not yet booked your appointment, you can do this via your ParentMail account. If you are having difficulty booking your appointment, please send a dojo message to the school office and the office team can book an appointment for you.

There will also be an opportunity for you to view your child's books when you attend for your appointment.

Flu Vaccinations – Catch Up Sessions:

Earlier this week we sent out details of how you can book a catch-up session for your child to receive the flu vaccine, if they missed the in-school session earlier this week. The information has been sent via ParentMail and Class Dojo and includes a link and a unique school code which must be used when booking.

Year 6 Residential:

A reminder that the £40 deposit for the Year 6 residential in July is due by 23rd November 2022. If you feel you may have difficulty making payments for this trip, we strongly encourage you to speak to the school office, in confidence, as soon as possible.

Individual Photograph Proof Cards:

Today, proof cards for school photographs will be sent home with children. Please note that because of the half term, the deadline for ordering has been extended to **Tuesday 15th November** (however the proof cards still say 8th November). Orders should be placed online at <https://smileyellow.com/>

Year 6 – Tangmere Museum:

Year 6 will be visiting Tangmere Museum on Monday 14th November. We still need another parent helper for this visit – if you are able to help and have a DBS in place via the school, please contact the school office as soon as possible.

Ofsted Report:

this week we were delighted to share with you our latest Ofsted inspection report. We are pleased to confirm we have retained a Good rating. The report can be viewed here: [Ofsted Report - Oct 2022](#)

Climbing Frame/Play Equipment:

We recently had an incident where a child was injured using the school climbing frame after school hours. **We must remind all parents and carers that children must not use the play equipment before or after school.** Our risk assessments factor in adult supervision and maximum numbers of children using the equipment at one time, within school hours only. Staff and children are also trained regarding the safe use of this equipment. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

Odd Socks Day:

Monday 14th November is the start of Anti Bullying Week. To mark this, we will be holding an 'Odd Socks Day' on 14th November. Children may wear odd socks in place of their usual school socks on this day. Odd Socks Day symbolises that we are all different and that children should be themselves and accepting of one another.

Dance House – Tuesday 8th November:

The Dance House performance will take place on Tuesday evening at the Alexandra Theatre. For those children taking part, please can you return your child's emergency contact form by Monday morning at the latest if you have not yet done so.

Chartwells Christmas Dinner:

We are pleased to confirm that our Chartwells Christmas Lunch will take place on **Thursday 15th December**. A letter has been sent out today week to confirm the menu and the ordering arrangements.

Christmas Jumper Day:

On Thursday 15th December, we will be having our annual Christmas Jumper Day. Children can wear a Christmas jumper to school in place of their normal school jumper or cardigan (all other uniform should be worn). **There is no donation required for this event.**

We do have a number of Christmas jumpers in school which we can lend to children who do not have one – if you think you may need to borrow a jumper for your child please let us know as soon as possible and confirm what size you may need, and we will check to see if we can help.

Likewise, if you have jumpers you no longer need and would be willing to donate them, please let the school office know. We are particularly in need of larger sizes.

Numbots:

Congratulations to the following children who this week earnt the most amount of coins in their year groups:

Year 1: Victoria D

Year 2: Lola T

Victoria and Lola will each receive a certificate today to recognise their achievement.

Letters Home this week:

The following letters have been sent home this week:

Date	To	Details
4 th Nov	ALL	Odd Socks Day
4 th Nov	ALL	Chartwells Christmas Lunch (15 th December)
3 rd Nov	ALL	Attendance
1 st Nov	ALL	Ofsted Inspection Report

Upcoming Events:

Please see below for details of events taking place in the next 2 weeks. Dates can also be found on the calendar on the school website:

Date	Class	Details
Monday 4 th Nov	YR/Y2/Y5	WSFRS visiting Reception/Year 2/Year 5 – Fire Safety
Monday 7 th Nov	ALL	Friends of South Bersted Meeting (2.15pm)
Monday 7 th Nov	ALL	Parent Consultation Meetings (3.30 – 5.00pm)
Tuesday 8 th Nov	Reception	Nurse Oliver visit linked to ‘People who help us’
Tuesday 8 th Nov	Dance House	Dance House Rehearsal (1.30 – 3.00pm)
Tuesday 8 th Nov	Dance House	Dance House Performance (6.30pm)
Wednesday 9 th Nov	Reception	PC Aldridge visit linked to ‘People who help us’
Wednesday 9 th Nov	ALL	Parent Consultation Meetings (3.30 – 7.00pm)
Thursday 10 th Nov	Reception	Fire Service visit linked to ‘People who help us’

Red Book:

Each week, 2 pupils are entered into their class Red Book for displaying the school’s Christian Value and/or for going above and beyond in their learning. The pupils listed below have been recognised in our whole school Collective Worship today. Congratulations to:

Bonnie Rose Y (YR), William T (YR), Polina G (Y1), James B-B (Y1), Georgia R-S (Y2), Maisie S (Y2), Skylar H (Y3), Catherine-Elizabeth S (Y3), Joshua P (Y3), Louie T (Y4), Elsie G (Y4), Fred N (Y5), Owen E (Y5), Jacob C (Y6), Frankie M (Y6)

Please speak to your child's Class Teacher if you would like more information about why your child has been selected for the Red Book.

Thank you.