



## Huyton with Roby CE Primary School - Newsletter - 16.3.18

### Christian Values

#### **The Value for this Half Term is: Responsibility**

This Half Term's Christian Value is 'Responsibility.' We will be talking about how the Bible teaches that life is a gift from God and it is our responsibility to use our talents and abilities in the best way we can. We will also be reflecting on how we can encourage one another to act responsibly inside and outside of the classroom. This week we are praying for families who are suffering a recent bereavement. We pray for If you would like us to pray for anything in particular, please fill in the prayer slip at the bottom of the newsletter and send it to school. It can be anonymous if you prefer.

### Attendance

**Well done to our Attendance Trophy Winners who are Class 3S and Class 2C.** Please make sure your child is in school every day, on time and ready to learn. If they are not in school, they will miss important learning. If you are having difficulty with your child's attendance - please talk to your child's class teacher or to Mrs Wade our Pastoral Care Manager.

<b>Class</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>Class</b>	<b>%</b>
R1	88.6	R2	87.5
1S	92.3	1G	90.7
2C	95.3	2A	92.1
3S	98.5	3R	91.5
4M	86.7	4D	96
5C	86.4	5BH	88.8
6M	93.2	6O	88.2
Nursery (am)	84.6	Nursery (pm)	88.3

### LDST - 10 Experiences - Remember to send back your suggestions.

At a recent meeting of the head teachers in the LDST (Liverpool Diocesan Schools Trust) there was a discussion on the aims of the trust and what we wanted to achieve as a group of schools. Different projects were planned for the group of schools to work together. One of these projects was the 'Ten Experiences' project. As a group of schools we would really like to secure ten experiences for our children over the years they are us.

We would like you help to identify the ten experiences you would like our children to have while they are at Huyton with Roby. It may be going to the theatre, hearing live music, playing an instrument, climbing a mountain, meeting an author, working with the elderly, speaking in public, performing in a play, reading classic novels, having a camp fire, learning to cook a meal, sleeping at a residential to name but a small selection.

Please discuss the ten experiences you would like for your children and list them on the letter. All the ideas from across all the schools in the Trust will be shared and discussed and a common list compiled. Then we will try to plan how we can achieve them.

Those sheets that are returned by the deadline will go into a prize draw for a £30 Asda voucher for the adult and some prizes for the children.

### Easter

#### Easter Bonnets and Decorated Easter Eggs

EYFS and KS1 will be holding their Easter Bonnet Day on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> March. KS2 will also be running a Decorated Egg competition and the final display will also be on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> March. Please see your child's teacher for details and we look forward to seeing the bonnets and the eggs on the 27<sup>th</sup>.

### Easter Play

Year 3 will be performing their Easter Play on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March at 2.00pm. Parents/Carers of Y3 are welcome - please use the small door on the corridor to the left of the main entrance .

### Easter Services- Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March

Come and worship with us at our Easter Services. We really value and enjoy worshipping with our families as a celebration of our school's Christian identity.

EYFS / KS1 - St Michael's - 9.30am

KS2 - St Bartholomew's - 11.00am

Please remember we break up for the Easter Holiday at 1.30pm on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March.

### Junior Choir

Please remember that Junior Choir is on Thursdays 3.10-4.00pm - Children in KS2 children are welcome to attend. Please see Mrs Collins for more details.

### Odd Socks for Down Syndrome Day - 21<sup>st</sup> March

This year we are again supporting Down Syndrome Day - please wear odd socks and bring a donation. We appreciate your generosity for days such as these.

### Year 4 Swimming

Remember to return permission slips and donation for the Y4 Swimming sessions. Children need permission to join in the swimming sessions. See your child's teacher with any questions.

### Nursery Children

Please make sure your child has a pair of named wellies in the Nursery every day so that they can take part in the activities outside. Also please remember to make sure all your children's clothes have their name in. Thank you.

### Hot Chocolate with Mrs Wade

Mrs Wade will be choosing some children every week to join her in a mug of hot chocolate in recognition of them being on time for school every day. Remember doors open at 8.40am and school starts at 8.50am. Be in on time and listen out for Mrs Wade announcing the children.

### Willowbrook Hospice

The Easter Beanies are going on sale again for £1. This year the beanies have magnets on them, so please make sure they are not given to children under 3 years of age. They will be sold at break time.

### Term Dates and Holiday Dates - 2017/2018

**Spring Term 2018** - Monday 8 January - Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2018

Half Term - Monday 12 February - Friday 16 February

**Summer Term 2018**- Monday 16 April - Wednesday 25 July

Half Term Monday 28 May - Friday 1 June

**Inset Days**- Friday 25 May 2018, Friday 29 June 2018

### Term Dates and Holiday Dates - 2018/2019

**Please check these carefully as they differ slightly to the published Knowsley Council dates.**

**Autumn Term 2018** - Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September - Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December

Half Term - Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> October - Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October

**Spring Term 2019** - Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January - Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April

Half Term - Monday 18<sup>th</sup> February - Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February

**Summer Term 2019**- Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April - Friday 26<sup>th</sup> July

Half Term - Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May - Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June, however Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> and Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June are INSET days and the children will not be in school.

**Inset Days**- 3.9.18, 4.9.18, 6.6.19, 7.6.19, 28.6.19.

### Feedback

Please feedback any information or questions you wish to put forward to Mrs Stratford in school or contact school through e-mail on [huytonwithroby@knowsley.gov.uk](mailto:huytonwithroby@knowsley.gov.uk) or phone on 0151 477 8460

### Prayer Requests

Please pray for:

Name (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

