



Dolton Church of England School Newsletter | 7th May 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

Another week has flown by, there has been some wonderful learning taking place in every classroom and as always it is a pleasure to speak with all pupils about what they are achieving.

Academic:

The bespoke workbooks have been a real hit this week with children taking such pride in them. These books will start coming home next week for you to look at and write in the parents comment box. Please ensure they are returned the following day as the children write in them for every lesson.

Character Education:

Wild tribe continues to be a success with children becoming inspiring skill builders making log sliced necklaces and whittling sticks to toast marshmallows. Check out our twitter page for photos! We have also booked whole school drumming workshop using drums made of recycled materials as this will enable our pupils to consider how we can use old objects to serve us in different ways under our service theme. Surf life saving has also been booked for our key stage 2 pupils after May half term, more information to follow.

Innovation:

When considering new ideas to move forward post COVID. I would like to begin to get the parental community working alongside the school on the development of C360 and the four cornerstones of our curriculum. During the parent coffee morning on 19th May I will be discussing this further. Next week I will send more information out for the coffee morning – if I can't do it on site due to COVID regulations it will be run through zoom. I am looking forward to meeting more of you.

Community:

This week I have been proud of children showing a sense of community in the dinner hall when sitting together to eat and then helping one another to tidy away supporting Gretel in turn. It is also wonderful to see all the pupils playing together



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School Dinners:

Please remember to book dinners online for the coming week. There is a new 3-week menu on the system.

Key dates:

Parent coffee morning Wednesday

19th May 9.30am at Clinton.

School Lundy trip 15th June.

Sports day Friday 25th June at
Dolton.

Reserve sports day Friday 2nd July at
Dolton.

Pupils school reports out 19th July

Year 6 camp out 8th – 9th July

Year 6 performance and
presentation evening at the Queens
Theatre 15th July

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on the playground with age groups mixing again. Mrs. McAdams also met with Mr. Bladon the Headteacher at Bampton this week to consider how chrome books can be used to teach live maths across the two schools!

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R Sharpe', written in a cursive style.

Mrs. RM Sharpe.

