

25th October 2019

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Our Mission Statement

Respect yourself
Respect everyone in our school community
Respect everyone in our local community
Respect everyone in our global community
But most of all, respect God our Father in Heaven

Praying the Rosary

In the month of October Pope Francis is inviting all Christians to pray especially for the mission of the Church and for missionaries. As October is also the Month of the Holy Rosary all children are invited to pray the Rosary together on the 18th October for peace and unity around the world. St Helen's will be praying the rosary on this day and every day during October (You may have noticed our special prayer space in the playground) Please see the link below if you would like more information on praying the Rosary for unity and peace.

<https://millionkidspraying.org/en>

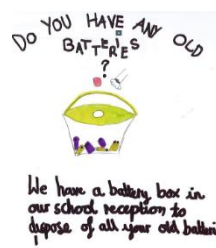


Senior Leaders Special Mentions

Heidi Sobota-Hilsden & Gracjana Szymanska for superb netball skills.
All the Year 5 & 6 children that took part in the Deanery Netball and Football Tournament – very well done!



3C have been finding the perimeter of different parts of the playground.



WEEKLY FOCUS



Year 6 have been using branching databases to classify leaves! They have been learning about what types of trees are in our school grounds.



During art week, Year 5 have been busy designing their own dragon masks.

AFTER HALF TERM LOOK OUT FOR THE CLASS WITH THE BEST ATTENDANCE EACH WEEK.



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Stars of the Week

Hedgehogs	Albi Upward
Squirrels	Elijah Bolukbasi
1 Jellyfish	Elma Engmann
1 Starfish	Oliwia Musial
2 Seahorses	Abigail Cauchi
2 Oysters	Quianne Concepcion
Class 3C	Elvira Spaho
Class 3GC	George Moss
Class 4F	Oliver King
Class 4G	Anna Nousi
Class 5	Lexi Alves
Class 6	Jack Clarke

Star Writers Jack Moss
Holly Cooke Savannah Shand
Micaela Fallon

CERTIFICATES WILL BE GIVEN OUT
AFTER HALF TERM

Congratulations to you all!



POSITIVE PLAY SUPERSTARS

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Elijah Bolukbasi
Lucas Sereno Rodgers
Alex Harvey
Ali Imran
Seren Syrett
Lorenzo Shella
Aarian Sylvester
Madelaine Edwards
Rutuj Sanja
Emma Brown
Anita Aformale

**You are making
us proud!**

RE Topics

Early Years – WELCOME – Baptism; a welcome to God's family
Year 1 – BELONGING – Baptism an invitation to belong to God's family
Year 2 – SIGNS & SYMBOLS – Signs and symbols in Baptism
Year 3 – PROMISES – Promises made at Baptism
Year 4 – CALLED – Confirmation: a call to witness
Year 5 – LIFE CHOICES – Marriage commitment and service
Year 6 – VOCATION & COMMITMENT – The vocation of priesthood and religious life

NOVEMBER EVENTS 2019

Monday 28th October – Friday 1st November HALF TERM HOLIDAY – back to school Monday 4th November

Tuesday 5 th November	3.30 – 4.30 Opening evening Years 1 - 6
Thursday 7 th November	Outdoor Learning Day all Classes – suitable clothes + change of footwear
Thursday 7 th November	9.30 – 12.00 Some Yr 5 + 6 Tag Rugby at Southend Rugby Club
Friday 8 th November	2.30 PTFA AGM
Thursday 14 th November	3.30 – 4.30 PTFA Infant Disco

Recycling Bins

Our dry mixed recycling bin is here. We now have only 2 general waste bins instead of 3 so this will reduce how much of our rubbish will end up in landfill sites. This is good news for our environment. Let's keep recycling.



LUNCHES

Have you booked lunches for after half term?
Please book so your child can have a choice and you are not charged for lunches you do not need.

ECO COMPETITION

Design a fabulous, eye-catching, informative poster about saving energy. Entries to Mrs Faulkner by Monday 11th November. Good luck!

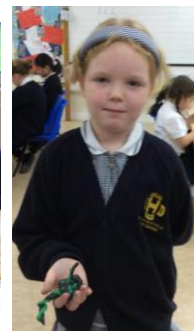
Admission Arrangements Consultation

Parents and carers are advised that a number of schools/trusts in the area are consulting on their admission arrangements for 2021/22 as required by law. Information is available on respective school webpages and also on Southend-on-Sea Borough Council website

https://www.southend.gov.uk/info/200176/school_admissions/777/admission_policies

Please help us to keep all our children safe by leaving 5 minutes earlier, finding a safe place to park and using the crossing properly.

Let's end with a
ROAR from these great dinosaur models!
Happy half term!



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