



SHILLINGSTONE C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

GROWING TOGETHER · TOGETHER WE LEARN

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Dates for diaries:

Every Tuesday 9.05am to 9.30am

Parents are invited to join us for Church worship in the school hall

Thursday 6th February – 7.30pm

PTA Meeting in The Old Ox Inn, Shillingstone – All welcome

Friday 14th February 6pm-7pm

PTA Disco 6-7pm

Monday 17th – Friday 21st February

Spring Half Term Holidays

Monday 2nd March

Offer date for High School Places – September 2020.

Wednesday 4th March

Class Photograph

Thursday 5th March

World Book Day – Non school uniform – dress up as a favourite book character.

Friday 13th March

Sports Relief Day

Non School Uniform – Sports Kits

Saturday 14th March

PTA Quiz Night – Portman Hall

Monday 16th March

Parent Consultation Meetings

3.30pm – 7pm

Tuesday 17th March

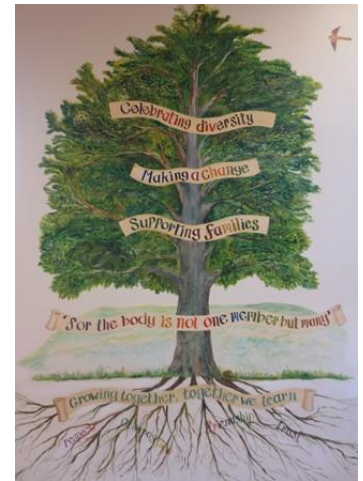
9.30am Nurse Drop In Session

2.45pm – Jungle class celebration assembly.

For the body is not one member but many. Corinthians 12: 12-14

Growing Together. Together we learn.

Our vision reminds us that the body of Christ, or the people that are the whole of humanity, are a team. The body is not supported by one person, but by all of us. We are one; we are strongest working together in unity. As we all we work together we demonstrate our Christian values of **respect, compassion, friendship and trust.**



Our ambition is to: Celebrate diversity, Make a change, and Support families.

Thursday 6th February 2020

Dear parents,

Attendance

Whole school attendance from is 4.9.18 to 31.1.20 is 95.37 %

Attendance figures for each class for Spring Term 1 :

Jungle Class – 95.03%	Woodland Class – 95.61%	Ocean Class - 95.71%	Desert Class – 95.26%
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School attendance is vital for your child to reach their full potential. If your child is unwell, please ensure that you telephone the school office on the morning of the first day of absence. Your help with this is much appreciated.





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Dates for diaries:

Monday 23rd March

Parent Consultation Meetings

3.30pm – 5pm

class brass performance to

parents 2.40pm

Last after school club for Spring Term.

Thursday 26th March

9am Woodland Class Celebration

Assembly

Ocean Friday 27th March

2.30pm Celebration Assembly and choir performance.

Thursday 2nd April

9.10am – Ocean class celebration assembly.

2.30pm Music Assembly for parents of children who attend 1:1 music lessons with Caroline Cooper.

3.20pm – Weymouth Meeting for parents and children attending the residential trip in May.

Friday 3rd April

2.45pm Easter service in church.

Please remember that term time holiday cannot be authorised by the head teacher – all term time

holiday will be classified as unauthorised. Please be aware that term time holiday (10 sessions within a 12 school week period) must be referred to Dorset Local Authority and this could lead to a £60 penalty Notice being issued to each parent for each child who misses school.

KS2 swimming

Due to missing a swimming session on 27.1.20, we are currently negotiating with Bryanston School and Vale Coaches to try and add an extra swimming session. As soon as we know if we have secured the extra session, we will let you know the revised dates for each group.

Reduce – Reuse – Repair – Recycle

Borrow books from a library rather than buying. There are libraries in Sturminster Newton and Blandford. There are also books available at the Church Centre in Shillingstone which you may borrow for as long as you want and then either return them or pass them on. Open Tuesday and Thursday between 1.30pm and 3.30pm with the Post Office and on the first Saturday of every month from 10.30 to 12 noon.

Reception Class Photograph in Bournemouth Echo

Just to remind parents that the photograph taken of our Reception children is due to appear in the Echo on Tuesday 11th February.





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PTA News

PTA Meeting

We are holding a PTA meeting tonight in the Old Ox Inn, Shillingstone at 7.30pm. All parents welcome to attend. Come along and discuss our fundraising ideas.

Valentines Disco





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PTA Quiz Night – Saturday 14th March

The PTA is looking for businesses to sponsor this event. Do you know of a business that would be willing to sponsor a round at £20? In return the PTA will display posters/flyers at the event. Please email Jo Newton at shillingstonepta@gmail.com with anyone interested.



Yours sincerely

Mrs J. Whitehouse-Sharpe
Headteacher

