



Primary News

Thursday 6th October 2016

Dates for your diary

Fri 7 th Oct	INSET day (No children in school)
Fri 14 th Oct	Crazy Socks Day Donations for Mosaic – Supporting Bereaved Children
Weds 19 th Oct	Parents' Evening (details to follow)
Thurs 20 th Oct	Dragonfly (yr5/6) Class Assembly 9am
Fri 21 st Oct	Harvest Festival St Edwards Church 1.30pm
Fri 21 st Oct	Break up for half-term
Mon 31 st Oct	Children return to school
Weds 2 nd Nov	Book Fair
Fri 4 th Nov	PTFA Film Night 4.30 – 7pm
Mon 14 th Nov	Pantomime in school (M&M Productions)
Thurs 17 th Nov	Life Education Van
Thurs 8 th Dec	Bumblebee (yr3/4) Class Assembly 9am
Fri 16 th Dec	Save The Children Christmas Jumper Day
Fri 16 th Dec	End of Autumn Term (2pm finish)

Spotlight on Rights Respecting Schools Award

You may have heard your child recently talk about their rights and responsibilities and how they must respect the rights of others. All of the children have been learning that with rights come responsibilities and have developed their own class charters setting out the rights they feel are important to them.

At our school, in common with a growing number of schools nationally and locally, we have committed to building a sustainable 'rights respecting environment'. We will effectively promote the values and principles of the 'United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child' and use it to underpin our vision for school improvement.

Above all else the best interests of our children are a top priority in all our actions. We are developing this approach to build upon our Christian ethos and to continue our positive cultural development, creating an even more harmonious and open atmosphere where everyone involved in the school will be respectful of each other and understand the responsibilities they have to one another and themselves.

School Games Mark

We are delighted to have been awarded a Silver School Games Mark.

This is part of a government-led initiative to reward schools for their commitment to competition across the school and in the community.

Well done, everyone!



Woodland Area

We are beginning to develop the woodland area at the bottom of our school field and would like to arrange for a group of parents to help us with some branch chopping etc. Please contact the office if you are able to help – it will probably be taking place on a Saturday. We would also need to borrow a chainsaw if anyone has one.

Thanks!

Parents' Evening

This term's parent consultations will be on Wednesday 19th October, starting from 2pm. The children will be dismissed from the playground by the school hall at the end of the day.

More information will be sent out early next week.

Childhood Cancer Awareness

Thank you for supporting our non-uniform day last week. We are absolutely delighted to have raised over £100 for this worthwhile cause.



Article 31

Every child has the right to relax, play and take part in a wide range of cultural and artistic activities.

Our Christian Value this half term is:



Facebook Page

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www.facebook.com/corfeastleprimaryschool

Our Collective Vision

The teachers and the teaching assistants have been discussing our vision for our school and have written a vision statement which is copied onto the back of this newsletter.



At Corfe Castle CE Primary School,
our collective vision, underpinned by **Christian Values**,
is to provide an **inspiring, inclusive and compassionate**
environment where learners are **challenged**
to **achieve** beyond their dreams.

Learning opportunities are designed to stimulate
curiosity, creativity and confidence.

Within our caring, safe and respectful community,
risk-taking is celebrated and
reflection fosters growth.

Our ultimate aim is to **nurture**
resourceful, resilient and responsible citizens
with a life-long love of learning.