



Dear Parents and Carers,

The end of our first week back at school and what a fantastic Friday it is. Not only is it St David's Day (patron Saint of Wales) for our Welsh community but it is also Baba Marta Day for our Bulgarian community and Martisor for our Romanian families.

Thank you to my colleagues who have decorated our Reception area and the Kitchen staff who have made cookies for the children to celebrate these national landmarks.



Our Christian value this term is 'Love' and what better way to demonstrate love than through celebrations and ensuring we share what we have by helping and supporting those less fortunate than ourselves.

Next Thursday 7th March is World Book Day so please make every effort to send your child to school dressed as a particular book character. This is also a brilliant way of celebrating our passion for reading at Holy Trinity. The following Friday 15th March, is 'Wear It Red' for Red Nose Day and the school will be enjoying a range of activities to mark such a wonderful event. You can find more details below.

WORLD
**BOOK
DAY**
7 MARCH 2019

The Bible speaks positively about love and devotion.

Corinthians 13: 4-5 says:

*'Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud.
It does not dishonour others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.'*

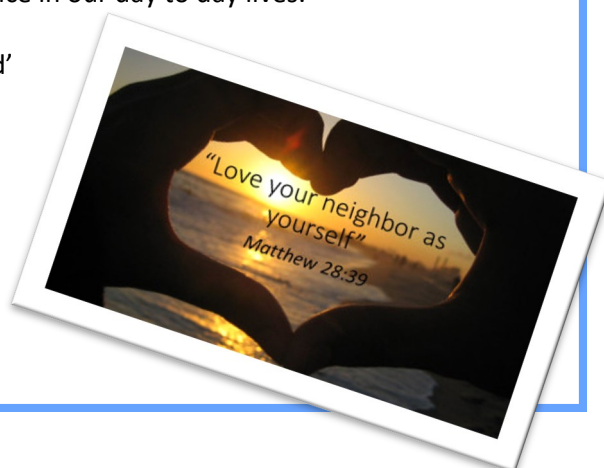
There are many definitions of love, the Bible tells us to love our neighbour, music often portrays the emotions of love and it can bring happiness and pain.

In terms of our school, love is evident in our relationships, the care we give to each other and the encouragement we show towards our peers. Love is ensuring that we try to put others first and making sure that the happiness of others is priority. Please talk to your children about the real meaning of love, why they feel it is a Christian Value and how it can make such a positive difference in our day to day lives.

In the iconic words of The Beatles.....'Love Is All You Need'
Best Wishes

R. Dickson

Principal





On Friday 15th March we will be celebrating Red Nose Day with a 'WEAR IT RED' day.

We are asking for a donation of £1 per child and the the children can come to school dressed in anything RED or any Red



Thursday 7th March - Come to school dressed as you favourite book character, bring your book and share it with your class.

Half Term Family Learning Project:

Many thanks For those families that took the time to make the projects we their children over half term, we have had some fabulous pieces of work brought into school. They will all be displayed around school. We would love to see any photos that you may have taken whilst doing this project with your child/ren. If you have any please email them into school stating your child's name and class to admin@holytrinitycepa.co.uk

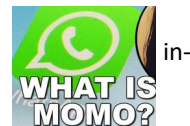
Oswestry Music Festival:

A massive 'WELL DONE' to our percussion group who have taken part in the Oswestry Music Festival at Holy Trinity Church today. They came 2nd in their section. The adjudicator said they had "lots of rhythmic energy" and they were "a very promising group—playing with lots of enthusiasm"



Don't forget if you are in any way concerned about any online content regarding this please see the school website for more information

<http://www.holytrinitycepa.co.uk/schoolnews/momo-challenge-factsheet-for-parents/>



Cookie Club:



Children in Year 6 have had a letter this week inviting them to attend Cookie Club on a Wednesday from 3.30 to 4.30pm.

Cookie Club is a revision club to get the children ready for their SATS in May. It will run every Wednesday for 6 six weeks. The Year 6 staff and Mr Kenyon will be on hand to help the children structure their revision and help them with any work that they are finding difficult.

Safeguarding:

Contact Details:

Please can you make sure that all of your contact details are up to date at the school office. We have had several instances lately where we have been unable to contact parents when a child has been unwell.

Nail Varnish:

I have noticed over the last few weeks that a lot of the girls are wearing nail varnish. Nail varnish is not permitted in school. Therefore, may I ask that all nail varnish is removed on a Sunday before school starts

PE Kit

Please ensure that your child has the correct PE kit in school at all times. There have been several instances lately when children have not had the correct kit or any kit at all.



Wednesday	6th March	Swimming lesson start for Mrs Holmes class
Thursday	7th March	World Book Day
Friday	15th March	Red Nose Day - WEAR IT RED day
Wednesday	27th March	Stiperstones, Caradoc and Lawley visit to Chester Zoo
Monday	1st April	Lawley Class visit to Whittington castle
Wednesday	3rd April	Reception and Earlshill class visit to Park Hall Farm
Wednesday	10th April	Easter Service at Holy Trinity Church 9.30am
Thursday	11th April	PTA Easter Bingo
Friday	12th April	Last day of term
Monday	15th April	Easter Holidays
Tuesday	30th April	Back to School

Happy Saint David's Day!

People in Wales celebrate the patron saint St David on March 1 every year. Many people pin a daffodil or leek - Wales's national emblems - to their clothes and some, especially children, wear traditional costumes. The day is a celebration of both St David's life and the Welsh culture



Happy Baba Marta Day!

Grandma March Day is a holiday celebrated in Bulgaria, on March 1st. Martenitsas, usually in the form of a wrist band, small yarn dolls, or tassels, are created by combining red and white colored threads and are worn on that day and throughout March