

Terrington St Clement Community School

A traditional school with traditional values where we aspire, succeed and thrive

28th January 2022

Dear Parent/Carers

Thank you so much for all of your feedback about your child's work this year. We are so glad that you enjoyed looking through your child's work with them. Thank you too for returning your child's books so promptly the following day!

Hopefully you received our letter about support for learning resources which we are sending home for your child. The Y3/4 times table cards have just arrived so will be coming home soon. Y5/6 will have their first writing task set before half term on Google Classroom. We can't wait to see our learner's very first published books! As explained in our letter these have been provided to help you support your child at home. However, please don't feel pressured into using these if you don't think your child will engage. It's more important that they see that you value their learning and undertake activities that work best for you as a family. We are always on hand to help and advise you so please just ask.

Learning Enrichment

There are lots of exciting learning days in the pipeline to enhance our curriculum and enthuse our learners. We are busy arranging some in school immersion days for all phases. These will range from Wild Science activities to History workshops which bring the past to life. More information to follow shortly. We can't wait!

| Upcoming Diary Dates | | |
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| Date | Event | |
| 07/02/22 to 11/02/22 | Children's Mental Health Week | |
| 11/02/22 | 'Dress to Express' Day | |
| 22/02/22 | 3:30-6 Parent Mtgs YR-Y6 | |
| 28/02/22 to 04/03/22 | Book Week including 03/03/22 World Book Day | |
| 03/03/22 | 3:30-6 Parent Mtgs YR-Y6 | |

Class/Whole School Letters

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| Date | Yr | Subject |
| 12/1 | KS1 | Active Kids Festival |
| 12/1 | ws | Cosy Winter Picnic Bag Meal |
| 14/1 | ws | Covid Update |
| 20/1 | Y1-6 | Times Tables Rock Stars |
| 24/1 | Y1-6 | Support for Learning |
| 27/1 | R-6 | Parent Consultations |
| 28/1 | Nursery | Parent Consultations |

Ancient Greek Immersion Day in 2020



Contact us via email office@terrington-st-clement.norfolk.sch.uk



On the last week of half term we will be completing lots of activities related to maintaining good mental health. On Friday 11th February we will be holding a fundraising event for Place2Be, which provides mental health support for young people and training for professionals. The event will be a "Dress to Express" Day where everyone is encouraged to wear whatever they choose and to make a donation to this charity. Staff will be holding buckets in the school playground for any voluntary donations. Clothing for the day can be as simple or elaborate as your child wishes, ranging from a favourite outfit, flamboyant accessories to a colour which reflects your child's feelings on that day. "Dress to Express" is an opportunity for self-expression and celebrating a diverse range of emotions.

Maths & Reading Ambassadors & Learning Leaders



Well done to our Maths Ambassadors/ Learning Leaders for helping some of our younger learners to master some key maths skills. Our Maths Ambassadors have started leading regular short maths sessions to help some of our younger learners develop more confidence and fluency in their maths skills.

Our Reading Ambassadors are also helping some of our younger readers develop greater confidence. I am told the games and activities are great fun! This is a good opportunity for our Y6 pupils to develop their leadership skills too.

Help for Working Parents

How to Claim £2,000 a year This was an article in the newspaper you may find useful.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

The scheme is paid to working parents with children aged 11 and under.

To qualify, both parents must be in work - either full or part time and each earning at least £142 a week, but not more than £100,000 a year.

This means that if both partners earn £99,000 they qualify for help. However, if one earns more than £100,000 while the other earns less, the family is not eligible.

Your 'partner' means the person you live with. They do not necessarily have to be the child's other parent.

You can still qualify if you are self-employed, so long as you earn within the same income bracket

WHERE CAN I FIND IT?

First, you need to create an online childcare account at gov.uk/apply-for-tax-free-childcare
You can then make a payment from your bank account or set up a standing order so money goes in regularly.

The Government should top up the fund the same day. So if you put in £8 it should become £10 within hours.

Grandparents and family friends may also put money into the account.

You can then use these funds to pay your childcare provider directly.

You must re-confirm that you are eligible for the support every three months.

WHAT DOES IT COVER

The funds can be used to pay for a range of childcare services, such as breakfast and after- school clubs, nurseries, playgroups, childminders and nannies. Holiday activities are also included, for example tennis, football and art clubs.

The only requirement is that the provider is registered with the tax-free childcare scheme as well as with a regulator, such as Ofsted, the Early Years Register or the Childcare Register.

Growth Mindset Awards



Y5/6 - Charlie K, Danni-Louise, Louie, Frazer Alice T, Alfie C, Isla-Rose, Evie-Rose, Ashlee Jayden B, Violet

Y3/4 - Archie C, Cieran, Layla T, Mia K, Stanley P, Ben, Marcus, Kayden, Dylan P Y1/2 - Oscar W, Harry B, Fred, Arabella, Harry B, Millie, Rory, Grace K, William M EYFS - Vanesa, Theodore W, Corben, Harrison G, Seth SRB - Seth,

Headteacher Awards

Y5/6 - Willow, Elliot, Daisy, Dione, Lukas, Stanley, Brooke, Anna, Chloe, William C, Oliver T, Junior Y3/4- Jayden B, Alfie W, Lewis B, Sam, Lottie, Lennon, Isobel, Zak, Alfie E Y1/2 - Ethan R, Bella, Dilan, Ashton E, Emily C, Isyla, Martha EYFS - Paisley, Sofia, Charlotte SRB - Leo,



Doodle Maths Champions



Top doodlers: 1/2KR Top combined stars:1/2KR Hot on their heels: 1/2M

Well done 1/2KR, top of the leaderboards again! Can anyone know them off of the

top spot?

TT Rock Stars - Top Stars Last Week

(Based on correct answers)

Y6 Amber Y5 Sonny Y4 Ben Y3 Ivy Y1 Sky (SRB)



Current champion: Rock Hero - Ben Y4



Don't forget to book your parent/teacher meeting slot.

Reading Badges

Well done everyone, you are doing so well! We have given out 84 badges and know lots of our learners are only a few books away from earning their badges which is amazing. Keep up the great reading!

Reception -

Year 1 - Bella, Sno-Keanu, Christopher, Nicholas

Year 2 - Kallie SA, Neeve B, Ashton, Teddy, Lily N, Spencer, Jack B, Ronnie, Martha, Stanley

Year 3 - Tilly B

Year 4 -

Year 5 - Anna SA, Evie N, Laila, Oscar,

Darcie

Year 6 - Elsa, Daisy

Adults - Miss Hammond and Mrs
Dymond- well done on being the first
adults to complete this! Miss Hammond
was keen for me to share that she did get
there first.

Internet Safety Webinars for Parents and Carers

Norfolk Constabulary's Youth Engagement Safer School Teams are running two webinars with some very helpful information on keeping your child safe online.

The dates are:-Monday 7th February at 12.00pm Wednesday 9th February at 12.00pm

Please email the Youth Engagement Team mailbox

YouthEngagementEvents@norfolk.police. uk stating the date you wish to attend and they will send you the link to the meeting.