



Templars Primary School

Newsletter 13.9.24

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Message from the Headteacher

A great start to the term here this week, and thank you to those of you who have been to the New To Year group meetings – Year 5 and 6 to come. I was able to talk about some new initiatives and explain the 'why' behind these and other policies. Copies of the slides, with recordings, will be uploaded to the website early next week for those who were unable to come.

	Behaviour Choices	Sanctions
Stage 1 Class Teacher Behaviour Team	Disrupting the class, shouting out, talking, making noises to attract attention, not settling to work, walking around classroom, fiddling with equipment, distracting others, not living out 'Templars Values'.	Warning - Remind of expected behaviour Yellow Card - Visual with positive choice 10 Minute Reset * - In corner of class, in phase, a nother class or outside classroom. 10 Minute Loss* - lost play, lunch or after school with class teacher.
Stage 2 Behaviour Team Mrs Rollings	Persistent Stage 1 behaviour Rudeness to staff, leaving the classroom, ignoring instructions, answering back, indirect swearing (under breath), minor vandalism (scratching tables/writing on tables/others books), minor or misuse of ICT, physical contact without intent (rough play).	10 Minute Loss* - lost play, lunch or after school with class teacher. Silent Reflection - Period of time in Silent Reflection Time set by Behaviour Team, restorative conversation held by adult on duty Internal 5 suspension - in designated area with member of SLT
Stage 3 Mrs Rollings SLT	Persistent Stage 2 behaviours Not engaging with restorative work, dangerous behaviour (throwing objects etc), bullying (inc. cyber), vandalism, theft, abusive language, racist/discriminatory comments, intentional hurting staff, violence towards other pupils (hitting, spitting, biting).	Internal 5 suspension - in designated area with member of SLT or Discussion amongst team consider external suspension as below, behaviour plan or alternative options.
Stage 4 Headteacher Governors	Persistent Stage 3 behaviours Significant event in community, weapons in school with intent to use, possession of drugs/vapes, significant harm to adults or children. Persistent Stage 4 behaviours Serious fighting with intention to significantly harm a child or adult, bringing school in to disrepute.	External Suspension Repeated high level behaviours or anti-social behaviours Increasing scale from 1/2 a day. Loss of privileges trips/clubs/visits until further notice. Reintegration with parents / carers. Permanent Exclusion

This year we have introduced a new Behaviour Policy, incorporating some of the suggestions made at last year's Parent Forum. The Zone Board is gone! We have introduced a Behaviour Curriculum to support children with learning how to demonstrate the Templars Values and a Pupil Conduct Code to show children what we expect of them in certain situations in school. Certificates, Reward Stickers and Templars Tokens all remain a feature, as do restorative conversations at every stage of the new policy to put children back on track when they need a reminder. Children requiring more support with behaviour will be allocated a mentor who will set targets and check in as regularly as required.

The full policy will be uploaded to the website this week but here is a diagram to illustrate the sanctions for certain behaviours.

The next Parent Forum on the 24th October, will discuss the new policy and homework.

Join the PTA!



Templar's Primary School **NEED** your help!

Why join the PTA?

- Help to fundraise
- Support with fun events
- Make your voice heard
- Build relationships with other parents
- Be involved more with your child's school

Join us for coffee, cake and a chat about how we can make our school **EVEN** better.

We want you to stay informed and get involved. Join us on **Wednesday 25th September at 2.15PM.**

We look forward to planning some fun events with you!

Mrs Tyrrell and Mrs Stephenson



1 - Exciting - new PTA for 2024

Please find below a leaflet from Learning With Parents - our new homework platform. I hope that as you become familiar you will really like the online reading record and later in the term the English and Maths activities.

Parent-Rationale learning with parents

Learning with Parents



Parental Engagement – Where the Magic Happens...

Parental engagement is about motivating and supporting parents to take an active interest in their child's learning. Engaging in learning and giving their child that extra support at home fosters a shared enjoyment of learning and empowers both parents and children.

Why is it important?



Lots of studies have shown that, on average, a parent engaging with their child's learning has a positive impact on how much they learn at school each year.

You read more about this here [EEF parental engagement](#).

What is the Learning with Parents approach to supporting parental engagement?

Learning with Parents thinks of parents as the expert in their children but NOT as teachers. Parents are their child's biggest influencer. A parent who shows how much they value learning is a great role model for their children. **We hope to help families build a shared love of learning together!**

Our programmes gives parents the knowledge and information they need to be able to support their children. The activities are designed to be fun, inclusive and away from screens

We want to help families to have enjoyable learning experiences together. And for us, it is the interactions that children have with the adults at home which are the most valuable.

We often see parents commenting on how the time they spend interacting with our programme is supporting positive time with their child and allows more bonding time together. **75% of parents in our most recent survey said they enjoyed learning together with their child.**

We design our activities with the following themes in mind...

TALK...

All our topics are linked to learning in school, but it is the talk surrounding and within the activities which is the most important. Talk is not limited to our English activities. It plays an equally important part in Maths.

PLAY...

Children are born to learn through play. Anyone who's ever seen a baby delightedly scrunching up wrapping paper or making faces in a mirror has seen a little scientist at work. Playful exploration is our natural way of learning.

EXPLORING...

Children are natural scientists. There are not right or wrong answers in the activities it is all about enjoying exploring topics together.

REAL WORLD...

Making learning relevant! Our programmes uses technology to support learning and interactions. But every activity is designed to be done in the real world together. **We go on screen to come off screens.**

FUN...

Our activities are meant to be enjoyable for parents as well as the children!



COLLABORATIVE and CLEAR...

We work hard to give *simple?* instructions as to what the parent role is in the activity, as well as the child, so you can just get on and do it.

HEADTEACHERS AWARD 2024-25



Aimee 6T for phenomenal effort and participation in all lessons this week

Tommy 6D for making a fantastic start to Year 6 - focussed and working hard

Srayah for a terrific start to Year 6

Taylor 6T for phenomenal teamwork and collaboration on Spark Day! Keep being confident!

Tyrell 5I for his amazing attitude to learning and exceptional manners

Maya 5F. Well done for being super organised and helping others

Eli 5A for settling in so well

Isla 4G for setting a fantastic example of our Star Sitting

Daniella 4H for trying her very hardest in all lessons and for setting an example to the new children in class

4A Kayla for being an outstanding role model

Alicia 3D for your exceptional attitude towards learning

Bruno 3S for a very impressive start to the year

Austin 3M for settling in well and always doing the right thing - you are a super role-model

Support for Parents and Carers



Open Evening
for Year 6 pupils
Thursday 19th September
5.30-7.30pm
Blue Coat CofE School, Terry Road, Coventry, CV1 2BA
We look forward to seeing you!
No need to book!



Finham Park 2
Pride | Respect | Responsibility
Register your interest here
OPEN EVENING
Date: Thursday 19th September 2024
Time: 5.00-7.00pm
Headteacher Presentation: 5.15pm and 6.15pm
TORRINGTON AVENUE | COVENTRY | CV4 9WT



NEED HELP? ACCESS OUR
SUPPORT HUB

When & Where
10 am - 12 noon
First Friday of every month
St Oswald's Church,
Jardine Crescent

What can I access?

- Our experienced staff are on hand to give advice, and even help to fill in complex forms.
You don't need an appointment, just drop in!
- Benefits Advice**
- Employment Support**
- Money Advice Service**
- Citizen Housing Advice**
- Health Advice**

St Oswald's Church, Jardine Cres,
Tile Hill, Coventry CV4 9PL
www.stoswalds.co.uk
stoswald.tilehill@gmail.com

Sleep tight workshop

for parents/carers of children aged 1 year and over



There are two dates available:

- Monday 16th September 1 - 2.30pm
- Wednesday 16th October 5 - 6.30pm

This session will be delivered virtually on Microsoft Teams

Sleep issues are common for children and young people and can have a huge impact on the quality of family life. This two-hour workshop looks at the importance of sleep, understanding sleep cycles, causes of sleep issues and what you can do to support your child to sleep better.

This session will be delivered by a parenting practitioner who has been trained by The National Sleep Charity.

For more details or to book:

Please email parenting@coventry.gov.uk and include the following information in your email:

- Preferred workshop date
- Your name, address and postcode
- Parent's/carer's email address
- Child's name and age



Support your child with primary school maths

free online course

Join our free 11-week online course - **Maths in the Primary School**

This course is for

All parents and carers with children in Coventry

What you'll learn

The maths words and methods used in primary schools and how you can help at home.

What we do

- email you a new 30-minute course video each week
- give you digital resources to help your learning
- answer any questions you've got by email

Where it is

A pre-recorded online course to watch where and when you like

When it is

Online, from Monday 16th September for 11 weeks

How to join

Scan the QR code to enrol
View all Family Learning courses and enrol online at www.coventry.gov.uk/adulted



"I learnt lots - now it's much easier to help my son with his maths"



To find out more email kate.steventon@coventry.gov.uk

online course

Join our free 11-week online course- **'English in the Primary School'**

This course is for
All parents and carers with children in Coventry.

What you'll learn
The phonics, reading, grammar and spelling used in primary schools and how you can help at home.

What we do

- email you a new 30-minute course video each week
- give you digital resources to help your learning
- answer any questions you've got by email



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"...as fab as I work full-time and couldn't go to the daytime classes."

Assume you have a place unless you hear from us

free online course

Find out how to raise happy, secure and well-behaved children

Join our free 11-week online course **'Positive Family Foundations'**

This course is for
All parents and carers with children in Coventry.

What you'll learn
How children develop with practical examples to support behaviour, well-being and mental health.

What we do

- email you a new 30-minute course video each week
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"It was easy to get online to do this – even with the kids at home!"




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Are you a parent or carer, who would like FREE support with your child?
Maybe we can help.... we are offering the following workshops.

Shine Compass
IT'S MY TIME TO GROW

For further information or to book your place please contact Compass Shine on T: 02475 186206 or E: compass.cype@nhs.net


Wednesday 10th September
Aspire Family Hub
10.00am-11.30am
Understanding Anxiety
CV1 2SF

Wednesday 2nd October
Moat Family Hub 9.45am - 11.15am
Understanding Neurodiversity
CV2 1EQ

Wednesday 6th November
Mosaic Family Hub
10am-11.30am
Understanding Self Harm
CV4 9PL

Wednesday 11th December
Mosaic Family Hub
10am-11.30am
Understanding BIG emotions
CV4 9PL

Booking preferred, please use QR or link below
<https://forms.office.com/e/Btw76vzCdf>



Web: <https://www.compass-uk.org/services/compass-coventry-children-and-young-peoples-mental-health-service/>

Dates and Events

Event	Dates
BOOST Day	During this week
New to Yr1 parent Q and A meeting	10 th September 2.30
New to Yr 2 parent Q and A meeting	12 th September 2.30
New to Yr 3/4 parent Q and A meeting	13 th September 2.30
After School Clubs begin	16 th September
New to Yr5 parent Q and A meeting	17 th September 2.30
Boot Fund Application deadline	17 th September
New to Yr 6 parent Q and A meeting and Dol-Y-Moch meeting	24 th September 5.30 pm
European Day of Languages (join us in pm.)	26 th September
Macmillan Coffee Morning (join us in am.)	27 th September 9
YR 2 trip to Selly Manor	2 nd October
SEN Coffee Morning	3 rd October 9-9.45
Reception Open Morning for Prospective Parents	9 th October
Year 1 and 2 Phonics Classroom Viewings	10 th October
World Mental Health Day	11 th October
Parents Evenings Tues 3.30pm to 5.30 to and Wed 3.30 – 6.30 pm (no after-school activities)	15 th October 3.30-5.30 16 th until 6.30
Parent Forum	24 th October 9am 2.30 and 5.30
Half Term	28th Oct until 1st
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Pupils return to school	4th November
Prospective parents Reception Open Morn	5 th November
Flu Nasal Spray	6 th November
Odd Socks Day – in support of Anti-Bullying	11 th November
Anti-Bullying Week	11 th – 15 th November
Boot Fund Application deadline	12 th November
Children in Need Day - wear spots for £1	15 th November
Templars Community One Stop Shop	19 th November
Reception to Warwick Arts Centre	3 rd December
SEN Coffee morning	4 th December
Prospective parents Reception Open Afternoon	5 th December
Non-Uniform day for Fayre donations. Christmas Movie Night and Parent Bingo	9 th December
Teacher Training Day – school closed for pupils	Mon 16th December
Be Our Guest Christmas Events	16th – 20nd December
Christmas Fayre	18 th Dec 3.30 - 5
KS1 Christmas Nativity	19 th Dec
Christmas Jumper Day	20 th Dec
Christmas Holidays	23 rd Dec-3 th January
Pupils Return to School	6th January

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Parents Forum	28 th January
SEN Coffee Morning	31 st January
Boot Fund Application deadline	4 th February
Safer Internet Day	11 th February
Half Term	17 th – 21 st February
Pupils Return to School	24 th February
BOOST Day	During this week
National Careers Week	3 rd – 7 th March
World Book Day	6 th March
Parents Evenings (no after-school activities)	18 th – and 19 th March
Templars Community One Stop Shop	3 rd April
Photo Day	8 th April
Be Our Guest Events	7 th to 10 th April
Teacher Training Day – school closed for pupils	Fri 11th April
Easter Holidays	14 th to 25 th April
Pupils Return to School	28 th April
SEN Parent Coffee Morning	1 st May 9-9.45
Bank Holiday	5 th May
Boot Fund Application deadline	6 th May
KS2 SATs for Year 6	12 th – 16 th May
Mental Health Awareness Week	
Half Term	26 th – 30 th May

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Pupils Return to School	2 nd June
BOOST Day	During this week
Yr 4 Multiplication Check	Begins 2 nd June
Year 5 Swimming Sessions	Begin 2 nd June
Yr 1 and 2 Phonics Screening	Begins 9 th June
New to Nursery Parents Evening	18 th June
New to Reception Parents Evening	25 th June
Transition Day	2 nd July
Be Our Guest Events	14 th – 18 th July
Summer Fayre	16 th July
School Ends for Summer	18 th July

Morning Drop-off between 8.40 and 8.50 am. Gates shut at 8.55. 9am Registers Close.

Collection between 3.15 and 3.30pm.

Community Activities for Children

#Unleash Your Potential, Score Your Success!



COVENTRY GODIVA ARE LOOKING TO ADD FURTHER PLAYERS TO OUR UNDER 8 AND UNDER 12 GIRLS TEAMS.

WE TRAIN EVERY TUESDAY OR WEDNESDAY DEPENDENT UPON AGE GROUP AND WE PLAY GAMES ON SATURDAY MORNINGS

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT US ON COVENTRYGODIVAFc@GMAIL.COM OR 07715566197

VENUES ARE CALUDON CASTLE SCHOOL (TRAINING) AND WAR MEMORIAL PARK (MATCHDAYS)



HOW TO BOOK?

CONTACT US:

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Tel: 07857 633992

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