



PAGET PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER – NOVEMBER 13TH 2019

TO BE THE BEST THAT YOU CAN BE

A Word from the Head

Welcome back everyone, I hope that you all had a great half term and you have had a good rest ready for the busy term ahead. It has been great looking at Twitter and seeing all the wonderful places that so many of you have been reading. We have had in a dinosaur's mouth, reading to the donkeys, at the Villa match, in the hospital, on the waltzers, and up a tree to name just a few. It has also been great to see staff joining in too. I wonder who will win the prize for the strangest place to read a book. If you have not joined in yet don't forget the hashtag #getpagetreading

Over the half term holiday I was notified that Paget will be used as a polling station for the general election that will take place on 12th December. As a result school will be closed to children on this day. I apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

Vicky Nussey

Values of the Month November –

Understanding

Understanding means thinking about what others are feeling, putting yourself in their shoes.

Understanding one another requires considering the other person's viewpoint rather than just our own. Understanding others and their point of view is important. The more we understand others, the more we can respect and value them. We need to see the situations and problems they face through their eyes. Each of us can take the lead in understanding others.



Attendance and Punctuality matter –

We need your support, if your child is absent from school, we need communication. A phone call, a text, a Whatsapp message or an email.



ATTENDANCE

Well done to 3C (99%) for the best attendance.

Can you help your class do this well?

Attendance for the school year is currently 96.30%

Minutes late arriving is 1418.

This is lost learning!

We need to do better Paget!



#getpagetreading

As part of our drive to improve reading at Paget, we have introduced a new system. When you read at home with your child, remember the importance of making a comment in or signing the home reading journal. Every time we see a comment or signature, your child will be given a raffle ticket that goes into a class draw. The more raffle tickets your child gets, the greater the chance of receiving a new book in our half termly draw. Reading is a gift and we want our children to know just how important it is.

Of course, we also have #getpagetreading whereby you can take a photo of your child reading and post it on twitter.

If you have any questions just ask a member of Team Paget.

Sporting Talent –

#WE CAN

So we are well into our sporting fixtures and competitions and so far what a success it has been. Paget children are now representing King Edwards School Sports Partnership and will look forward to new events and challenges ahead. So far we have competed in Basketball, 5 & 6 League Football games, 3 & 4 Football league, Girls Football league, Netball league, Year 1 Multi Skills, Dodgeball. Having represented King Edwards twice at medal events, Paget have walked away twice with gold medals, what a success! Let's hope it's a sign for the season ahead. Please keep a look out on @PagetPrimary for photos in support of our teams and athletes.

PE Kits

Parents we need your support... PE is a compulsory part of our curriculum and many children are not bringing in kits for lessons. Kits need to be in school on a Monday and taken home on a Friday. Our PE kit includes the following; Black shorts/joggers, a plain white t shirt and trainers/pumps.

Please ensure your child's kit is in school every week.

#appearancematters

Extra-Curricular punctuality

Parents/Carers please can we ensure prompt collection from after school clubs. Staff give up time after school to give further opportunities to your children, please ensure your child is collected at 4.20p.m. Persistent lateness will mean your child is asked to leave their chosen club.

Christmas Fayre Date Change

As a result of the general election being announced for the 12th December and subsequently school being used as a polling station we have had to change the date of our Christmas Fayre. The fayre will now be held on **Tuesday 10th December.**

Year Five – E-Safety

It has come to our attention that there are many children using the Tik Tok App out of school. This may seem like a harmless, fun music App, however, there are some songs that are inappropriate for primary school children. Also, this is a method of social media, meaning that the children can communicate with each other. This has led to some examples of cyber-bullying. It is important to note that all Apps that have a social media element have an age restriction of 13 years old – this includes TikTok, Facebook and WhatsApp. Please be mindful of the Apps your children are using and monitor what they are writing or receiving on social media.

School Uniform

We have a range of used uniform in the office which we are offering out to parents for donations. The uniform has been washed and ironed and in good/excellent condition. If you are interested, please contact the school office. All donations will be put into school fund.

Uniform items include: Poloshirts, Sweatshirts, White Shirts, Cardigans, and Trousers, both with and without logos.

CHRISTMAS



Do you have Un-used gifts at home gathering dust that won't be used?

Work for a company willing to donate a voucher or a cash prize as sponsors of our event?

The PTFA are currently accepting items that can be used for our Christmas fayre raffle. Please see Miss Green or Sarah Hodgetts with any donations.



Paget Primary School presents

Christmas Fayre
Tuesday 10th
December 2019



Class sales
Carol singing
Cake
Refreshments
Chocolate tombola
Games
Santa in his grotto
Glitter tattoos

A free event for the entire family to enjoy!



Join us for
Christmas cheer!

CHRISTMAS 2019

Christmas is fast approaching and we need your help for our Christmas Fayre on Tuesday 10th December 2019.

Raffle and Silent Auction prizes

Could we kindly ask if anyone has any raffle prizes at home they could donate? They will be used in our raffle during the Christmas Fayre, or perhaps you work for a company that could kindly donate a prize, run a business that could offer a voucher for free services or have some unwanted, un used gifts at home? If you do, please can we have them please? All monies raised during our Fayre benefit our school.



Non-Uniform day for chocolate

On **Wednesday 27th November** we are inviting children to come to school in **non-uniform in exchange for chocolate**. Chocolate can be brought in as small or large as you wish but all donations of chocolate are kindly appreciated and will be used in our chocolate tombola at the Christmas fayre.



Parent Help!

We need as much help as possible from 1:30pm – 3pm on Tuesday 10th December, setting up for this years christmas Fayre. If you would like to help please see Miss Green or Miss Spiers to volunteer as much or little time as possible. Any amount of help is greatly appreciated.

Paget Primary School and the PTFA hope you all have a fabulous time at this year's Christmas Fayre!

Dates for Your Diary

Tuesday 10 th Dec 2019	Christmas Fayre
Thursday 12 th Dec 2019	Election Day
Friday 20 th Dec 2019	Break up for Christmas holiday
Monday 23 rd Dec-Fri 3 Jan	Christmas Holiday
Monday 6 th Jan 2020	Teacher Day
Tuesday 7 th Jan 2020	Term starts for pupils
Wednesday 12 th Feb 2020	School Disco
Friday 14 th Feb 2020	Break up for Half Term

HALF TERM

Monday 24 th Feb 2020	School opens for pupils
Tuesday 10 th Mar 2020	Parents' Evening
Thursday 12 th Mar 2020	Parents' Evening
Thurs 26-Fri 27 Mar 2020	Y2 Residential
Friday 3 rd April 2020	Break up for Easter holiday
Monday 6 th –Fri 17 th April 2020	Easter Holiday
Monday 20 th Apr 2020	Term starts for pupils
Thursday 7 th May 2020	Election Day School Closed to children
Friday 8 th May 2020	Bank Holiday
Monday 11 th – Thursday 14 th May 2020	Y6 SATs week
Fri 22 nd May 2020	Break up for Half Term

HALF TERM

Mon 1 st June 2020	School opens for pupils
Wed 24 th –Fri 26 th June 2020	Y6 Residential
Fri 17 th Jul 2020	Children break up for the summer
Mon 20 th July 2020	Teacher day

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