



NEWSLETTER

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Headteacher Message

This week the children have completed their assessments to reflect on academic achievements through the spring term and identify any gaps that need to be taught in the summer term. The information gathered from the tests is analysed and enables us to plan the curriculum that follows. This will give each child the best chance of moving forward in their learning and help us to support children with individual gaps they may have developed due to lockdown. As we get back into the full school routine we are teaching the complete curriculum again and offering a full enrichment programme for the summer term. All enrichment clubs will be offered to individual year groups to maintain our 'bubble' system. This is to ensure that we continue to follow our Covid risk assessment. All clubs will run 3.05pm-4pm. Details will be sent out via SchoolPing.

SchoolPing is our main form of communication and messages are sent out every week to keep you informed of things happening in school. If you have not accessed your account in a while please make sure you have checked it is still working so that you don't miss out on vital information. The enrichment clubs will be booked via SchoolPing and will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. It will be difficult to secure a place in the clubs without accessing your account.

We have been adjusting our morning procedures to make sure the children's lessons are starting promptly as 8.45am. As you can imagine, every minute counts after the disruption of lockdown! Please make sure you arrive in good time in the morning and ready to enter school between 8.35am and 8.45am. The doors close at 8.45am as does the Y3/4 gate. Have a lovely weekend.



Anita Edwards
Executive Headteacher

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Attendance Week Ending 26.03.2021

R	98%
Year 1	98.94%
Year 2	94.59%
Year 3	95.77%
Year 4	98.22%
Year 5	93.84%
Year 6	92.92%
Whole School (weekly)	95.03%
Whole School (Sept to date)	93.90%

Target 97%



Year 6 have enjoyed learning about the conditions of the trenches during WW1 as part of their history studies.

They imagined what it would be like to be a soldier during this time and wrote letters home explaining about their duties, rations and the terrible conditions of the trenches including rats the size of cats, mud, sludge and lice!

Terrific Time Keepers

The winning class this week is **3SI!**



Dates for your diary

Wednesday 31st March '21
Children finish for Easter
Thursday 1st April '21
INSET Day (*staff only*)
Monday 19th April '21
Return to school

Red Nose Day 2021



TTRockstars Rockdown Relief maths competition for Comic Relief

Our pupils took part in 'Rockdown Relief' in school in aid of Comic Relief. The more questions they got correct, the more coins they had to buy a virtual red nose. This competition was widely enjoyed and helped strengthen pupils times table recall. The class winners were 6LP in 1st place, 4CW in 2nd place and 4CT in 3rd place. The most valuable players were Parleen Kaur, Mason Corley and Max Burnside.

Well done everyone!

Join us on Saturday 3rd April from 10 – 3 for St Mary's Easter Family Trail around the church grounds.



Follow the trail from Palm Sunday to Easter Day and discover more about the story of Easter, with activities along the way. **And Easter eggs!**

What should I do if...

What should I do if my child has COVID-19 symptoms?

What should I do if I or somebody in my household has COVID-19 symptoms?

What should I do if I or somebody in my household has tested positive for COVID-19?

What should I do if my child tests positive for COVID-19?

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Visit our website at <https://www.partingtoncentralacademy.co.uk/what-to-do-if/> for some useful quick reference guides around reporting, self-isolation and when to return to school, in the event of a child, parent or other household member having COVID-19 symptoms or receiving a positive test result.

General Info:

- **Congratulations** to Mrs Barrett who is expecting a baby! We are delighted with her news but sad that she will leave us on her maternity leave after the Easter hols. Mr Rivers will continue to teach in Y6 as their teacher for the remainder of the school year.
- **Sale Sharks** = A huge thank you to Sale Sharks for the amazing food parcels they donated to school. The packages were gratefully received and distributed.
- **Parents' Evening** = Thank you to all our parents for joining us on School Cloud for our virtual parents' evening. It was lovely to have the chance to talk to you about your child/ren and how they've settled back into school life. If you were unable to attend, please contact the main office to arrange a call with your child's teacher.
- **Reports** = A school report will be sent home for your child on Tues 30th March. This is a brief overview of the spring term including remote learning and how your child has settled back into school.