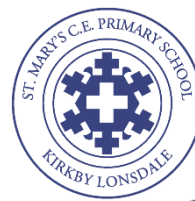




Newsletter



25/01/2019

St Mary's Church of England School, Kirkby Lonsdale

Dear Parents and Families of our School Community

This week we have continued our exploration of 'Inspiring Women' a topic which has really interested the children and staff alike. We have discussed Mary Seacole and her determination and struggles with prejudice and Mary Anning who pioneered our understanding of fossils and transformed the way we think about Geology and the Geological timeline.

Both boys and girls have been challenged about how we can be inspired and learn from their experiences and achievements.

We are also encouraging the children to slowly but steadily continue to learn the spellings provided recently as we begin to get closer to the time we will be having our special Spelling Bee.

One of the most exciting events coming up on Monday is our Learning Project Day on Monday. This is a really good opportunity for the children to creatively delve into the topic being studied this half term. Thank you in anticipation of the lovely projects coming in on Monday.

Finally, we are mindful that both staff and children in school have been succumbing to various illnesses recently. We hope the children recover well if they are poorly and we hope to be up to full steam again ourselves very soon as one or two poorly staff return. Please bear with us as we try to hold the fort together – especially with Mrs Lyall being poorly this week.

Mr Jones

Home Learning Projects

We look forward to seeing the fantastic projects being prepared for Monday 28th Jan.

Spelling Bee 2019



Keep having a little go at learning your spellings that you have received recently. Why not have a few goes at verbalising spellings in the car or on the way to and from school. Children may want to challenge each other.

Cold Conditions



Can we please ensure children have the appropriate clothing for the conditions. Thank you. There are a lot of clothing items including coats and footwear in the lost property. Please do check the lost property area in the main entrance of school if you have any lost items. – You may want to ask the children if they have their full PE kit, clothing etc..

Scarlet Fever

We are aware that a pupil has scarlet fever and has already had the required antibiotics to deal with the issue. If you think your child has the symptoms of scarlet fever, please do contact your G.P.

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/scarlet-fever/>

Thank you very much.

Dates

Tuesday	29 th Jan	Year 2 Visit to the Fire Station
Wed	30 th Jan	Little Kickers – Yr N and R
Friday	1 st Feb	Sports Hall Athletics – QES (Y5 and 6)
Wed	6 th Feb	Y6 SATS meeting for parents
Thurs	7 th Feb	Y3-6 Cross Country – Ben Greenep Winter Run. (pm)