



St. Laurence Primary Newsletter

Spring Term 2020

20th January 2020

Our School

Gospel Values

2019 - 2020

Community

Hope

Thankfulness

Forgiveness

Respect

Justice

Classes

Robins **R**
Mrs. Harvey and
Mrs. Bennett
Wrens
Ms. Bairos

Kingfishers **Yr**
Mrs. Chalklin **1/2**
(KSI Leader)
Skylarks
Miss Tanvir
Nightingales
Miss Campbell

Quails **Yr**
Miss Jeavons **3/4**
Doves
Mr. Fitt
Swallows
Miss Corcoran

Magpies **Yr**
Mr Jiggins **5/6**
Owls
Miss Kelly
Kestrels
Mr. Pepper

New Year - New Decade - New Term!

Welcome back to all our children and their families after the Christmas Holidays. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all the parents for the thoughtful gifts and cards our staff received for Christmas, which were very much appreciated.



Mental Health Days

During our first days back in the Spring Term we always explore our Mental Health. We especially focus on the 5 keys to wellbeing: taking notice, being active, keep on learning, connect and give. In their classes children discussed the importance of talking about our 'big feelings' For more information regarding supporting your child's mental health please read the attached leaflet from the Anna Freud Institute, which gives practical advice and guidance.



Please can you keep to paths when walking into school and stay off the grass. The spring bulbs we planted last year will be emerging soon!



The Real Schools Guide

Judging by the number of parents who have proudly mentioned this result to us, this may come as no surprise - St Laurence has placed in the top 5 schools in Cambridgeshire! The national league tables only look at the Key Stage 2 results and progress scores. The Real Schools Guide ranking system uses 45 different measures, like attainment for all pupils, what the attendance is like, the ratio of staff to pupils and whether pupils are doing better than expected. We are very proud of the children and the school and we wanted to thank all the parents who support us in what we do.



Please can you ensure your child has their PE kit in school at all times.

Every child is expected to take part in every PE lesson during the week.

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and information please visit
our school website:



www.stlaurence.cambs.sch.uk

Panto Stars!

Christmas Panto may seem a lifetime away, but we thought you would enjoy this photo of our Pantomime stars Niah and Adela who did an amazing job talking to the cast of Cinderella during the performance.!



Focus on Fundraising

This year the school will be focusing the majority of their fundraising on the charity HCPT, who support providing children with the opportunity to visit Lourdes as part of a pilgrimage. We hope to send two of our children on the Pilgrimage this year.

We have already made a great start, thanks to the parents generosity after the Christmas Nativities and hope to continue!
We are planning to host a Quiz night later in the term on Friday 13th March, so get your thinking hats on!



Class Attendance Hero

1st: Nightingales, Doves & Kestrels with
100%
2nd: Quails with 99.3%
3rd: Wrens & Swallows with 99%



Diary Dates

23rd Jan: Reception Wicken Fen Trip
23rd Jan: Y6 Hautbois Parents Eve
1st Feb: 1st Holy Communion Family
Day
7th Feb: PTA School Disco
17th Feb: Half Term
26th Feb: Ash Wednesday Mass
3rd & 4th March: Parent Consultations