St Michael's C of E School Newsletter

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Dear Parents, Carers & School Community,

Hoping that your week has been a good one.
Children and parents alike, seem to be getting to grips now, with this new way of learning.
Again, some really positive feedback coming to the office.

Remember though, it's just as important at this time, to think of you and your child's health and emotional well-being.
Go out for a walk each day, get some fresh air and take time to have a conversation with someone other than your own household, either by phone, email or video call.
If you are struggling with anything, please reach out!
I for one, am always here to help if I can - just send me a message.
We are all in this #together.

Warmest Regards,
Mrs Dena Gardner,
School Secretary

ATTENDANCE

Critical Worker and Vulnerable Children in only

Remote Learning for all Children

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SCHOOL OFFICE

To report a school absence or for any concerns or enquiries:
Call 01525 240248
Email: office@st-michaels.bucks.sch.uk
Text: 07786208889 (Text Only)

ABSENCES

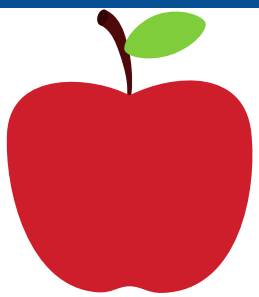
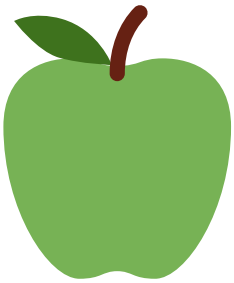
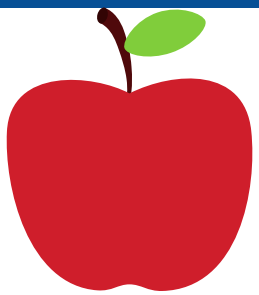
Please report if your child is absence for any reason before 9.30am and please confirm on every consecutive day they will be abscent until they return.

Please remember DO NOT send your children into school if they are displaying any of the following symptoms:
New continuous cough and / or high temperature and / or a loss of, change in normal sense of taste or smell.
Please contact the school by text, email or phone for advice if unsure or visit the following website:
https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/symptoms/

Dear Parents/Carers,
The Delancey U.K. Chess Challenge will be taking place online in 2021. Any child, provided that they know how to play chess and even if they have not attended chess club, may enter this year for the Megafinals.
If interested contact the UKCC team at: admin@ukchess.co.uk
and follow the instructions provided.
Good Luck
B. McClellan
(Chess Teacher)

School Run

Thank you to the parents, who are abiding by our strict school run rules:
One parent only
Wear a face mask
Do not allow the children to play on the school equipment

Laptops

If you have an old, working laptop that you no longer require, please consider donating it to the school.
This will help us to support our pupils that will require one for remote learning.
There is a donation box outside the office, between 9am and 3.30pm daily.
A big thank you to our Y6 parent, Mr Broadbent-Kelly for volenteering his IT support.

Staff COVID-19 Testing

From 25th January, all staff members will have the option to take part in a COVID test, twice weekly, using a Lateral Flow Device.
We hope that this will be a benefit to our current procedures, of keeping the staff, Critical Worker and Vulnerable Children safe.

Royal Academy Young Artists

Thank you to one of our parents for telling us about The Royal Academy of Arts Young Artists Summer Show.
The Young Artists' Summer Show is a free exhibition, for young artists, aged 5 - 19 years.
Children who have been getting creative during the lockdown, can ask their parents to submit artworks.
These artworks are then judged by a panel of artists and arts professionals, with selected artworks displayed online and on-site at the Royal Academy of Arts. St.Michael's has been registered as a participating school and we know we have fantastic creative young people in our school community -why not give it a go?!
See the RA website for more information
https://youngartists.royalacademy.org.uk/get-involved

Joys of Remote Learning

Thank you to this Year 2 pupil for sharing this lovely picture of his dog Belle, helping with this week's Math home learning!

YST After-School Club

Please check out the live after-school clubs organised by the Youth Sport Trust.
These take place on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 5pm
https://www.youthsporttrust.org/AfterSchoolSportClub

ST MICHAEL'S SPORTS

Real PE in Action
Over 90 pupils have now logged onto Real PE at Home.
Please send in your photo's and videos of your children in action for Mrs Munday

Jumpstart Jonny

Head to the following website https://www.jumpstartjonny.co.uk/home
For fun and lively routines set to music.

#together

Zoom Messy Church Sunday 24th January@ 4pm

Hello! Here's an invite to Messy Church on Zoom.
It's from your local parish church with Rev'd Howard and the Team and this week we'll be thinking about
"Walking with Jesus".
Why don't you make an obstacle course to show and use on Sunday?
All you need is:
A food tray or similar.
Some drinking straws or pieces of cardboard.
A marble or small ball.
Cut up the straws/card into strips and tape to the tray to make obstacles for the marble/ball to roll around from one end of the tray to the other.
Simples!
We'll find out on Sunday why we've made it.
Hope to see you there!
Howard (Team Rector)

Join Zoom Meeting
https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82365791585?pwd=eDJmbDBaUmMvbXZJMGplazdvQzlHZz09

Meeting ID: 823 6579 1585
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