

# Middleforth Church of England Primary School

# *Our Christian Value this half term is Courage* Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2020



It was lovely to see so many parents at our Parent Sessions this week. Thank you all for coming in to talk to us and sharing the wonderful work your children are doing in school.

Next Wednesday evening is our Young Voices concert in school. If you are coming along please let the office know before Wednesday lunchtime latest.

This week we have put another new whiteboard into school in year 4 and soundbars into two classrooms to improve our technology in school.

Our nursery is now full in almost every session up to the end of the Summer Term. We have already filled half of the spaces from September 2020. If you know you will need a space next academic year in the nursery please book the place now with the office to reserve your place.

Have a great weekend,

Mrs Adams

## Our stars of the week this week are:

Reception	Toby & Jaiden	
Year 1	Conrad & Lexi	
Year 2	Arthur & Adam	Star of
Year 4	Liam & Sai	the week
Year 5	Hettie & Maisie	
Year 6	Lucy & Logan	

## KS2 Merit Badge Winners

Class	Red – Ruby	Blue – Sapphire	Green - Emerald	Yellow – Amber
Y4	Dylan	Emily	Theo	Ruby
Y5	Olivia	Emily	Stuart	Archie P
Y6	Lewis	Logan	Jessica	Angel

## Bags to School – 26<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Please start collecting the following items in preparation for a Bags 2 school collection on the 26<sup>th</sup> February. We will send more details nearer the time. Please do not bring anything in before the 26<sup>th</sup> February as we have nowhere to store the bags. Many thanks.

They accept the following 'good quality' items for RE-USE\*:

- Paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around)
- Handbags

- Hats •
- Bags
- Scarves and ties •
- Jewellery •
- Lingerie •
- Socks
- Belts
- Soft toys
- Household linen •
- Household curtains •
- Household towels
- Household bedding (bed sheets, pillow cases and duvet covers) •
- Men's, ladies and children's clothing •

# FMS Loose Change Challenge!

We have made a great start to the Loose Change Challenge! Each class including nursery has a 1 litre plastic bottle with a coin slot in it. If families have any loose change they can donate to school, the children can place it in their class bottle.

At the end of the month, the class with the largest cash amount will win a prize for their class, which will be a learning resource or a book. The bottles at the end of the month will be emptied and started again. The class who has collected the most over the challenge time, will also receive a special class prize! Please read the FMS newsletter that was emailed earlier this week for more information on events and the amount raised so far.

# Dates for your Diary – Spring Term 2020

12 <sup>th</sup> February - evening	Young voices concert in school (children to arrive 5.45pm for a 6pm start)	
14 <sup>th</sup> February 1.30pm	FMS (PTFA) Easter Bingo planning meeting	
5 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day. Come dressed as a character from a book	
	Special 'World Book Day' Lunch, (details to follow)	
6 <sup>th</sup> March	Y5 Harry Potter Trip	
17 <sup>th</sup> /18 <sup>th</sup> /19 <sup>th</sup> March	Mother's Day lunches, (details to follow)	
20 <sup>th</sup> March	Non-uniform day for Easter Bingo donations	
27 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter Bingo evening	
2 <sup>nd</sup> April	Easter Bake off and cake sale	

# **Term Dates**

Friday 14th February 2020 at 3.15pm	
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> February – Friday 21st February 2020	
Monday 24th February 2020	
Friday 3rd April 2020 at 2.00pm	
Monday 20th April 2020	
Friday 8th May 2020 <b>(Please note change of date from Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May)</b>	
Friday 22nd May 2020 at 3.15pm	
Monday 25th May – Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2020	
Thursday 4th June 2020	
Friday 17th July 2020 at 2.00pm	
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2020	
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October 2020 at 3.15pm	

Mid Term Closure Re-open on School closes on

#### SPRING TERM 2021

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#### SUMMER TERM 2021

Re-open on May Day Closure School closes on Mid Term Closure School reopens on School closes on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October – Friday 30th October 2020 Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2020 Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2020 at 2.00pm

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2021 Friday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2021 at 3.15pm Monday 15<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 19 February 2021 Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2021 Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2021 at 2.00pm

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2021 Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2021 Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2021 at 3.15pm Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May – Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2021 Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2021 Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July 2021 at 2.00pm