



Canon Burrows Friday News



Canon Burrows C of E Primary School, Oldham Road, Ashton-Under-Lyne

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Welcome Back

We are so pleased to see all the children back in school this week; we have missed them all a great deal. Thank you to all of our parents and carers for the brilliant job they have done, ensuring their children have continued to learn via Google Classroom, while we have been out of school. Thank you to all the teachers and support staff for all of their hard work in providing exciting lessons for the children at home and continuing to support all of our children and their families.

Next week is RE Week. We would love all the children to come into school on Monday (15th March) dressed in a colour of the rainbow. During the week the children will be taking part in learning and activities based around the story of Noah's Ark.



We would also like to welcome our new nursery children in their first full week at school. We hope they have enjoyed meeting new friends as they start their Canon Burrows journey.

Reminder

All children should be in school on Monday 29th of March. This is the last day of this half-term before we break up for Easter.



This week's recipients of our my Happy mind awards are:

- Character Strength - Ya (Y3)
- Character Strength - Kyle (Y3)
- Character Strength - Siann (Y6)

School have received some information from Greater Manchester Police about a suspicious male in the local area. We have been asked to make parents and carers aware and request that you speak to your child/ren about stranger danger. School will of course be reinforcing stranger danger to the children in school.

Issues around not following government guidance:

As you will appreciate staff and parents who send their children to school are trusting that everyone else coming into school are following the strict guidance around national restrictions and not mixing with other households. If there is evidence on social media that these restrictions are being broken or if the children are telling us they are visiting family and friends, attending birthday parties or going for tea at someone else's house outside of their bubble then obviously staff and other parents are going to be genuinely concerned. Please do not be offended if you are asked about these concerns. We are purely trying to keep everyone as safe as they possibly can be. School may choose to ask that your child isolated for a period of 10 days if they have mixed with other bubbles.

Attendance Award

Miss Drake's Class

Tidy Cloakroom Award

Miss Bardsley's Class

Citizen of the week

Joseph, Year 6

For being a wonderfully supportive friend

This week we have shown our Christian value of **courage**.

Basic to Christian faith is the claim that God is always present in every situation. This belief has led to great acts of courage that have included facing danger and opposition, overcoming fear, making a stand for what is right and encouraging others to persevere. Through prayer people have found the strength to help them to be courageous.

Being back in school together on Monday brought a lot of mixed feelings for everyone; although we were so excited to be back together, it also caused some nerves and anxiety. However, we all showed lots of bravery and courage when coming back into school and have settled back into the classroom quickly. We are all looking forward to some exciting learning over the next few weeks.



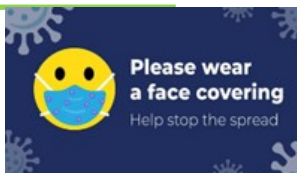
**PETS AS
THERAPY**

We are pleased to welcome Bertie back into school this week and know that his work as a therapy dog supports some children in school with their emotional wellbeing and behaviour. We would like to assure parents that Bertie has a full Risk Assessment in place and is approved to work in the school through the Pets As Therapy (PAT) initiative.

School drop off & pick up

Thank you for your continued patience and support with regards to dropping off & collecting the children from school. Please can you ensure you are following the guidance below.

- Please adhere strictly to your drop off & collection times and do not loiter outside the gates.
- Maintain social distancing at all times during drop off & pick up
- We kindly ask that parents/carers wear face coverings when they drop off & pick up their children
- Please do not park on the school or vets car park when dropping off or collecting your children.



BREAKFAST CLUB

Breakfast Club has now reopened. It is open from 8am and there is a cost of £4 per session.

The children are provided with a healthy breakfast and games and crafts to do in their year group/class bubbles. If you would like a place for your child please contact Mrs Lees in the office via the admin email.



We are hoping to create some artwork using plastic bottle tops during Arts Week later this year. Please could parents/carers collect plastic bottle tops and send them into school.

Thank you.

We are delighted to see so many children and parents enjoying the spring weather and walking to school – supporting your wellbeing and mental health as well as the Environment. The walk to school is a great opportunity to also walk the dog and enjoy some quality time together. We ask that if you choose to walk your dog to school, you ensure that they do not come onto the school premises including the school car park.



Please do not send children into school if they are waiting for Covid-19 test results or if they have symptoms of Covid-19 (cough, temperature, loss of taste or smell); take them for a Covid-19 test.

Please inform school if you have tested positive for Covid-19 or are waiting for test results.

From the Office

Please could all parents/carers make sure that they are checking emails regularly and check that notifications are turned on, on their SchoolComms App. We are sending out lots of electronic communication at the moment and we don't want you to miss any important messages.

Contact details for the school office:
admin@canonburrows.co.uk
0161 330 4755



Easter Holiday Camp

Canon Burrows Primary School, Oldham Road, Ashton-under-Lyne, OL7 9ND

Tuesday 29th March - Thursday 1st April

Tuesday 6th April - Friday 9th April

Ages 5 - 11

9:00am - 3:15pm (Times may vary slightly)

Come along to make new friends, learn new skills and have hours of fun!

Week 1 (3 days) - £40 / Week 2 (4 days) - £50

**Sibling discount applies *Book & pay before 22/3 for £5 discount*

Each child will take part in an Easter Egg hunt and receive an egg!



Activities

Dodgeball, Tri-Golf, Football, Multi-skills, Table-Tennis, Basketball, Netball, Yoga, Cricket, Curling & many more!

All coaches DBS checked - Social Distancing Guidelines adhered too - First Aider on site

All coaches suitably qualified

To book contact Ben on 07775674785