St Peter's Eaton Square C of E Weekly News

Friday 6th November

Service. Love. Hope. Forgiveness. Faith. Wisdom

Headteacher's note

Service

Dear Parents and carers,

We have had a great first week back! It has been lovely to welcome all the children back after the half-term break and see them enjoying their learning and catching up with friends.

Unfortunately, our indoor play space was not completed during the break as planned. We have been assured that it will be finished by the end of next week, and we look forward to inviting parents and carers to a special viewing and official opening. Further details will follow soon.

Our school value this half-term is Service. In the lead-up to Christmas, we will be exploring how we can put this into practice through acts of kindness, helping others and giving our time to support our school and wider community.!

Have a lovely weekend, everyone,

Mrs Carrington

Attendance and **punctuality** are crucial for the children's progress and wellbeing at school. Many thanks for all your support and efforts. Please ensure that your children are arriving to school on time. Remember our gates close at 8:55am

This week's winners are 6 Parliament with 100%! Well done

The class with the lowest attendance is: 3 Victoria with 89.5%

This week's overall attendance is below our target of 96% with 93.8%

Celebration Awards

Awards this week go to...

EYFS SUPERSTARS: Amelia & Sophia

Keen Learners

Y1	Oka
Y2	Sasha
Y3	Azaliah
Y4	Elizabeth
Y5	Fadi
Y6	Adnan

Wonderful Writer

Y1	Tamara
Y2	Aelle
Y3	Charlee
Y4	Luna
Y5	Esi
Y6	Michelle

HOUSE POINTS

MATTHEW 747	**MARK 740**
LUKE 802	**JOHN 674**

Most points in KS1	Most Points in KS2
Nyla-Mae	Ahmad

Upcoming Dates & Events

Wednesday 11th November: Remembrance, 1 minute silence @ 11am
Monday 16th November: Odd Socks day
Friday 20th November: PTA Event- Neon dress up day
Your children can dress up in Neon colours to raise money that will be put towards reducing the cost of school trips. Please donate via the QR codes Target- £2000
*Key dates document is subject to change

Article 38

Governments must not allow children under the age of 15 to take part in war or join the armed forces. Governments must do everything they can to protect and care for children affected by war and armed conflicts.

Q. Why is it important to remember and commemorate those who have fought in wars?

Prayer of the week

Everlasting Lord,

We pray that people will have a place to feel welcome; we hope that God can help to give people faith in their every step. We thank you for giving us a place to pray. We also thank you for St Peter's Church and all the other churches. Lastly, thank you for letting everyone belong in once place.

Greetings from St Peter's Church

From Fr Jonathan - Vicar of St Peter's Church and Chair of Governors

Dear parents and carers,

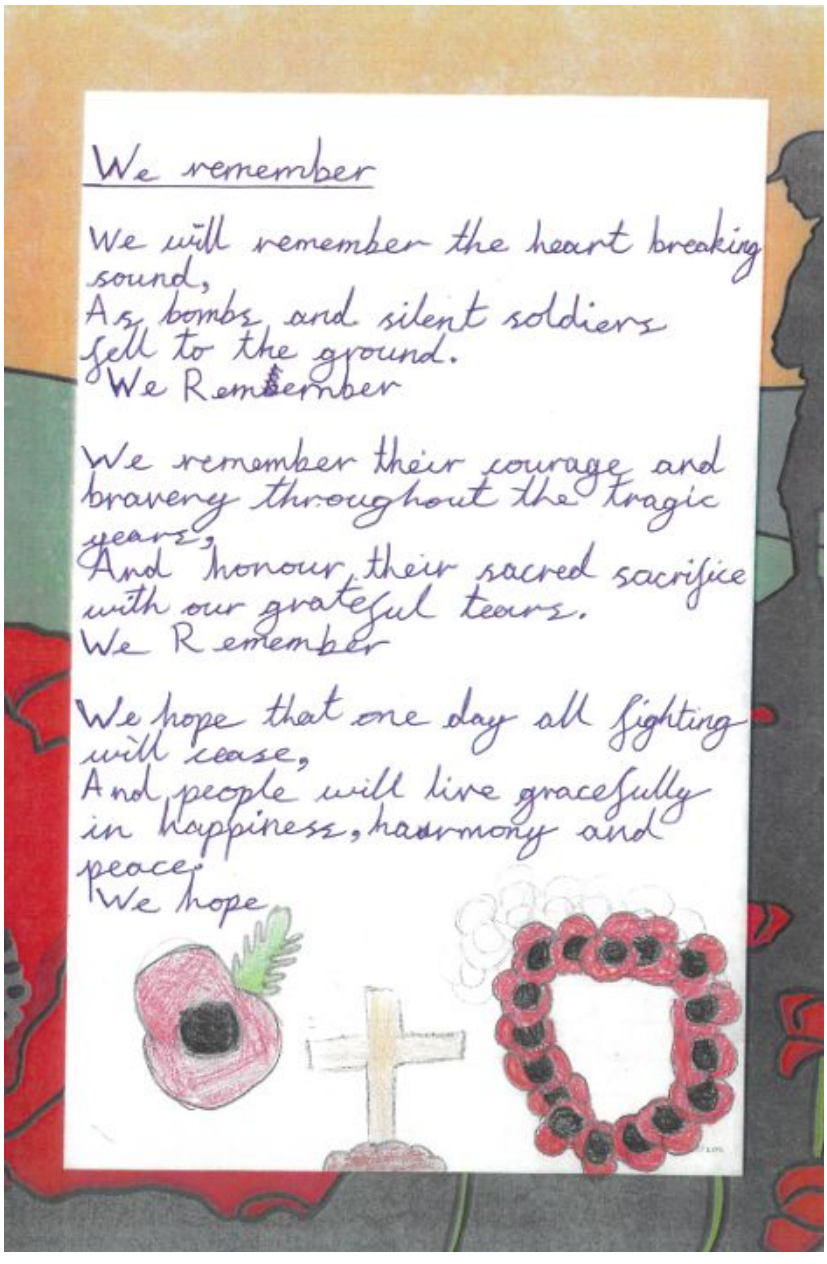
It was lovely to celebrate the great festival of All Saints with the children at School Mass this week and to explore how "Halloween" is a word which literally means the eve of All Hallows (or All Saints Day). We learnt how in the lives of the saints we see the absolute goodness, light and love of God shining through in the midst of the darkness of the world.

This coming Sunday is Remembrance Sunday when we remember and give thanks for all those who gave their lives in word wars and military conflicts so that we might live in liberty and peace. Our services are at their usual times and you are warmly welcome at everything we do at St Peter's Church, especially our 0930 Family Eucharist which this coming Sunday will be followed by our act of remembrance and the laying of wreaths in the church grounds near the memorial bench. It would be lovely if you could join us.

CLASS SPOTLIGHT

YEAR 4

This week in year 4, we have been talking about Remembrance. We have explored poems about Remembrance, looking closely at John McCrae's, *Flanders Fields.* Looking at the poem, we have identified different ways the poet had made us connect to the poem, through vocabulary, imagery and rhyme. Inspired by the poppy, we have learned about the 4 different coloured poppies and their meanings to write some alliterative sentences. Deepening our understanding of rhyme in poetry, we've used vocabulary words from the poem to brainstorm relative rhyming words, to help us create couplets about Remembrance.



We remember

We will remember the heart breaking sound,
As, bombs and silent soldiers fell to the ground.
We Remember

We remember their courage and bravery throughout the tragic years,
And honour their sacred sacrifice with our grateful tears.
We Remember

We hope that one day all fighting will cease,
And people will live gracefully in happiness, harmony and peace.
We hope

SHOES

We would like to let you know that children are required to remove their shoes when using the climbing wall in the new play space. This has unfortunately resulted in shoes being mixed up.

To help prevent this happening again, please could you ensure your child's name is written inside their shoes.