



Pott Shrigley Church School

Church of England Aided Primary

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*"Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other,
just as in Christ, God forgave you"
Ephesians 4:32*

Dear parents

I thought that I would simply try to offer some words of comfort this week considering our current situation in another national lockdown.

Your children have had a great week and they are well and happy in school aside from the usual bumps and scrapes. We have engaged a lady called Jackie who works for the Kickstart team to work in a pastoral role with some of the younger children and deliver some sessions aimed at building up children's confidence, independence and resilience. More details to follow.

I would like to share a prayer with you and, even if you do not consider yourself a Christian, the words might encourage you in these difficult times.

Lord,

Grant us your strength, so we will have courage in every situation;

Grant us your love, so we may love others as you love us;

Grant us your knowledge, so we will show others the path to wisdom;

Grant us your mercy, so we will forgive those who have hurt us;

Grant us your peace, so we will find the best in everybody;

Grant us your hope, so we will never give up;

Grant us your joy, so we will be thankful for all our blessings;

Grant us your kindness, so we will treat others as they want to be treated;

And Grant us your grace, so you will always be at our side.

Help us to overcome the hurdles we will face and to experience joy alongside the struggles.

We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord,

Amen

If you need any help from us, please do ask.

Whilst we can't attend our planned Friday afternoon sessions at Substation, the children have had a mindful afternoon preparing the school gardens for planting, child-focused yoga sessions and Lego challenges.



Finally I'd like to say a huge thank you for the donations of Sponsored Walk money, we have raised an incredible £656 – a huge thank you to all of the walkers and the PTA for the route plan and organisation. A special thank you to our wonderful Chair of Governors, Sally for joining us on the walk and sponsoring each child £1.

Enjoy the weekend and stay safe.

Kind Regards

Joanne Bromley

Dates for next week:

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| Monday 9th November | - | Front Row Music Lessons |
| Wednesday 11th November | - | Remembrance Day |
| Thursday 12th November | - | Kickstart PE Lessons |
| | - | After School Club – Kickstart |
| Friday 13th November | - | Yoga & Gardening (P.E. Kit, wellies, warm coat) |
| Sunday 15th November | - | Family Service St Christopher's Church (Virtual) |