



## Sherborne Abbey CE Primary School-Newsletter - January 2019

These newsletters are sent by email every month and put on the school website.

[www.sherborneabbey.dorset.sch.uk](http://www.sherborneabbey.dorset.sch.uk)

Our Collective Worship theme this half term is  
Courage

### Hot School Meals

Please remember to book your child's Hot School Meals and any sessions for the Breakfast or After School Club in plenty of time. Contact us if you think your child may be entitled to Free School Meals.

### Children on site

Children should not be on site before 8.45 am. This week we had 15 children left unaccompanied at 8.30 am. Breakfast Club is available from 8.00am every morning if needed.

### Stay and Play Club

This runs from 3.20 until 4.20pm and from 4.20-5.15pm. Any parents collecting after 5.15pm will be charged a **late pick up fee** of £5 per 15 mins, as staff are only employed for these hours. Bookings will close at 1pm lunchtime on Friday for the following week. Whilst we are happy to help with late bookings - please can we remind parents to log in and **PAY** for these as soon as possible.

### READING!

Every primary age child should be reading with an adult every night. Parents should be fostering a love of books and reading with their child. We will be setting up our 'Story Shed' soon, and you can still donate books in good condition.

### Gadgets in School

Please can we remind parents that children should NOT be bringing expensive gadgets to school. We cannot allow pupils to have personal items that can record or take photographs in school, and we cannot take responsibility for loss or damage.

### Parents Evening

Week commencing 11<sup>th</sup> February we will be holding Parents Appointments after school. Appointment booking sheets will be displayed on your child's classroom door from Monday 4<sup>th</sup> February.

### Christmas Fundraising

Thank you for your generous donations to our Christingle Collection. We raised £256.46. Your generosity for the Christmas Jumper Day raised another £232.55 for Save the Children.

### Peter Pan

On January 31<sup>st</sup> a professional theatre company are bringing their production of Peter Pan for the whole school to enjoy. We can only continue to arrange these visits with your support, so we would like a donation of £2 per child. Please bring your contribution in an envelope marked with your child(ren's) name(s) to the school office by Monday 28<sup>th</sup> January. Thank you.

### Winter Weather

In the event of bad weather or other circumstances that may cause us to close the school, you will be notified by TEXT. Please also check the school website, which will display a message.

### Term Dates

The Spring half term break is from Monday 18<sup>th</sup> to Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February. We also have an **INSET** day on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February.

### Nurse -Parent Drop-In

The School Nurse will be here for a Parent drop-in session on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February from 3pm

### Class Assemblies

Please see reverse for dates

