



'Growing together at the Heart of God's Community'

22nd May 2020 - Our "Value for life" is Humility

Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Ephesians 4:2



Head Teacher's Hello

Oh my goodness what a week! If I looked in the dictionary to see how patience is described, it would say: **the capacity to accept or tolerate delay, problems, or suffering without becoming annoyed or anxious**. We are all having to be patient, patient with regards to overcoming the virus, patience to be with our close family, patience for waiting for more familiar times to come.

I just want to say to you all **thank you** for your continued patience as you wait to hear what arrangements our school can make to return some of our children to school. May I implore that you continue to bear with us, it is likely that I will have all the plans available and to you for Thursday 28th of May. I know this is our school holidays but want to get the information to you as quickly as possible.

My "go to" pearls of wisdom are not only from the bible BUT also Winnie the Pooh...

"If the person you are talking to does not appear to be listening, be patient. It may simply be that he has a small piece of fluff in this ear."

- Winnie-the-Pooh by A.A Milne



As a school I hope you know, we are listening and really appreciate the patience shown.
Mrs Mowbray.

The government have produced updated guidance for parents in primary schools, please take the opportunity to have a look.

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/help-primary-school-children-continue-their-education-during-coronavirus-covid-19>



High School:

Dear Parents/carers and Children,

Culcheth High School have sent all parents details of how they are trying to ensure transition to school for our year 6 children still remains a priority for them. See below:

We have created a Google Account for all the Year 6 students and have posted the login details to all parents/carers. We are using this account to email parents/carers key information and forms that we need parents to complete and return. The Google Account also means that all Year 6 students have been added to a Transition Google Classroom, which we are using to share the information about the school that we would ordinarily cover when we visit the students at their primary school. Instructions on how to use the Google Account, including how to access G-Mail and Google Classroom, have been sent to parents and carers and we are pleased with the number of Year 6 students that are engaging with the Google Classroom.

We realised that it is a particularly difficult time for Year 6 students and so we are doing our best to provide them with guidance and support ready for them to start at Culcheth High School in September.

As more information comes in we will ensure you receive it. You are all in our thoughts - Keep safe. Mrs. Mowbray

Vacancy – Apprentice EYFS Teaching Assistant

We have a vacancy for Apprentice Teaching Assistant to join our Early Years Unit.

Anyone interested can find details on our website or can contact the school office on glazeburypprimary@ldst.org.uk for more details about the position and how to apply.



Mental Health Awareness Week runs from 18th to 24th May 2020, it is the UK's national week to raise awareness of mental health and mental health problems and inspire action to promote the message of good mental health for all. This year the theme is kindness, we have seen a lot of change and uncertainty this year and looking after and taking care of each other and ourselves is very important especially for our mental wellbeing. Keep safe, be kind.



TOP 5 Glazebury website recommendations this week:

At number one this week are: www.thenationalacademy.uk This is oak academy on-line lessons. They are really interesting.

Coming in closely at number two: www.bbc.co.uk The bitesize lessons are brilliant and some are TV programmes too.

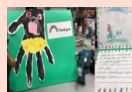
Number 3: this week: [#](http://redcross.org.uk/get-involved/teaching-resources/kindness-calendar#) Here the power of kindness calendar helps children and young people learn about and carry out kind acts. There are different sets of kindness activities for primary school children.

Number 4: www.wizardingworld.co.uk Yes Harry Potter is here!

and finally at number 5: www.sesamestreet.org You can't beat a bit of Elmo and Bert and Ernie - lots of educational games and stories for all.



Wind chimes - Thank you all for sending in pictures of your amazing wind chimes. They are fantastic and very creative, we will be putting them on our website for all to see.

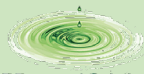


'Thanks to the pupils at Glazebury Cof E Primary School who sent us this charming little card.' - from Culcheth, Glazebury and Croft Police.

'Thank you to Glazebury primary for the lovely card sent to Well Pharmacy. Really made our day' - from Well Pharmacy



On-line Safety - The Internet is now a daily part of life for our children and it is important that they are educated about how to keep safe. Just a few simple steps by you can help keep them safe and give them the awareness to know what to do if they feel uncomfortable about anything they encounter. You can visit our website to find out information on how to keep your children safe.



ADDvanced Solutions
Community Network
Supporting you to find the answers

ADDvanced Solutions Community Network has a new online offer to support children, young people, families and professionals. They are offering a number of different support options please see the leaflet and full details attached. You can also find a copy under our new Keeping Mentally Healthy tab on our website where there are useful contact numbers and under our Anxiety and Worries tab you will find information and resources on how to support children's mental wellbeing during this difficult period.



LET THE SUN COME IN

When we open our windows, we don't have to invite, ask or beg the fresh air to come in.

When we open the curtains in the morning we don't have to ask the sun to shine in.

We simply open the window and the air flows in.

We open the curtain and the sun shines in.

The Bible tells us that it's like that with God's peace.

It will flow into our hearts if we open our heart to Him, just as we open a window or the curtains.

Are you anxious today?

Are you worried?

What's troubling you today?

Don't try to work it all out by yourself.

Let God's peace flow in ... like the sunshine pours into a dark room when the curtains are opened.



NSPCC and O2 Keep Kids Safe

We are all spending more time on line with the current lock down restrictions and social distancing measures that are currently in place and children are no exception, from completing school work to socialising with friends. With that in mind, NSPCC and O2 have joined forces to deliver a webinar for parents, offering advice and guidance on keeping our kids safe on line. The webinar will run on Saturdays between 9am and 9pm. See the document below that the NSPCC have shared with us for details of how you can register. You can also see all the details on our school website.



STAFF VOICE – Here are some jokes to make you smile!

Why is 6 scared of 7?

Because 7 ate 9!

From Mrs Bolton

Where do cows go on a Friday night?

To the moo-vies!

From Mrs wall

Why did the teacher put on sunglasses?

Because the pupils were so bright!

From Mrs Holcroft

Teacher asked why the pupil ate his homework.

Because he didn't have a dog!

From Mrs. Foster

Why do we never tell jokes about pizza?

Because they are too cheesy!

From Mrs H Smith

Why did the music teacher need a ladder?

To reach the high notes!

From Mrs Porter

Why did the banana go to the doctors?

Because he wasn't peeling well!

From Mrs Bradbury

How do you get a Pikachu on a bus?

You poke them on!

From Mrs Prescott

What is a ghost's favourite football position?

Goalkeeper!

From Mr Snelson

Why do sharks swim in salt water?

Because pepper water makes them sneeze!

From Mrs Cunningham

Why did the pupil eat his homework?

Because the teacher told him it was a piece of cake!

From Miss C Smith

What is black and white and red all over?

A sunburnt zebra... I bet you thought it was a newspaper LOL!

From Mrs Mowbray

Why do the French only use one egg in their omelettes?

Because in French one egg is un oeuf (un oeuf) = one egg

From Mrs Buckley

Why was the maths book so sad?

Because it had so many problems!

From Mrs Gaman