



Parent Newsletter

Friday 12th February 2021

Dear Parents,

Our Christian Value this half term is:

Perseverance

As Christians, we believe that God is always with us through every challenge we face in our lives.

We read in the bible: Let us run with perseverance the race that lies before us. Let us keep our eyes fixed on Jesus, on whom our faith depends from beginning to end.

Hebrews 12 1-2

In our prayers, we can ask God to help us if we feel worried about facing a new challenge

Celebrating our children:



What Would Jesus Do Awards:

Honey Bees: Mason for showing care and love sending in a card for all the teachers.

Discovery: River for showing the Christian Value of wisdom through his home learning - he is really showing us what he can do!

Atlantis: Summer- for showing the Christian Value of Thankfulness when making a jar filled with all the things she is grateful for.

Enterprise: Freddie - Being a fantastic friend, showing compassion and kindness.

Endeavour: Theo: Perseverance – trying hard with all his pieces of work and showing a great Growth Mindset to keep trying hard.



Atlantis- Leah

Enterprise- Leo, Maddie

Endeavour- Theo and Josh for smashing their best times this week and coming first in a festival battle.

Stars of the week this week:



Honey Bees- Freya, for reading a beautiful story to Bella.

Discovery Class- Tom for getting stuck into our zoom meetings like a

little star!

Sofia for her AMAZING effort and enthusiasm with her home learning. She is doing a wonderful job.

Atlantis Class- Hallie for such excellent work writing her instructions. Hallie recognised the features of this text type and included all of them in her writing.

Stanley- for effort and enthusiasm during our live zoom sessions. He is always focussed, concentrating and contributing

Thomas - Super work when writing his instructions. Thomas showed great understanding of the features needed for instructions.

Joe - Worked incredibly hard when dividing by 2 and 5. Joe used his times tables to help him answer some tricky division calculations.

Enterprise Class- Harry - Excellent explaining work in Maths.

Leo - Using great vocabulary in his Debate writing.

Bobbi - Always giving 100% in all her work.

Emily - Being fantastic in all her activities this week in hub.

Endeavour Class: Jacob – going for it in all our live Zooms and becoming more and more confident to share his answers in the chat.

Evie – Being a maths whizz dividing fractions and sharing her answers with the group on Zoom.

Jake– Mature and brave responses on the Zoom when being put on the spot. Sharing his answers brilliantly.

Adam– Working hard in every lesson and giving his all to each piece of work.

Well done everyone.

Online Safety:

Key Stage 1: We talked about what we liked doing on our tablets/ipads/phones. We like playing Obb and Bob (phonics play), going on YouTube, practising words, playing games, seeing each other on daily Zooms and school work #JanuaryLockdown. We listened to a story of Smartie the penguin. Then we talked about what to do if we saw things which we weren't expecting on our devices. We were superstars and knew that we should tell a grown-up we TRUST. The children were so confident at sharing their advice.



Atlantis: On Safer Internet day we looked at “trust”. We discussed what trust means and looked at different synonyms’ for trust. We then listened to an amazing story about researching online and how sometimes the information on the internet can be put there to try and trick us and we need to broaden our research and look at alternative ways to find information out.



Enterprise: For internet safety Enterprise class explored who we can trust online. We know it is easy to see who to trust in real life but online it becomes tricky and we need clues to help us. We learnt tips to help us be E-Safety Sleuths before using these skills to help Miss Topping decide if an iPad advert was too good to be true!

Endeavour: George-‘We learnt that anyone who posts online always has a motive. This motive could be innocent or could be with intent. We learnt all about key terms for hidden online selling that we might see in the Tiktoks or YouTube videos we watch. We learnt to always ask what the motive of the post is before we comment or act.

Parents Comments:

- ‘Hats off to you guys – you are doing an amazing job.’
- ‘I don’t know how you are doing it – but you are.’
- ‘I love how you can watch the Zooms again – it makes learning so clear.’
- ‘Thank you for all that you do.’
- ‘Thankyou so much for such a supportive reply. We will get there.’
- ‘Great idea, the girls loved it.’
- ‘We have loved doing the yoga this afternoon! A

great opportunity for us both to have a break from teaching / learning!’
 ‘Thanks for everything this half term. My child is thriving even in these strange times so you’re doing a great job. Hope you manage to rest and recuperate over the holiday.’

E Safety Tips:

Community Events:

FOHSM: Half Term Letter hunt. Follow the questions below around the village. Competition starts Sunday 14th Feb and finishes Friday 19th Feb. To enter fill out this quiz and work out the famous saying.

Forms are available on Dojo.

When complete please send photo of sheet by email, Facebook inbox, text or post through a PTFA member’s door. Contact Sarah on 07748151602, email friendsofhoole@gmail.com The draw will be done live on Friends of Hoole St Michael Facebook page on Sunday 21st and the winner will be contacted by phone. The prize is a jar of sweets from Confetti and Glitter.

Fairtrade Fortnight-22nd February to 7th March.



Children will be set Learning Challenges throughout these weeks. On Fridays, we will have a Tuck Shop selling Fairtrade items. Children who are not in school can purchase items using our honesty box outside school

between 9am and 3pm. More information will be available on Dojo.



HT FEB 15-19TH
HOOLE ST MICHAELS
SCHOOL 7.45AM - 5.15PM
WE'LL HAVE TWO
BUBBLES & PROTECTIVE
MEASURES IN PLACE SO
THAT IT'S FUN, HAPPY &
SAFE!!
CONTACT ANNA TO BOOK
TEXT 07889040411 OR E
MAIL
THENESTHC@GMAIL.COM



St Michael's Church Worships:

Please visit the Church YouTube channel, by searching "St Michael's Church, Much Hoole" on YouTube.

ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH

THIS SUNDAY

**10.30 am join us for a Zoom Service
on line for all the family**

www.hooleparishchurch.com

Last week's Zoom Sunday Service pilot was a great success with nearly 50 people aged 5 to 90 and break out groups for the children with Liz.

Do come and join us this Sunday



FAMILY CHURCH
"Put on the whole armour of light"

PLEASE JOIN US FOR
LIGHT PARTY
SUNDAY 14th FEB. 2021
3.45 PM - on 'zoom'

Please email
lizboland@yahoo.co.uk
for more info / zoom link

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CRAFT / QUIZ
GLOW STICKS
BIBLE STORY
ALL WELCOME

Thank you for continuing to read our newsletter.
We hope it keeps you up to date with everything
going on at Hoole St Michael.