



Dear Parents and Carers,

It is at this time of year that I am usually showing prospective parents around our lovely school; this year is a little different. Please see below a request from our governing board for help in a special project that will increase awareness of the work we are so proud of here at St Andrew's Junior School.

Have a lovely weekend!

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<u>Help needed!</u>

Do you have any PR, marketing, film-making or similar experience? Would you be willing to help the school by printing marketing materials for free? Would you be able to donate some of your free time and expertise to benefit the school? If so, we are looking for a couple of people to help the school run a special project starting as soon as possible to get the school noticed. If this is of interest or if you would like more information then please get in touch with Mrs Michelle Chasmer by email M.Chasmer@hatfieldpeverel-jun.essex.sch.uk by 13th November.

Our Remote Learning Offer

I am sharing with you our remote learning plans- these will 'spring into action' should the school close, a bubble close or your child need to self-isolate!

Each week the class work for each year group is uploaded onto Google Classroom,

the content of this includes:

- Maths Maths Shed Power point slides and associated work.
- English and Reading- Power point slides and associated work.
 - Collective Worship links to be sent.
 - Foundation subjects and Topic work.

In the case that your child's bubble is at home or the whole school in closed:

There will be two pre-recorded lesson introductions to the English and Maths work each day. This will ensure that the instructions can be re-watched as many times as your child needs.

There will then be a daily Google Meet from 1:30-3:00 for the teachers and children to interact and discuss the learning from the morning sessions allowing support, guidance and daily check-ins to be in place. We aim for the daily face-to-face contact to be with the class teacher- but should they be unwell it will be a known member of staff instead.

Please complete the attached Google form which is a survey of each family's access to IT equipment.

https://forms.gle/8VsxUM3TsJr8eXMe7







Thank you for all the amazing donations, vou raised £217.61!!



COOKIES THAT COUNT

Thank you to those of you that order Halloween cookies over

the half term, we raised £31.49 simply by you enjoying some treats!!

Watch out for the Christmas Cookies coming soon!



1000 MILE CHALLENGE

A massive thank you to all the children who took part in the challenge, your hard work is greatly appreciated!

Sponsorship is still coming through but we

already have raised over £900!

We are overjoyed with the generosity of families and friends of those at St Andrews.







Have a wardrobe tidy and raise money for the school!!

We now have a recycling bin behind the shed in our school driveway for old clothes, towels, sheets, blankets, shoes and sleeping bags.

The school receives money for every item donated.





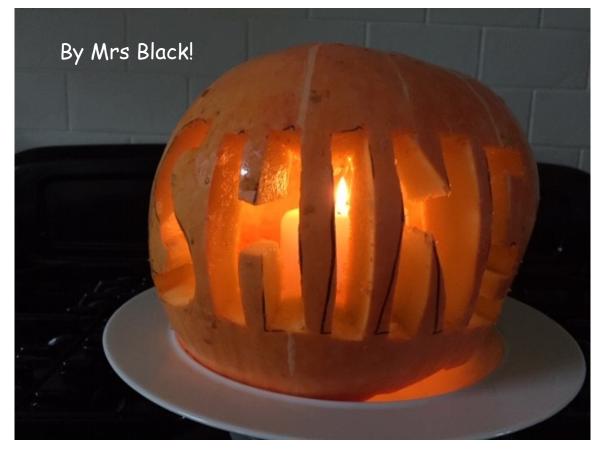
By Amelie in Year 6



PUMPKIN CARVING FUN









SPOTLIGHT on: YEAR THREE Apple and Birch Base

Year 3 have enjoyed the start to their outdoor and adventurous PE this week.

The focus has been on teamwork and communication skills, and some children got house-points for their clear communication; we saw them shining.

First, the children created human chain 'dragons' with rugby tags for tails. The aim was to keep the 'dragon' together, and steal other dragon's tails! Some teams were more successful than others at keeping their team together.

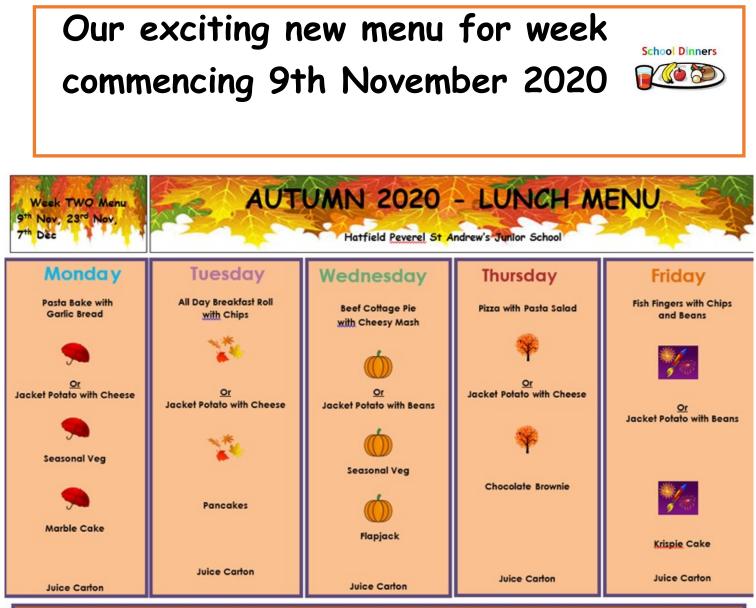
Everyone then needed to work on their strategic thinking to work out how to get their whole team through a hula hoop in the fastest time. There were lots of different strategies, but the fastest team managed to get a team of five through in 3 seconds.

Finally, they had to co-ordinate their team to carry a PE mat around the field. There were lots of problems to overcome, including height differences and different speeds of running. The most successful teams discussed their strategy before they started, and demonstrated resilience when they dropped their mat.

We look forward to some more muddy fun next week! There are more photographs and a video on Google Classroom for Year 3 parents to see, so please log in and take a look.





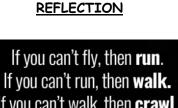


Thank you for supporting us by having a school meal. Please be assured for your peace of mind – all allergens are catered for.

Thank you to all those families who support the school by purchasing lunch for their children. It really helps the school!

Any money raised from catering is spent on the education of the children.

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If you can't run, then **walk**. If you can't walk, then **crawl**, but by all means, **keep moving**.

- Martin Luther King Jr.

Illustration by Charlie Mackesy

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Wishing a very **Happy Birthday** to the children who celebrate their birthdays

2nd November -8th November

Dylan, Otto, Sienna, Jack,



We would like to welcome Mrs Griffin to St Andrew's Junior school. She is working within our Year Three team and is based in Birch Base.







Let Your Light Shine

The children who have SHONE this week are: Tommy, Matilda, Josh, Leo, Nicole, Isabelle, Hannah and Finlay.

WELL DONE!!



