

## Message from Ms Iwanicki

Dear Parents and Carers,

What an exciting week we have had here at St Luke's. On Monday the children got to explore their new playground. Although there are still a few 'tweaks' to be made we have all enjoyed using our new space and playing outside again. Whilst we wait for the final work to be done we ask that parents continue to pick up at 3:30 from the class rooms.



On Thursday our school governors came into school to have breakfast with the staff. It was a great opportunity to meet the team and a fantastic start to the day. Thank you to all of our governors for their continued hard work. On a final note I would like to thank all of the children who entered our calligram competition. It is going to be a difficult decision to choose just one winner for each of our values, so I have enlisted the help of our Chair of Governors, Chris Somorjay. Winners will be announced next week.

Wishing you all a restful weekend,

Jo Iwanicki  
Head of School

*Isaiah 49:13 Shout for joy, you heavens; rejoice, you earth; burst into song, you mountains! For the LORD comforts his people and will have compassion on his afflicted ones.*

## Spring Class



This week in Spring class we celebrated Chinese New Year. We made Chinese lanterns; dragons using 2D shapes and even ate different types of Chinese noodles! We used great descriptive words for the noodles like 'spicy', 'sour' and 'smooth'. We also explored our brand new playground! We had lots of fun playing in the sand pit and using the musical instruments.



## Summer Class



This week we started to read an alternative version to the Three Little Pigs called 'The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig'. We are starting to plan our own version of The Three Little Pigs and had to brainstorm materials that might be suitable to build houses with. In mathematics we have been learning about adding money together and how to calculate change when purchasing items.



## Autumn Class



This week we have become authors and have been writing our own legends, we've been specifically focusing on descriptive language and speech. In Maths we have been rounding decimals and money and also our 3 times tables. (Counting the 3 leaves on a parsley branch to help us!). In Science we have been considering which materials can and can't be recycled. In Dance we performed a sequence inspired by earthquakes.



## Winter Class



This week Winter Class have been busy learning about Shackleton's journey to Antarctica. We have been using a thesaurus to improve our vocabulary choices when writing descriptions of Antarctica. In maths, we have been trying some tricky conversions of measurement including imperial measures. We have also explored Mexico in topic lessons and created a map of this stunning country.



# Golden Book

## Spring Class

**Leena** for your excellent 2D shape Chinese Dragon!

**Oriana** for your enthusiastic attitude when trying new skills in PE.

## Summer Class

**Yara** for your wonderful compound sentences about The Three Little Pigs.

**Iliana** for your lovely writing about the Three Little Pigs.

## Autumn Class

**Finley** for his considerate answers when discussing how to look after our environment.

**Zeinab** for adding descriptive language in her writing.

## Winter Class

**Harry** for choosing powerful adjectives while writing a description of Antarctica.

**Rawan** for persevering with complex word problems on conversion.



## Maths Monkey!

**Spring Class Arhan** for your excellent work when finding different ways of showing and making six.

**Summer Class Lily** for your wonderful work with partitioning numbers.

**Autumn Class Ervis** for his skill at rounding decimals.

**Winter Class Ozzy** for his excellent effort when faced with challenging arithmetic questions.

**Dates for Diary – 2019-2020 term dates are on the school website. Additions are in blue; Changes are in red.**

### January

29<sup>th</sup> -Yr5 Dodgeball

31<sup>st</sup> - LDBS Service at St Paul's Cathedral

### February

4<sup>th</sup> - Summer class trip to see knitted bible

-Winter class trip to Brent Sikh Centre

-Parent reading forum

10<sup>th</sup> -Autumn class trip to Hampstead Heath

-Yr2 Football match at SLS

11<sup>th</sup> - Winter class Apollo music trip, Regent Hall.

17<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> - Half term

25<sup>th</sup> -Autumn visit to Willesden Hindu Temple

26<sup>th</sup> -Ash Wednesday Sharing Meal

28<sup>th</sup> -Reception trip to Kentish Town Farm

### March

2<sup>nd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> - Book Week including World Book Day

4<sup>th</sup> -Reception Parent forum in hall

5<sup>th</sup> - Summer Class Assembly

9<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> - Year 6 Residential Trip (PGL Osmington Bay)

10<sup>th</sup> -Choir to Royal Albert Hall

11<sup>th</sup> -9am Parent coffee morning in the church

12<sup>th</sup> - Autumn Class Assembly

19<sup>th</sup> - Spring Class Assembly

23<sup>rd</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> - Science Week

26<sup>th</sup> - Winter Class Assembly

### April

2<sup>nd</sup> - Easter Service and Easter Bonnets

3<sup>rd</sup> - End of term – 1.30pm finish

6<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> - Easter Holidays

20<sup>th</sup> - Start of Summer Term

# E-Safety



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