



East Lothian Council

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Parent/ Carer Update 27th November

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Head Teacher Target

Well done to the following children who won the Head Teacher Award this week for 'Following Jesus' Path'.

Primary 1 – Lacey
Primary 2/3 – Ruby
Primary 3/4 – Sophie C
Primary 4 – Leo
Primary 5/6 – Kesha
Primary 6 – Ellis
Primary 7 – Sophie M

The Head Teacher target for next week is to 'Be Respectful'.

Catholic Education Week

This week in school we have been celebrating Catholic Education Week with the theme of Jesus Christ; The Way, The Truth and The Life. Classes have undertaken different aspects of learning that they came together to share at our virtual assembly this morning. Have a look on our Twitter page @smartinsrcps to see some of the wonderful learning that has taken place.

Reporting to Parents

Last week you received a short written report progress report alongside access to your child's online MAT. Hopefully you will now all have had an opportunity to look through this with your child and

discuss their learning and next steps. Within your child's MAT there is a space for parent/ carer voice and we would ask that you email this directly to your child's class teacher to input. Additionally if you have any comments or questions about reporting this term then your feedback would be appreciated.

Social Distancing

It has been reassuring to see East Lothian move into tier 2 this week however I would like to remind everyone of the importance of continuing to be vigilant in the playground to ensure the safety of pupils, staff and families. Adults **must at all times** stay 2m apart from anyone out with their household and wear a face covering where medically able.

End of Term Treat

Unfortunately we won't be able to have our Christmas parties as normal this term however instead will be having a day of fun in the classrooms on Tuesday 22nd December. On this day the children will be able to come to school in their cosiest pyjamas where they will have a day filled with party games, Christmas crafts, films and of course a special sweet treat.

Christmas Gift Appeal

A reminder that we will be collecting gift donations on behalf of the Pennypit Trust in school on 11th December. Gifts can be for an adult or child but must be new. All of the gifts donated will be distributed to local families.

Wishing everyone a safe and relaxing weekend ahead.

Kind Regards,
Mrs Davies and all at St Martin's Primary