

Park Gate Primary School News

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Dear Parents and Carers

It was fantastic to see Maple Class featured on ITV Meridian. The second Year 6 CHOICES workshop took place on Thursday this week.

I would like to say a huge thank you to our House Captains, who have given up their evenings over the last two weeks to be part of our presentation and tours for the prospective new Year R families. They were fantastic!

Just a reminder for our Year 6 parents that we have a meeting regarding the Year 6 Tests on Monday 27th November at 6pm. Please come to reception.

Kind regards
Lindsay McCarthy
Headteacher

Open Classrooms

You are welcome to come into the classrooms on Wednesday 29th November from 3pm—4pm to view your child's work. Please enter through the outside classroom doors.

Welcome

Mission Christmas Update...

Due to your overwhelming generosity we have so far collected 127 gifts for Wave 105 Cash for Kids. We will continue to collect presents for children until 14th December. Thank you



Dressing for Winter

With the temperatures now dropping, please can children bring in coats, hats etc to keep them nice and warm outside.



Thank you for your Donations!

Thank you so much for all your lovely donations for the Christmas Fair. Your help and support is much appreciated.



Childcare Choices Campaign

The link below will take you to the Government website where you can find out about childcare support, including an eligibility checker.

Childcare
Choices

https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/?utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery

Congratulations to our Values Ambassadors of the Week!

It gives me great pleasure to announce our Values Ambassadors...

Willow Class – **Elodie**...*Aspiration*...having the most wonderful attitude towards her learning.

Chestnut Class – **Charlie**.....*Achievement & Resilience*...wowing everyone with his amazing phonics skills in his writing.

Apple Class – **Alice**...*Excellence*...being a superstar every single day!

Cherry Class – **Pippa**...*Excellence*...impressive effort that is put into all of her learning—a wonderful member of the class.

Lime Class – **Everyone!**...*Excellence & Partnership*...wow! What an amazing learning outcome, showing all your scientific knowledge!

Holly Class – **Everyone!**.....*All of the Values!*...being excellent Habitat Explorers, presenting their knowledge to all the visitors.

Silver Birch Class – **Amelia-Rose**...*Excellence*...using time conjunctions and imperative verbs in her board game instructions.

Cedar Class – **Jessica & Millie**...*Partnership*...working so collaboratively all week, making everyone so proud.

Yew Class – **Jessica B**...*All the Values*... always being hardworking, respectful, kind and awesome!

Hazel Class – **Bella**.....*All the Values*...being such a wonderful ambassador of The Park Gate Way.

Juniper Class – **Oliver & Joey** ...*Partnership & Resilience*....fantastic teamwork, producing writing of a great standard..

Sycamore Class – **Kurt & Emily**...*Partnership & Achievement*...fantastic partner work and performing with prosody.

Maple & Oak Classes – **Everyone** ...*All of the Values!*... For excellent participation in the Choices Programme. Everyone engaged in all of the challenging subject areas and were reflective in their responses.

Diary Dates

Saturday 25th November	Family Photo Shoot
Monday 27th November 6.00pm	Year 6 SATS Meeting for Parents
Wednesday 29th November 3.00pm—4.00pm	Open Classrooms for Parents
Thursday 30th November 7.00—9.30pm	Christmas Wreath Making
Friday 1st December	Year 3 Outdoor Learning Day (Wear old clothes)
Saturday 2nd December 11.00am—2.00pm	Christmas Fayre
Tuesday 5th December 2.00pm	Year 1 and 2 Christmas Show—Year 1 parents
Wednesday 6th December 9.30am	Year 1 and 2 Christmas Show—Year 2 parents
Wednesday 6th December	Year 6 Outdoor Learning Day (Wear old clothes)
Wednesday 6th December 2.00pm	Year R Nativity—Willow Class
Thursday 7th December 9.30am	Year R Nativity—Chestnut Class
Friday 8th December	Year 4 Outdoor Learning Day (Wear old clothes)
Monday 11th December 9.00am	Year 3 visit to St Johns Church
Monday 11th December 1.30-2.30pm	Tea, Cakes and Carols (for Grandparents of children in the choir and governors)
Tuesday 12th December 2.30pm	Cedar Class Listen 2 Me Concert for Parents
Tuesday 12th December 2.30pm	Year 6 Learning Outcome to Parents
Wednesday 13th December 9.30am	Beyond The Beat Concert for Parents
Wednesday 13th December 2.15pm	Year 5 Learning Outcome to Parents
Wednesday 13th December 6.00pm	Carol Service
Thursday 14th December	Year 5 Outdoor Learning Day (Wear old clothes)
Thursday 14th December 10.00am	Rock To The Beat Concert for Parents
Thursday 14th December KS1 4.00-5.00pm KS2 5.30-7.00pm	Christmas Disco
Thursday 14th December	Christmas Lunch Year 1, 2, 4 & 6
Friday 15th December	Christmas Lunch Year R, 3 & 5
Friday 15th December	Last Day of the Autumn Term

Further Day Closures for Staff Training

Friday 9th February 2024

Thursday 28th March 2024

Monday 3rd June 2024

