

# St Peter at Gowts C of E Primary School

## Fortnightly News Updates

### BRITISH VALUES DAY - 11TH NOVEMBER

On the 11th of November, the whole school will be having a focused day looking at British Values. This will incorporate the silence and reflect on the World Wars, remembering those that died to protect our freedom. As part of this, the children will be working in multi-age groups across the school according to which house they are in. They will be making wreaths to lay at the cenotaphs in town, as well as thinking about what is special about living in Britain, celebrating our diversity and freedom.

At the office there are poppies and some wrist bands and reflectors. These will be sold on a first come first served basis. Children can bring in their money any day this week and choose what they would like to buy. We hope lots of the children will wear their poppies with pride!

### CHILDREN IN NEED

This is coming around soon on **Friday 15th November**. Please look out for a separate letter. We will also be running an art competition to design a Pudsey bear and asking for a £1 donation to wear pyjamas or something Spotty on the day. Please note - Years 5 and 6 will be on a trip this day so for safety they must wear school uniform. They can wear spotty accessories though!



### CALLING ALL ADULTS WHO WANT HELP LEARNING ENGLISH!

We are delighted to continue being able to offer our 'Chatterbox' group, a group for parents who would like to practice their English speaking. It happens every Wednesday in the Learning Lodge at school at 9am. All adults are welcome, including other community members. We look forward to seeing many of you there.



### Years 1-6 NHS Flu

#### Vaccination

Please complete your form ASAP (online) if you would like your child to receive a flu vaccination free of charge this year during the school day.



### WORLD HELLO DAY

Please look out for the Parentmail about World Hello Day. This will be a really special day where the children learn different languages and learn about the importance of communicating and appreciating other countries and cultures.



### Uniform Expectations

There has been several occasions this week where children have been seen wearing non- school uniform. It is important we have high standards of uniform as this helps the children look and feel smart and orderly. All children should follow our policy, in particular -

- No nail polish
- Black smart shoes
- Stud earrings only

Thank you in advance for helping us keep up our high standards in this area.



### Talking Time -

LOVE

What does Love mean?



**1st November 2019**

### Dates for your diary:

- 4/11/19 - School photo orders to be returned
- 7/11/19 - NHS Fluenz Immunisation
- 11/11/19 - British Values Day
- 15/11/19 - Children in Need
- 15/11/19 - Y5/6 Visiting The Collection
- 21/11/19 - World Hello Day
- 26/11/19 - Reception Class Wonder Morning
- 6/12/19 - Christmas Fair
- 13/12/19 - Christmas Jumper Day
- 16/12/19 - Panto
- 18/12/19 - Christmas Party Day
- 19/12/19 - End of Term 2

