



St Paul's C/E Infant School
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Headteacher's Newsletter – 15th November 2019

Anti-Bullying Week

The children have enjoyed lots of activities this week which have helped them to think a lot more about what bullying is and what it is not. They have also had a particular focus on celebrating differences, kindness and respect.

Today all children have been given a special “change starts with us” band.

As you may know, we work closely with local schools and I am also pleased to send home a paper copy of our jointly produced leaflet.

Communication with Teachers

Please can I remind all parents that if they have any questions or concerns these should be taken up in the first stages with the class teacher.

Class teachers take the children into the playground at the end of the day and so parents can catch them there.

Messages can also be left on the whiteboard at the door in the mornings. (Teachers are not available at this time as they are “meeting and greeting” their class.

Parents can call the school before or after school times and if the teacher is not available a convenient time to talk can be arranged.

We have a facility to send a message to school via the website.

All teachers have email addresses which they will check at least once during their working day:-

Mrs Nicky Laxton – nlaxton@stpaulstongham.com

Mrs Caroline James – cjames@stpaulstongham.com

Mrs Jenny McGregor – jmcgregor@stpaulstongham.com

Miss Sally Avery – savery@stpaulstongham.com

Mrs Rachel Mason – rmason@stpaulstongham.com

Unfortunately this week we have had a number of difficulties and upsets caused due to a WhatsApp class group that had been set up. I do understand that these groups can be useful for parents to remind/ask questions of each other, for example, mufti-days and when the flu consent is due back, please can I ask parents to think very carefully about what is put on group chats where it involves other people and other children.

Nasal Flu Vaccinations

These are planned for Wednesday 11th December

Parents need to give consent by going to www.surreyimmunisations.co.uk Our school code is SR125148

Please ask at the office if you would like help with this or internet access