

Love Children Summer 1 Week 2 07/05/2021 Love Learning

Open Gates

School Value Focus: Sense of Belonging

Dear Parents,

Today we celebrate the caring and benevolent actions of Katie in Year 6 who has donated 12 inches of her recently cut hair to the Little Princess Trust. The Trust supports children going through cancer treatment by using donated hair to make wigs. Katie also raised £129 for the Trust through her actions. We are super proud of you Katie!



Parent consultations are a central aspect of our communication with you about your children's learning and well-being; I hope you were able to speak with your child's class teacher yesterday. The teachers value your support very much and if you were unable to attend yesterday please contact us so we can arrange a telephone appointment for you.

Please remember we are here for you and your children and if you need to talk, just call us at school 01827 213 855 or drop us an e mail- office@twogates.staffs.sch.uk

Keep safe and kind regards,

Nêst Llewelyn-Cook
Headteacher





As part of our personal development and well being curriculum, 2 PCSO's from Tamworth talked to the Year 6 children about knife crime and criminal behaviour and intent. See the 'Ditch the Blade' letter overleaf.





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Dear Parents/Carers,

Following our last letter to you during our Ditch the Blade campaign in autumn last year we wanted to get back in touch to remind you that you can still help. Everyone can make a difference in the fight against knife crime. It's really important that parents, carers and teachers continue having conversations about knife crime with children and young people so they understand the risks and consequences.

The Ditch the Blade campaign encourages young people not to carry knives and to instead choose a different path for their lives, one without the risk of prison, serious injury or death.

We have recently updated our dedicated #DitchtheBlade webpages on our website. It now contains specific help and advice for parents/carers, teachers and young people, and there are a range of useful resources including case studies, videos and podcasts. The podcasts aim to help parents and carers understand how they can talk to children about knife crime. You can hear from a parent with lived experience, as well as some of the agencies that help tackle the issue and work with young people on a day-to-day basis.

There is also information on who can help if you are worried about a child and think they are involved with knife crime. To view the webpages visit:
www.staffordshire.police.uk/ditchtheblade

We know that the overwhelming majority of young people will never be affected by knife crime but a conversation with your child will help us collectively make a difference.

Thank you for your continued support in this matter.

Best wishes,

Chief Inspector Rob Hessell
Knife Crime Lead, Staffordshire Police

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Bad Hair Day, raised
an amazing £248.50.
Some of the money
raised has been used to
develop the Forest
School Pond with new
plants and water snails.



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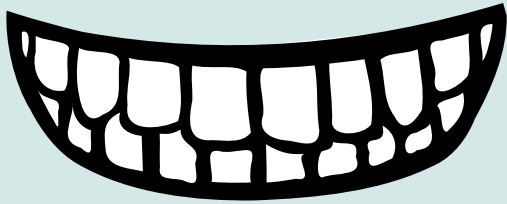
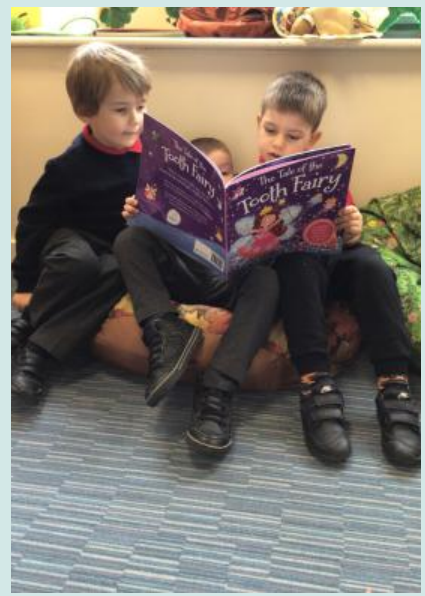
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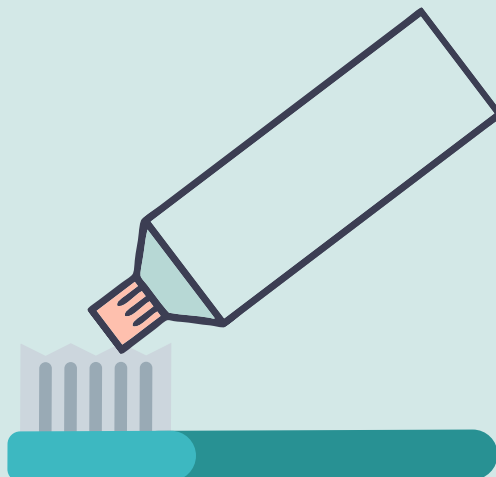
Last week we said Goodbye and
Good Luck to Mrs Wincott who has
been a dinner supervisor at Two
Gates for the last 8 years.

We wish her well in her new job





Nursery children have been learning how to take care of their teeth by regular brushing, visiting the dentist, drinking milk or water and eating healthy foods. They had a letter from the tooth fairy to take home with a free magical Disney timer app to help them brush their teeth twice a day at home!





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We are going to be sharing
many more pictures
and videos of the work we
are completing

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Friday 14th May

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