



ST CHRISTOPHER'S INTERNATIONAL PRIMARY SCHOOL

Principal's eNews

Term 2 Issue 4 | 27th February 2021

Dear Parents,

Gong Xi Fa Cai to you all, as we welcome in the Year of the Ox. I wish you all a prosperous year ahead, and I have been looking back at my old eNews from February last year. I noted that Years 4 and 5 had been out on residentials, we held a wonderful Chinese New Year celebration, the 57th Annual AGM took place, and we hosted new teachers on their Look and See visit and BSO inspectors for our reaccreditation.

It was a busy time, and it was also when I began communicating about Coronavirus to the school community. Indeed it has been a challenging year for us all, and with no set ending in sight, it will continue to be so for some time to come.

However, the announcement that international schools can reopen to all students on Monday 8th March is welcome news to us all. Next week, teachers will be in school preparing their classrooms and ensuring all is ready for the children's return.

SCIPS Young Musician of the Year 2021

Mr Cannon has announced and posted up on Google Classroom the details of this online event. All ages are welcome to enter, and children can either sing or play an instrument. Just video themselves and submit by Friday 12th March.

World Book Day

We will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 4th March with a readers' rota that children can drop into throughout the day. We would usually dress up, but we will save this for when we are back into school the following week.

Also, we will be running an Extreme Reading Challenge. All ages are welcome to enter by taking a picture of themselves reading in an unusual or out of the ordinary place. Submit entries through Google Classroom by Friday 5th March.

Times Table Rockstar - Rest of the World Rocks 2021

Mr Reeves has announced to Year 3 - 6 that TTRS has announced a new challenge, Rest of the World Rocks 2021. This is an online competition for schools worldwide from Monday 8th March to Friday 12th March. [Link](#)

Reports and Parent-Teacher Conferences

Teachers are currently writing Term 2 reports, and parents will receive these on Monday 15th March. Following the reports, Parent-Teacher Conference will again be held online on Tuesday 16th and Thursday 18th March. Sign up details will be sent out in the coming weeks.

I look forward to seeing and hearing the school full of students again. Enjoy the weekend and Stay Safe.

Martin Towse

