



This term in 'Life in all its Fullness' curriculum, we are focusing on:



This term's value is **Respect**

Friday 14th March 2025

Life in all its Fullness

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Newsletter

Children who have shown 'Life in all its Fullness'

Well done to the following children:



GEM POWERS

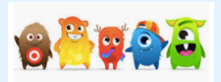
Children who showed our school values in their gem powers over the last couple of weeks:

Archie S, Alfie A, Harper G, Emily F, Evie J, Millie C, Lola H, Clover K, Iestyn M, Elsie F, Mayank K, Edward A, Amelia B, John F, Eva A, Finn B.

SPORTS SUPER HEROES

Charlotte C, Liam H, Doug M, Eva A, Tamzin A, Bradley K, Rex P, Louie S, Isla H, Archie W, Lily D, Jaxson Jen, Ollie J, Tye D.

DOJO CERTIFICATE



Geroge C, Phoebe R-D, Lilly-Rose J, Daisy W, Edward A, Henry B, Max B, Ethan J, Mia M, Autumn-Rose M, Bradley K, James O, Katelyn S, Naomi W.

HOUSES

The house with the most DOJO POINTS this week were: **Lister**

The classes with the highest number of DOJO POINTS this week are: **Reception** & **Year 4** who have earned extra play.

Well done to all of our children!

EASTER SERVICE AT ST GEORGE'S CHURCH – WEDNESDAY 9TH APRIL

Please join us on for our Easter service on **Wednesday 9th April**, St George's Church, at 9.30am. All children will be attending, but unfortunately, **only one person per family** is invited to attend at this time, due to space constraints in the church.

We will be walking to and from church, so please ensure children bring a raincoat - just in case!

MESSY CHURCH

Here are the **CORRECT, amended** dates of upcoming sessions, all from 3.30-5pm:

- 23rd March
- 27th April
- 25th May
- 22nd June

For more details get signed up to our WhatsApp group, contact Revd Fiona at fiona@camandstinchcombe.org.uk or visit our website www.camandstinchcombe.org.uk



BIG WALK AND WHEEL 2025

We have some exciting news for you! We are taking part in Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel, the UK's largest inter-school cycling, walking, wheeling and scooting challenge. The challenge runs from 24 March- 4 April 2025. It's free to take part and we would love everyone to be involved.

What do you need to do?

Encourage your child(ren) to walk, use a wheelchair, scoot or cycle to school on as many days as possible during the event.



Why we are taking part

Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel is a great way to build physical activity in children's daily routine which is important for their physical health and mental wellbeing.

Active school runs also help to reduce congestion and air pollution outside the school gate. [A 2021 YouGov study](#) showed nearly half of UK children worry about air pollution near their school. And that children thought active travel was the best away to bring down these pollution levels.

Plus, there are some great prizes to be won every day if we get enough children taking part!

Useful resources

To help you prepare, Sustrans has developed a handy free guide to walking, cycling or scooting to school. It is packed with advice to help you have hassle-free journey to school.

Download your free family guide using this link: [Sign up to receive your free school run guide - Sustrans.org.uk](https://www.sustrans.org.uk/sign-up-to-receive-your-free-school-run-guide)

For more information about the event go to www.bigwalkandwheel.org.uk . Enjoy the challenge!

EASTER EGG COLLECTION FOR GL11 FOOD BANK

Following on from the success of last few years' collections, we are collecting Easter eggs to be donated to GL11 Community Hub and the Food Bank. If you feel like you are able to donate anything, there will be a donations box situated in the school office. Thank you!



TRUSSELL TRUST-FOOD BANK SUPPORT

The Trussell Trust welcome and support everyone who is referred to them, always acting with respect and without judgment. Volunteers will give a minimum of three days' emergency food and essentials and offer support to resolve some of the difficulties you might be facing.

If you are in need of a food bank voucher, due to a change of circumstances, an unexpected bill, payment delays or any other reason, please email Mrs Holloway, our school Family Support Worker, who will be able to help - fsw@camhopton.gloucs.sch.uk

DOG FOULING ON PATHS AROUND SCHOOL

We have received several notifications from parents/members of the community to say that there is a lot of dog fouling on the paths around school. Cam Parish Council has asked the Environmental Health Team at Gloucestershire County Council to spray dog fouling stencils on the paths and to increase patrols in the area. Hopefully this will encourage owners to pick up after their dogs. However, please still be alert when walking along the paths & when children are playing on the grass.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY – SPRING TERM 2025

Tuesday 18 th Mar	Reception/Year 6 Height, Weight & Vision Screening
Weds 19 th Mar	1.15pm – 3pm: Year 3/4 Tag Rugby Tournament at Dursley Primary (selected pupils)
Thursday 20 th Mar	Year 3 Swimming
W/C 24 th Mar	Big Walk & Wheel Week 1
Tuesday 25 th Mar	Yellow-Lighted Bookshop Book Fair
Thursday 27 th Mar	Year 2 Swimming
Friday 28 th Mar	Year 1 Cake Sale
W/C 31 st Mar	Showcase Week
	Big Walk & Wheel Week 2
Thursday 3 rd Apr	Year 2 Swimming
Wednesday 9 th Apr	9.30am: Easter Service at St George's Church
Thursday 10 th Apr	Year 2 Swimming
Friday 11 th Apr	PTA Break the Rules Day
	World Art Day
	END OF TERM 4

TERM 5 SUMMER STARTS ON MONDAY 28th APRIL

PTA UPDATES!

PTA 2024 -25 Dates for Diaries

Cake Sales

Year 1 – Friday 28th March

Reception - Friday 9th May

Break the Rules – Friday 11th April 2025

Hound Hunt – Sunday 11th May 2025

PTA SECOND HAND UNIFORM DONATIONS

If you aren't already aware, our PTA have a fantastic system in place where parents/or carers are able to place orders for second hand uniform via email – camhoptonuniform@gmail.com and they will make up the orders from their stocks of uniform that has been kindly donated by parents/carers. The PTA ask for monetary donations of whatever parents can afford towards the cost of the uniform. Due to the volume of generous donations that the PTA have received over the last year, they are currently only accepting donations of logo uniform.






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SAVE BIG ON CHILDCARE

Save money on your childcare costs by using the Tax-Free Childcare and Childcare Voucher schemes. As we are Ofsted registered, you could receive up to £2,000 per child per year towards fees. These government schemes make quality childcare more affordable and help you make the most of your savings.

ENTER OUR MONTHLY PRIZE DRAW

Scan the QR code opposite to enter our monthly prize draw! You could win free places or money off our holiday clubs. It's our way of saying thank you for choosing us to care for your children. Don't miss out – scan and enter today for your chance to win!

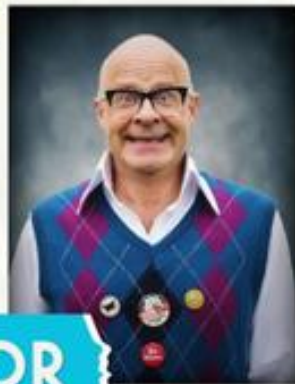



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APPLICATIONS CLOSE
SUNDAY 23RD MARCH

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Gloucestershire**

Many of our children are
unable to eat orally,
so we are asking for
a £1 donation instead
of an Easter Egg to fund
Easter activities please!



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£ 1 Easter Donation Appeal