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Peterborough Food Bank - Please Help

Our Academy Council are organising a collection for Peterborough Food Bank. Each class has a donation box located within the classroom and items can be brought in until the end of November.

Donated items for the collection should be in jars, tins and boxes and have a long shelf life. Peterborough Food Bank is particularly short of:

Pasta Sauce

UHT Milk

Long Life Fruit Juice

Spreads i.e., Jam, Marmalade, Marmite, Chocolate

Household Cleaning Items

Sweet Treats

Instant Mash

Tinned Fruit

Tinned Meat

Please help us to support our local community this Christmas. Every little helps.

Parents Evenings

It was lovely to see so many parents at parents' evenings this week. Thank you for supporting teachers in helping your children make the progress they deserve. If you could not attend this week as your child was poorly then please message the class teacher on Class Dojo and rearrange an appointment. I hope you enjoyed the food available from Pabulum this week. If you would like your child/children to have a lunch it is £2.30 a day. Really good value for the choice of a main, as much fresh bread and salad as you can eat and then a pudding and fruit. On Monday, we will be celebrating the opening of the Football World Cup with a football themed lunch.

Behaviour and Manners

We have extremely high expectations of children's behaviour in the academy. What we have noticed more recently however, is children going home and telling grownups that they don't have to wear academy uniform or generally they do not need to read or complete their TT Rock Stars. This is not the case so please support your child in doing the right thing by getting them to wear the correct uniform including ties, completing their reading and TT Rock Stars. I know sometimes it is easy to give in but staying strong and insisting that they do the right thing will really help them to succeed in later life.

Christmas Fair Date for Diary

On Friday 16th December we will be hosting a small Christmas Fair. Each year group will make a craft to sell to grownups. Alongside these we will have other Christmas stalls and festive music. We will confirm timings nearer the time, but it will be after the academy day.

Walking to and from the Academy

Whilst we all want to encourage our children to be independent and start to walk to and from the academy on their own, we are increasingly becoming concerned by reports of children not crossing the roads safely. Can you please make sure that your child/children know their Green Cross Code so they do cross in sensible places and cross safely.