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### Newsletter No.9

Happy New Year! And my goodness what a start to the year it has been! The challenges are numerous however, as usual, our wee community has pulled together to ensure that we are off to a flying start. Home Learning is up and running and every single pupil has connected with us over MS Teams- a great accomplishment all round. Food parcels and digital devices have been delivered across our community. If you would like a fortnightly food parcel, to borrow a device or a stationery top up please let us know by emailing the admin account.

We offer our congratulations to Mr McPherson and his wife Gill on the arrival of their **beautiful baby girl**. Wonderful news!

We raised £108.88 for CHAS by wearing our **Christmas Jumpers** to school. Thank you so much for your generous contributions.

Each Tuesday we will join with the Parish for **Mass** at 9:30. You can find the link on your child's Teams daily plan or by clicking <https://www.facebook.com/ssjohnbandkentigern> You do not need a Facebook account to access.

If we need to call a family you will most likely see 'number withheld' coming up on your phone; apologies for this but it can't be avoided. Thank you for not contacting teachers directly via twitter, MS Teams or their personal email account; this greatly reduces our workload. If you need further advice (learning, technical support, passwords, wellbeing etc.) please contact us via the school office so we can offer a prompt response and an **excellent level of service**.

You should now have received your invitations to **Live Connects** next week; any problems let us know!

**Passwords** are stored within your child's notebook on MS Teams in a folder called 'Learning Websites; if you can't find them please just email us.

**Feedback:** watch out for our parent survey regarding home learning coming out towards the end of next week. Pupils will also be asked for their views.

We all have a **duty to protect children**, whether we are professionals or private individuals. If you think a child is being or is at risk of being abused or neglected, speak to:

- Social Care Direct by calling 0131 200 2324
- the Police by calling 101 or in an emergency 999;
- a member of staff at school;
- any Health Professional.

Once again, thanks for your kind words and messages of support as we engage in learning and teaching in this new way; we are so proud to serve our St Andrew's community!

Rebecca Favier  
Head Teacher



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