

Let Your Light Shine

Matthew 5:16

# Canon Popham C of E Primary Academy Newsletter



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## Friday 14th February 2025

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<https://www.canonpopham.co.uk/>

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The VALUE we are exploring this half term is

## COURAGE

We have looked this week at: Overcoming a fear – **1 John 4.18**

**Safer Internet Day 2025**

The VALUE we are exploring next half term is

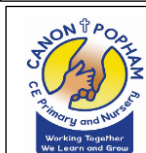
## FORGIVENESS

## Safer Internet day 2025

Safer Internet Day 2025 was marked on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> of February 2025, with celebrations and learning based around the theme '**Too good to be true?**

### Protecting yourself and others from scams online'

Safer Internet Day is the UK's biggest celebration of online safety. Each year we cover an online issue or theme that speaks about the things young people are seeing and experiencing online. Protecting yourself and others from scams online. Safer Internet Day is the UK's biggest celebration of online safety. Each year we cover an online issue or theme that speaks about the things young people are seeing and experiencing online.



Let your light shine!  
On everyone, everywhere, everyday!  
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The internet plays a huge part in the lives of young people today. It can be used positively, helping young people learn new skills, express themselves creatively, and strengthen social bonds. However, the use of many popular online platforms has also been linked to low self-esteem and anxiety. We teach our children about being safe online as part of the computing and PSHE curriculum. A regular part of this learning is about e-learning safety and how children can recognise sign of safety when using IT equipment and the internet. Use the links below for further e-safety information.

Safer Internet Day 2025 | Tuesday 11 February  
Coordinated by the UK Safer Internet Centre  
[saferinternetday.org.uk](https://saferinternetday.org.uk)

<https://saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/safer-internet-day-2025/tips-for-parents-and-carers>

The National College  
<https://www.canonpopham.co.uk/information/safeguarding/wake-up-wednesdays/>

### What's happening in school:

#### Week beg 24<sup>th</sup> February

**Mon 24<sup>th</sup>** – Wiping the slate clean  
Colossians 3.13

**Tues 25<sup>th</sup>** – myHappyMind - RELATE

**Weds 26<sup>th</sup>** – Rev Tom/Josey

#### Week beg 3<sup>rd</sup> March

**Mon 3<sup>rd</sup>** – Y3&Y4 Basketball festival  
@ Hungerhill school

**Weds 5<sup>th</sup>** – Let Your Light Shine  
celebration

**Thurs 6<sup>th</sup>** – World Book Day 2025

Enjoy a lovely half-term break, see  
you all on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February

Team points so far for  
this 1/2 term...

St ANDREW: 963 = 2nd

St GEORGE: 764 = 4th

St PATRICK: 993 = 1st

St DAVID: 852 = 3rd

Well done to St Patrick for this  
half term team winners!

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# Let Your Light Shine – Matthew 5:16

## Attendance Matters Week 21 – 97% = School

F2 = 89.7%

Y1 = 98.1%

Y2 = 91.9%

Y3 = 92.3%

**Y4 = 100% WINNERS!!!**

Y5 = 96.9%

Y6 = 89.2%

**Well done Y4  
winners this  
week!**

## Attendance Matters – Spring 1 term 94 % = School

F2 = 91.4%

Y1 = 96.8%

Y2 = 94.6%

Y3 = 94.7%

**Y4 = 98.6% WINNERS!!!**

Y5 = 94.7%

Y6 = 89.4%

**Well done Y4**

**Winners this half  
term – enjoy your  
special reward  
next half term!**

## Diary Dates – Spring term

### February 2025

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> – Teacher training day

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> – Half Term (1 week)

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> – School re-opens to pupils

### March 2025

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> – World Book Day 2025

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> – Friday 21<sup>st</sup> – Y6 Bikeability sessions

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> – Donc DSAT Spelling Bee at Canon Popham

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> – Easter in a box – Year 4

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> – School closes

Monday 31<sup>st</sup> March – Friday 11<sup>th</sup> April – 2 weeks

### April 2025

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> – School reopens to pupils**

Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> – Ledston Hall Y1 and Y2 visit

Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> – Easter Service 2.30pm Y3 leading

Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> – School Photographs – class groups

**May 2025 - School closes on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> May and re-opens on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> May**

## Year 6 visit to LifeWise centre

Year 6 visited 'Crucial Crew' on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> Feb. The Lifewise Centre is South Yorkshire's only interactive safety centre and is home to the Joint Community Safety Department of South Yorkshire Police and South Yorkshire Fire and Rescue. Lifewise, is a scenario-based learning facility, which benefits from a film-set environment, where educational inputs are delivered in a realistic setting. Year 6 learnt lots of life skills.

They were a credit to our school showing Ready, Respectful, Safe at all times. Well done Year 6 – you all Let Your Lights Shine!



## Let Your Light Shine - Matthew 5:16



George has been working very hard at swimming to pass his next level and managed to pass his level 7! Well done George, very proud of you!

Isla received her 25m certificate and moved up to a new group at swimming this week! Well done Isla – very proud of you!



If you would like to share how your child has **Let their light shine** in some way outside of school, please email a photo and short description to their class teacher or [enquiries@cpa.dsat.education](mailto:enquiries@cpa.dsat.education) thank you.

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