

# St Nicolas and St Mary Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary School

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18<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Dear Parents/Carers

### PLATINUM JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS

In honour of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee, we will be celebrating at school on **Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May**, with a special assembly and picnic. All children will eat lunch together on the Cherry Tree playground and field and tables will be set up for those with hot dinners. Children who have a packed lunch, may bring in a picnic rug for the field, or organise to share one with a friend.

During the day we will make Union Jacks and crowns as decoration for the party. We will also sing the National Anthem together in our assembly and learn more about the Queen's 70 year reign. Please note, that this is also the day where the children will be wearing costumes for Maths Week!

## JUBILEE ART COMPETITION

In order to commemorate the occasion we are holding an art competition for children to design an artwork which celebrates the Queen's 70 year reign. Pupils can produce their work in any 2D media, no larger than A4, to create their entries. The winning entry will be framed and displayed in school and there will be a special prize awarded. All entries must be in by 9am on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May.

## JUBILEE TALK HOMEWORK

Many thanks to everyone who completed last month's Talk Homework on reading. It was great to hear about the discussions you had about reading at home! All returned slips have been entered into our prize draw which will happen on Friday. This month's topic is about the Queen, in honour of her long service. Please discuss the some or all of the following questions with your child for this month's talk homework:

What do you think makes a good King or Queen? Why? What do you think is most challenging about the job? Why? What do you think is most enjoyable? Why?

As usual, we would love to hear your feedback. Please complete the attached slip with comments – or sign and date so that your child can be entered into the monthly prize draw.

Best wishes

Dr Victoria Bishop Assistant Headteacher

#### 'It's Good To Talk' May Talk Homework

We hope you enjoyed discussing the important role our Queen has to play at home!

Please write down any comments about your conversations below as we would love to hear about them! Please send them back into class when completed.