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From Jackie Waters-Dewhurst, Diocesan Director of Education



We are preparing our children for things that no one yet knows or understands.

Let's prepare them for the unknown. Let's prepare them well. Let's do what we know in our hearts to be right for them.

The Assumption of the Virgin or Frari Assumption is a large altarpiece panel painting in oils by the Italian Renaissance artist Titian, painted in 1515–1518. It remains in the position it was designed for, on the high altar of the Basilica di Santa Maria Gloriosa dei Frari or Frari church in Venice.

Everyone is looking up – to a future, a place that they do not yet understand.

Corinthians 13:12

For now we see only a reflection as in a mirror; then we shall see face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I am fully known.

“You will teach them to fly, but they will not fly your flight. You will teach them to dream, but they will not dream your dream. You will teach them to live, but they will not live your life. Nevertheless, in every flight, in every life, in every dream the print of the way you taught them will remain.”

~ Mother Teresa

God bless

Jackie

We pray for our teachers and pupils as they again have to readjust their ways of working, deal with very real concerns about keeping safe and, in the case of our secondary's, have to roll out a testing programme for all pupils. The needs of our children at this time are to catch up in its widest sense- not only academically but also with the amount of physical activity, their mental well-being, resilience, friendships, confidence and motivation. All of these are needed so that they can engage once more with face-to-face education.

Covid and your admissions criteria

We have been in correspondence with the Church of England Education Office – they have made it clear that for 2022, for schools with faith criteria, an emergency clarification statement on your website is not sufficient.

A variation will be needed - please contact Ellen (ellen.cross@lincoln.anglican.org) if you need any support with this.

Resources and Information

School Effectiveness Advisor – Vacancy

The Lincoln Diocesan Board of Education (LDBE) is seeking to appoint an outstanding individual to join our dedicated and talented team which inspires our family of church schools and academies across the Diocese of Lincoln. This is an exciting and challenging role, in the context of an organisation which places Christian vision and values at the centre of all that we do.

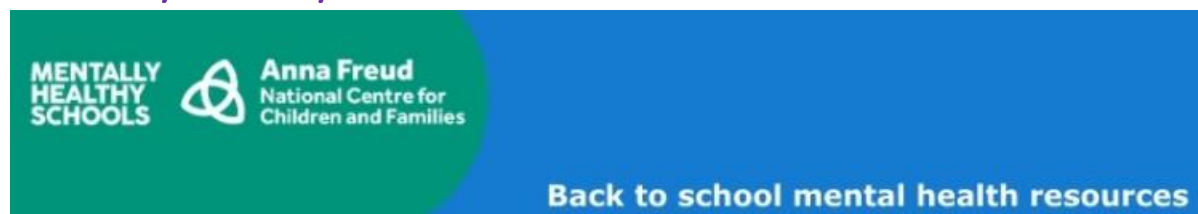
Please see the link below for more information:

<https://www.lincolndiocesaneducation.com/vacancies>

Called, Connected, Committed

For the latest edition of the Church of England Education Office's newsletter, click [here](#).

Mentally Healthy Schools



For the latest from the above, click [here](#).

Conference for Headteachers, Senior Leaders, Chairs of Governors and Clergy



We are delighted to announce this year we are running our Headteacher, Chair of Governors and Clergy conference virtually on the theme of 'Positive Leadership'. We are excited to deliver a conference with excellent key note speakers and workshops to support

you in all you do in your schools and for the children.

Click [here](#) for more information and to book!

Archbishop of York Youth Trust – Webinars etc

Click [here](#) for more information about AYYT free events.

PARABLE Interactive Performance Workshop

A brand-new professional performance and integrated workshop experience by Springs Dance Company, providing schools with a chance to boost children's engagement with RE. Delivered with Covid safety at the forefront, PARABLE is an adventurous, interactive, and exciting opportunity for children to encounter and overcome creative challenges together, accomplish tasks and influence the outcome of the show.

For further details on PARABLE please visit

<https://springsdancecompany.org.uk/productions/parable/>

To book and to find out more please visit www.springsdancecompany.org.uk email

touring@springsdancecompany.org.uk or call 07876 752 910.

Lent & Easter Resources

We have introduced a dedicated section of our website for Lent and Easter resources – this can be found at:

<https://www.lincolndiocesaneducation.com/lent-easter>

Clerk to Governors Network Meeting

This FREE meeting will be an opportunity to hear Diocesan updates relevant to your role, meet members of the diocesan team and other clerks, and also come with questions you may have. We'd love to support you in the role you do and this will give us an opportunity to find out how we can do this.

Click [here](#) to book.