



School News

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SCHOOL DIARY

Friday, 11 September -Year 6 Class Worship

Year 6 class worship will be added to Class Dojo so that parents, carers and other family members can enjoy watching this.

Friday, 11 September - Partnership with Parents Group Meeting, 9.30 to 10.00am via Zoom

My first 'Partnership with Parents Group Meeting' will be held via Zoom on Friday, 11 September between 9:30-10:00am. Our topic of discussion will be 'the return to school', it will be your chance to discuss and give feedback on the children's return so far. I look forward to hearing your views. The zoom invite is below:

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/73517341384?pwd=UEswWThQZThganpXcHc3OXVDQ1FUdz09>

Meeting ID: 735 1734 1384

Passcode: hZ0E5t

Friday, 18 September -Year 5 Class Worship

Year 5 class worship will be added to Class Dojo so that parents, carers and other family members can enjoy watching this.

Friday, 18 September - Last Day to return orders for school uniform to be ordered through the school

Uniform can be ordered online at any time and will be delivered to the school twice a month free or to your home address for a small charge. Please visit www.brigade.uk.com to place an order, or return your order form by Friday, 18 September if you would like the school to order this on your behalf. Please note orders are currently taking up to 28 days to be delivered due to the impact of Covid-19 on Brigade's supply chain.

OTHER SCHOOL NEWS

Absent from School

Please can we remind parents of the importance of letting us know if your child will not be in school. Please telephone the school office on 01304 611360 **before 9.00am** to let us know if they will not be in school and the reason for this so that any appropriate action can be taken if necessary.

If your child or any member of your household presents one of the following symptoms:

- High temperature
- A new continuous cough
- A loss or change to their sense of smell or taste.

You must stay at home, arrange a test and self-isolate for 7 days from when their symptoms started or until you receive a negative test result. Anyone in your house who does not have symptoms must self-isolate for 14 days from when the first person in your home started having symptoms.

Your child and you must also stay at home if:

you're waiting for a coronavirus test result

you've tested positive for coronavirus – this means you have coronavirus

you live with someone who has symptoms, is waiting for a test result or has tested positive

You must also follow any guidelines given by the NHS test and trace.

Please inform the school of the result of any test once known so that we can respond accordingly.

OTHER SCHOOL NEWS cont'd

Early Morning Club

Please can we remind parents that Early Morning Club must be booked and paid for in advance. The club runs from 8.00am and cost £1.00 per day. For further information or to book please telephone the school office.

Amendment to School Diary Dates sent last week

Please note that there will be no Open Classroom on Friday, 16 July as the Year 6 will have their Clap-out at the end of the school day.

School Website

Please do take a look at the school website where you will find lots of useful information and news about the school. On the calendar you will see we have colour coded each year group to help make this easier for you to identify those events applicable to your child. You are also able to subscribe to the calendar for whole school events as well as your child's year group. (Please follow the link on the bottom of the calendar page on the website to subscribe.)

E Safety - Parental Controls

With our children using the internet more and more it's imperative that we understand what apps and sites they are using, help them understand how to keep safe on the internet and what they should do if they see, hear or watch something inappropriate. One of the ways we can protect them is by using parental controls. The Thinkuknow website has lots of advice for parents including internet scares and challenges, parental controls and how to talk to your children about online safety. Please take some time to read some of their advice. <https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents> If you have any concerns about your child and their internet use please let us know and we will be happy to help.

Kind regards

Mrs Sarah Moss
Headteacher