

INSKIP ST. PETER'S C OF E (AIDED) PRIMARY SCHOOL

SCHOOL NEWSLETTER Monday 21st Sept 2020



Just a reminder that on our Inset Days, Friday 25th and Monday 28th September, school will be closed for all pupils.

I'm sure I speak for all our pupils when I say we love our new fitness trail and play areas, they have completely altered our playtimes with children separating out and playing all over our grounds and field. One thing our Lower School pupils are loving is dressing up and performing on the stage for one another. With that in mind if any of you have **dressing up costumes** which your children have grown out of or no longer wear please would you consider donating them to school? Upon receipt of any costumes we'll put in the control measures of leaving them for at least 72hours before they are machine washed and then left for another 72 hours before the children get to use them. Hoping you can help, thank you in advance!





<u>Harvest Festival</u>

Revd Paul will be leading the Harvest Celebration Service at St. Peter's Church this Sunday at 9.30am. Alternatively, non-perishable food items can be brought to school and put in the big box we'll have at the bottom of the drive on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday to be donated with the Harvest offerings at Church to the local foodbank. Many thanks!

Named Clothing

Please could we ask that ALL clothing is clearly named. Due to COVID we are now unable to hold a lost property box and therefore the clear presence of a name will ensure that your child's items are returned to your child's peg. Name labels are available from Label Planet using the link below (our Friends receive 25% commission to go towards school on all orders).

Our school code Is 10509. https://www.stikins.co.uk/?PARTNER=10509



Primary School Applications Sept 2021

If your child is in their last year of pre-school/nursery you can now apply for their primary school place at: www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools It's guick and easy to do and you will receive email confirmation of your application. You must apply even if you already have siblings in the school. If you live in Lancashire you can include out of area preferences on your online application.

Closing date for primary applications for September 2021 is 23:59 15th January 2021.

If you know of a parent who is interested in applying for a place at our school please ask them to give the school a call on 01772 690438.

Secondary School Applications Sept 2021

If your child is in Year 6 you can now apply for their secondary school place at: www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools It's quick and easy to do and you will receive email confirmation of your application. You must apply even if you already have siblings in the school. If you live in Lancashire you can include out of area preferences on your online application.

Closing date for secondary applications for September 2021 is 23:59 31st October 2020.

Secondary School Open Events



Garstang Community Academy

Virtual Open Evening—date yet to be confirmed

Please visit www.garstangcommunityacademy.com or call 01995 603226.



"This is an outstanding school in which students make excellent progress from their starting points, attain high academic standards and develop into thoughtful, confident and considerate young people who are well prepared for their future lives" Ofsted (2012)





Broughton has an excellent reputation in the local community because of the high standards of achievement, behaviour and uniform. We have marvellous young people who are courteous, proud of their school and eager to succeed. The atmosphere at Broughton is unique and visitors often say it has a 'family feel' and comment on the calm, purposeful environment.

Exam results do matter to us and we put a high priority on every child making progress in and out of the classroom. We do this because we have staff who genuinely care about children. The quality of relationships is first class and children and staff enjoying learning and working here.

Chris Morris, Headteacher



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Lancashire County Council have asked all schools to share information with parents to limit the spread of COVID-19 in our community

- If you have any concerns or anxieties about what is happening in school, please contact the school in the first instance. The DfE guidance is generalised and you will need to under-stand how schools have interpreted this in response to their setting
- There are a number of guidance documents for parents on the DfE (Department for Education) website which may help you to understand headline information.
- Please inform your child's school immediately you get a test result.
- Parents should be aware that schools cannot share the personal details of confirmed cases within the school community
- If your child is sent home to isolate from school this also means they have to isolate from all other activities, events, occasions
- All children with confirmed COVID-19 must not return to school; failure to self-isolate in line with national guidance can lead to a fine of £1000 being imposed
- If you child is entitled to FSM and is required to isolate you will be provided with a food parcel from the school kitchen
- Please be a role model for your children in terms of keeping socially distanced from others when collecting/dropping off your child
- Be prepared to have to collect your child from school during each school day as the requirement to isolate can occur at any time; have a back-up plan if you will be in work
- The completion of remote learning is not optional. As a family you need to be prepared for a child to learn at home. They will need a quiet space to work? They may need access to equipment pens / paper / access to IT.
- In the event of pupils being required to self-isolate, parents are responsible for securing the safe care of their children. Please consider the plans you have to ensure there is an adult at home during the day in this event as there will be limited notification
- It is widely recognised that children cannot socially distance in schools. Schools are securing safe distancing through consistent seating plans, reduced contact between groups, staggered starts and managed break times.
- It is important that young people continue to follow social distancing guidance when out of school and do not congregate in groups or disregard the 2 metre rule
- Consider the impact of possible quarantine on your child's attendance before booking overseas travel.

Dates for the diary:-

Friday 25th Sept	INSET Day	
Monday 28th Sept	INSET Day	
Friday 23rd Oct	School Closes for Autumn Half Term	
Monday 2nd Nov	School Re-opens	
Friday 18th Dec	School Closes for Christmas	
Monday 4th Jan	School Re-opens	

Clubs:-

MONDAY 21st	8:00am—8.50am	Breakfast Club
	3.30pm—4.30pm	Crafts/Construction/Games
TUESDAY 22nd	8:00am—8.50am	Breakfast Club
	3.30pm—4.30pm	Tennis with Simon Ardron
WEDNESDAY 23rd	8:00am—8.50am	Breakfast Club
	3.30pm—4.30pm	Sports Club
THURSDSAY 24th	8:00am—8.50am	Breakfast Club
	3.30pm—4.30pm	Crafts/Construction/Games
FRIDAY 25th	8:00am—8.50am	Breakfast Club
	3.30pm—4.30pm	Sports Club

Outdoor Kit Reminder

Thank you for sending PE kits back to school last week, it's great to see our children kitted out with trainers for outside PE.

In line with government guidance we aim to complete as many PE lessons and sporting after school clubs outdoors as much as possible. Please therefore make sure your child has adequate clothing for Inskip's outdoor weather.

Lower School PE will be on Thursday. Upper School PE will be on Wednesday and Friday.



Amelia for 26th September

BirthdaySweets



It has become a lovely gesture that when your children have a birthday they have brought in sweets to share with the rest of the class or school. Unfortunately, due to COVID, we are **unable** to hand out birthday sweets at this time. We do ask that your child does not bring into school anything other than their school requirements.

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