



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

SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Tuesday 3rd Sept 2019



The Library Van will visit school at 12.30pm this Friday 6th September.

Welcome Back! We hope that you all had a lovely Summer break.

Welcome to our new Reception children: Nathaniel, Evelyn, Abigail and Maddison, we are all looking forward to getting to know you and your families even better.

If you have any queries relating to your child's education please do speak to your child's teacher.



PE Kit Reminder

Please remember to have your child's PE kit named and brought in for their next PE lesson. The lesson days have changed to the following:

Lower School will be on Monday and Tuesday

Upper School will be on Wednesday and Thursday

From this September we are altering our PE kit uniform requirements slightly to reflect modern usage. Most of our PE lessons take place outdoors and so trainers will now be the required footwear for these lessons, your child **MUST** be able to put on and take these off independently so only send laced trainers if your child is proficient at tying laces. The trainers may be of any colour but please do still name them inside in case of duplication with another pupil. **For indoor PE lessons** the footwear requirements will still be black school pumps or bare feet as trainers are not allowed in the hall.

Inskip St. Peter's PE kit: white T-shirt, black or white shorts, black or green jogging bottoms, trainers (for outside PE), a spare pair of socks, black pumps or bare feet (for inside PE).

Data Collection Forms

Your child will be bringing home a **Data Collection pack**. Please take the time to complete and sign all of these forms and **return back to school** in your child's communication wallet **as soon as possible**. This is to ensure that school have all the correct information regarding your child's needs and circumstances. Thank you.

Clubs

Our Breakfast Club and After School Clubs will start as from **today**.
Music Lessons will commence **next Tuesday**.

Breakfast Club doors open at 8am each morning till 8.50am where children will make their way to their classrooms. Parents must come into the school hall and sign their child into the club making sure that Miss Haynes has acknowledged their arrival.

This year we have an added a new club on Thursday after school.

After school clubs run from 3.30pm till 4.30pm with the exception of Film Club which runs till 5pm.

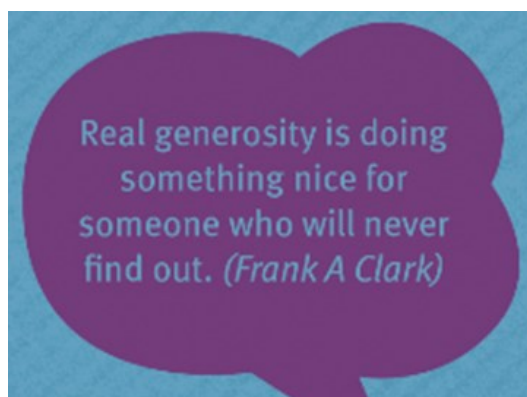
If you would like your child to attend any of these clubs please complete the **attendance request forms** that will be coming home with your children ensuring that you have signed each one to authorise them to stay at school. Thank you.

Monday	8.00 am till 8.50am	Breakfast Club
	3.30pm till 4.30pm	Tennis with Simon Ardron
Tuesday	8.00 am till 8.50am	Breakfast Club
	3.30pm till 4.30pm	Activity Club
Wednesday	8.00 am till 8.50am	Breakfast Club
	3.30pm till 5.00pm	Film Club
Thursday	8.00 am till 8.50am	Breakfast Club
	3.30pm till 4.30pm	Technology Club
	3.30pm till 4.30pm	Upper School Inskip Football Club
Friday	8.00 am till 8.50am	Breakfast Club
	3.30pm till 4.30pm	Activity Club

Our Christian value theme this half term is

'generosity'

Here's a way of exploring this theme at home.



This week's Wednesday film is:-

Garfield's Fun Fest (U)



There will be a small charge of **£2** to cover the cost of a biscuit and drink.

Payment will be charged to your child's ParentPay account.

Bikeability

Monday 9th, Tuesday 10th and Wednesday 11th September Year 5 will be undertaking the Bikeability course. Please could parents ensure that their child's helmet and bike are safe using the below safety checks.

USE YOUR HEAD

For improved protection you should always wear a cycle helmet. It will help protect your head if you fall off your bike.

Even the most experienced cyclists can have an accident. Seven out of ten cyclists, who go to hospital after an accident, have head injuries.

Before you buy a helmet, try it on to check it's the right size and fits properly. It should sit snugly on your head with little or no movement. Does yours?



1-2-V!

An easy way to remember how to check your helmet is fitted correctly is to follow the 1-2-V method as shown below.



1 1-2 fingers can fit under the chin strap...



2 Leave a gap of 2 fingers from your eyebrows to the helmet...



V Make sure the straps make a 'V' shape around your ear.

You should be able to put your head upside down without the chin straps fastened and your helmet should stay on your head without falling off.

Is your bike safe? ...

There are 13 things wrong with this bike! Take a look and then see if you can 'Match the Faults' on the right hand side.

Tyres

- Tyres must be pumped up. Press them to check that they feel hard. Soft tyres increase the risk of punctures and affect control of the bicycle.
- You should know how to use a puncture repair kit and always keep one with you on rides.
- If the tread on the tyre has worn down then you should replace it straight away.

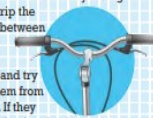


Saddle

- Make sure your saddle is at the right height.
- The balls of your feet should comfortably rest on the floor. Don't forget that you're growing all the time too so keep checking!
- If you need to adjust the height of your saddle, there is a line to show how far it may safely come out.

Handlebars

- Handlebars must be firm and secure with grips covering the ends.
- Check your handlebars by facing your bike, grip the front wheel between your knees, hold the handlebars and try to wiggle them from side to side. If they don't move, they're okay!



Lights/Reflectors

- Never ride in the dark without your lights and reflectors - it is illegal.
- Make sure they are clean and in working order before setting out so it is easy for drivers to see you.



Brakes

- Both brakes must always work. Can you reach the brake levers and operate them easily?
- If your brakes are too tight, worn or not tight enough, they will not work properly.
- To check that your brakes will stop your bike, spin the wheels and apply the brakes suddenly.



Chain

- Your chain should be oiled and not rusty!
- Make sure it is not loose.



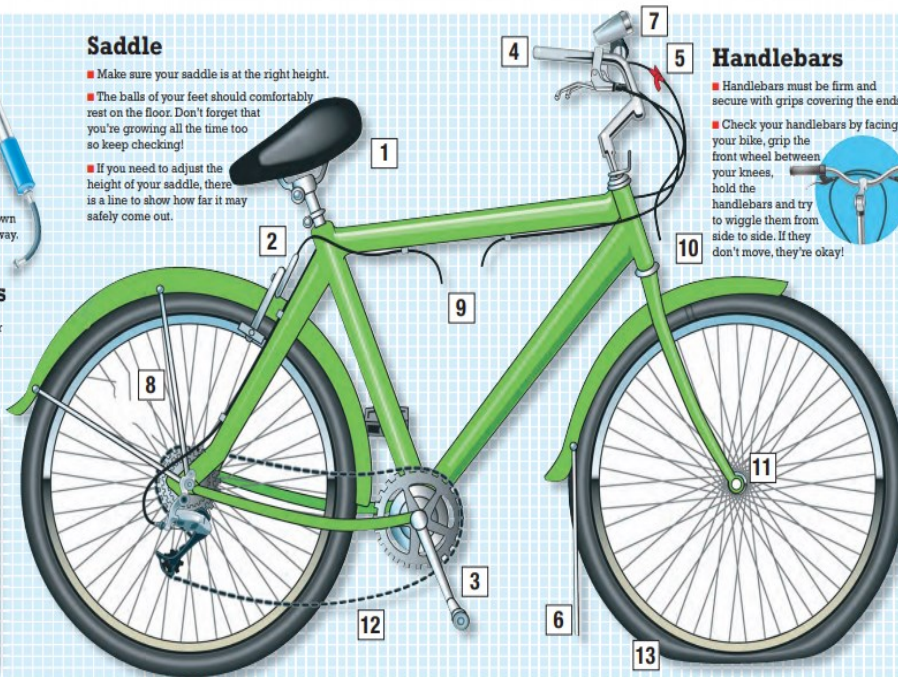
Pedals and cranks

- Pedals and cranks must be secure and not bent or twisted.
- Pedals should rotate freely and should have reflectors.



Bell

- A bell warns other cyclists and pedestrians that you are approaching.



MATCH THE FAULTS to the numbers on the bicycle

The first one has been done for you...

- 10 One front brake block missing
- Rear reflector missing
- Back brake cable snapped
- Chain too loose
- Handlebar grip missing
- One pedal missing
- Brake cable badly worn
- Front tyre too soft
- Front wheel nut missing
- Broken spokes in rear wheel
- Front lamp pointing upwards
- Saddle twisted round
- Mudguard support broken

Local Events

YIPs would like to invite you to a **Family B.B.Q** on **Saturday 14th September**.



**Young Inskip People
(YIPs), Nelson Gardens**

B.B.Q

SATURDAY 14 SEPTEMBER

11-2PM



GOOD FOOD
and **FAMILY GAMES** including:

- ARCHERY**
- ASSAULT COURSE**
- TABLE TENNIS**
- BADMINTON**
- CRAZY GOLF**
- CROQUET**



**Come along and
enjoy the fun**

Dates for the diary:-

Friday 6th Sept	Library Van
9th, 10th and 11th Sept	Bikeability Year 5
Friday 27th Sept	INSET Day
Monday 30th Oct	INSET Day
Friday 18th Oct	School Closes for Autumn Half Term
Monday 28th Oct	School Re-opens
Friday 20th Dec	School Closes for Christmas
Monday 6th Jan	School Re-opens

The governors are mindful of the fact that holidays are more expensive in term time and have therefore placed **2 INSET days in the autumn half term (Friday 27th September and Monday 30th September)** specifically so that families who wish to go away for a long weekend during the warmer weather can do so in term time without missing any school. We encourage you to bear these days in mind when planning your holidays. All holidays taken in term time will be unauthorised.



Clubs:-

TUESDAY 3rd	8:00am 3:30pm	Breakfast Club Activity Club
WEDNESDAY 4th	8:00am 12.30pm 3:30pm	Breakfast Club Wonder Club Film Club
THURSDAY 5th	8:00am 3.30pm 3:30pm	Breakfast Club Technology Club Upper School Football Club
FRIDAY 6th	8:00am 3.30pm	Breakfast Club Activity Club



Claire for 7th Sept