

TECHNOLOGY UPDATE

Unfortunately, our technology issues in school have continued to impact on some of our everyday life, which is why this is our first school newsletter this term. However, hopefully this will now provide you with some reminders and updates before we break for our half term.

GOVERNOR INFORMATION

Our governors are responsible for overseeing the management of our school, which enables the school to run as effectively as possible to provide a high quality education for our children.

Our Governors are Ms. P O'Brien (Chair), Rev G. Naylor, Mr T Baker, Mrs C Baker and Miss J Nundy (Parent).

You can contact the governors via the office.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

The children continue to look very smart in their grey trousers or skirts, white t-shirts/shirts and red jumpers or cardigans. Please remember to ensure your child wears their black school shoes everyday and that they need a pair of black sandshoes to change into to wear in school. We encourage you also write children's names in their uniform items in case these are misplaced.

PE KITS

Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school for their PE days. The PE kit consists of plain red shorts and plain white t-shirts. Outdoor kits of plain black joggers and plain black sweatshirts can also be worn when PE takes place outside, so children will also need their trainers on these days.

If you need to order any items of school uniform, this can be done via ParentMail or please call into the school office and they will help you with this.

Thank you for your ongoing support of our school uniform policy.



ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY

A good attendance record has a positive impact on children's achievement, their ability to socialise and their emotional wellbeing. It is also essential that children arrive in school on time each day to ensure they do not miss out on their learning. Classroom doors are open from **8.45am** and **registration is at 8.55am.**

Breakfast club is available daily for working parents from 7.45am and costs £1 per child per day, this should be pre-booked via ParentMail or through the school office. Children can arrive at breakfast club up to 8.20am.

Please remember that we are unable to authorise any absences due to holidays taken during term time and that penalty notices may be issued (£60 per parent, per child). Please notify the school office if your child is absent for illness or a medical appointment.

SAFEGUARDING/SEN/FIRST AIDERS

Miss Strickland is our Child Protection and Safeguarding Lead.

Our Deputy Safeguarding Leads are Mrs Moore and Mrs Hunter.

Our SENCo is Mrs Moore.

Our First aiders are Mr Jowett, Miss Brown, Mrs Gardiner, Mrs Emerson, Mrs Drury and Mrs Allison.

SAFER INTERNET DAY

On Tuesday 7th February the children will be involved in activities to learn more about keeping themselves safe online and how to use technology safely. They will be encouraged to talk about this and further online safety advice can be found on the school website.



MKM STADIUM

Our Year 5 children have been enjoying their Wednesday morning visits to the MKM stadium to learn their numeracy and literacy skills through sport. They were lucky enough to meet and interview some of the Hull City stars of the future on their last visit.



NOT IN OUR COMMUNITY

Our Year 6 children recently took part in a workshop called Not in Our Community, which focused on how the children can use technology safely as well as keep themselves safe when out and about in the community. They had a great time and learnt some valuable lessons.



DATES FOR THE DIARY – FURTHER DATES TO FOLLOW AS THESE ARE ORGANISED

Friday 10th February	School closes for half term holiday
Monday 20th February	Children return to school
Friday 3rd March	World Book Day
Tuesday 7th & 14th March	Y3 & Y4 Pedestrian Skills
WB 13th March	Parents' Evenings
Friday 31st March	1.40pm - Easter Church Service at St. James' Church and School closes for Easter
Monday 17th April	Children return to school
Monday 1st May	School closed - Bank Holiday Monday
Monday 8th May	School closed - Bank Holiday Monday
Tuesday 9th May	Y6 SATs week
Friday 26th May	School closed for half term holiday
Monday 5th June	Children return to school
Friday 21st July	School closed for summer holiday
Monday 4th September	Teacher Training Day
Tuesday 5th September	Children return to school