



St Peter and St Paul CE Primary School

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CHILDREN'S VIEWS ON BACK TO SCHOOL

We have spoken to the children to see how they are finding things back at school and I am really pleased to tell you that our children feel happy and safe in school – which I know is important to us all. 99% of children are liking being back at school and 100% of children are preferring the systems for the start and the end of the school day. All children feel safe at school and know who they can talk to if they are feeling sad.

PARENT TEACHER MEETINGS

We have been holding Parent Teacher meetings via phone calls this week and next week, so that all class teachers can talk with parents about how their child has settled back into school. If you have not made an appointment via the online booking system and would like one please contact the school office.



BIG TALK

We always use Big Talk Education to cover the statutory content for Relationships and Sex Education in the Autumn term. They will be holding a Parent's Meeting to go through everything that is covered in each age group and give parents a chance to ask any questions on Thursday 8th October at 5.30pm in the school hall. Please contact the school office to book a place, so that we can ensure the meeting is socially distanced. Big talk will be in school all day on Thursday 15th October delivering sessions to the children.

CONKER COMPETITION

We will be holding our annual conker competition, starting next week. This year can you take a photograph of your conker, placed next to a ruler or tape measure and then send them into the school admin email. Prizes and certificates will be given for the smallest and largest conker. Closing date Monday 5th October.

HARVEST

Due to COVID-19 we will be organising Harvest differently this year. We will still be collecting donations for the Scunthorpe Food Bank to support families in our local community at a time when many people are struggling financially. Please send donations into school from Friday 16th – Tuesday 20th October and then we will leave the donations for 72 hours before being collected by the foodbank. Please only send in non-perishable goods eg tins, packets etc. The children in each class will be taking part in a Harvest Worship, which will then be edited together on a video to share with parents.

DRINKS IN SCHOOL

Children should be bringing their own water bottles to school to drink out of throughout the day. Please ensure you send your child with water to drink and not juice or fizzy pop – we are always encouraging the children to make healthy choices and welcome your support with this.

START AND END OF SCHOOL DAY

Please remember we are changing the times from Monday for the start and end of the school day. All children can arrive between 8.45am – 8.55am and all children can be collected between 3.00pm and 3.10pm. Please remember to walk where possible or park at Pets At Home and walk round (including if you are using a taxi).

Thank you to the parents who have contacted me to apologise for their actions on Wednesday night after school. In line with our school values can I ask we all show forgiveness and move on from this as being unkind on social media is not the answer. I was also made aware that the incident was filmed - we have a number of children in our school who cannot be filmed or photographed for safeguarding reasons, so please do not do this.

There are many ways to get in touch.

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Date and Time
Tuesday 6 th October & 7 th October
Thursday 8 th October 5.30pm
Tuesday 13 th October
Tuesday 13 th October & 14 th October
Thursday 15 th October & 16 th October
Thursday 15 th October
Friday 23 rd October
Monday 2 nd November
Wednesday 9 th December
Thursday 17 th December
Tuesday 5 th January
Friday 12 th February
Monday 22 nd February
Wednesday 31 st March
Monday 19 th April
Tuesday 20 th April
Monday 3 rd May
Friday 28 th May
Monday 7 th June
Thursday 22 nd July

Event
Year 6 Bikeability – group 1
Big Talk parent meeting
Flu Vaccinations
Year 6 Bikeability – group 2
Year 6 Bikeability – group 3
Big Talk in school all day
School closes for half term
School reopens
Christmas Dinner
School closes for Christmas
School reopens
School closes for half term
School reopens
School closes for Easter
School closed – Teacher Training Day
School reopens
Bank Holiday Monday school closed today
School closed for May half term
School reopens
School closes for summer holidays

ATTENDANCE

We are committed to providing high quality education for all our children. In order for a child to reach their full potential, we expect a high level of school attendance. Holidays in term time are unauthorised, unless in exceptional circumstances and referred to the Education Inclusion Service, who may issue a Penalty Notice.

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