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REFLECTION

Friendship isn't about who you've known longest. It's about who walked into your life, said "I'm here for you" and proved it.



School Newsletter

Week Ending: 20th September 2019



Dates for your Diary:

Monday 23rd September

Flu packs will be sent home.

Harvest Festival collection for Food Bank (until Friday, 4th October).

Thursday, 26th September

5:30pm Welcome meeting for parents (*not for Reception Class parents*).

Friday, 27th September

9:00am MacMillan Coffee Morning.

Cake sale for pupils at break-time.

Attendance

We have set ourselves a goal of achieving 97.5% attendance. To date this academic year our overall school attendance is:- Most recent statistics are: **95.75%**

Week Ending Friday: 13th September 2019

CLASS	% ATT	LATE	LACR
Reception	100%!!!	2	
Yr 1	88.7%	9	
Yr 2	99.2%	1	1
Yr 3	98.4%	14!!!	
Yr 4	94.1%	5	
Yr 5	95.5%	9	
Yr 6	97.7%	1	

Well done **Reception!!!**

Year 3 - we need to see a huge improvement in punctuality... school starts at 8:55am, please be on time!

House Points Weekly Total

St David	St Patrick	St George	St Andrew
68	57	51	46

House Points Running Total

St David	St Patrick	St George	St Andrew
95	91	65	56

Star Worker



- ★ Reception: The Whole Class for settling in so well.
- ★ Year 1: Oliver for great participation in class discussions.
- ★ Year 2: Nicole for doing her best in everything she does.
- ★ Year 3: Britney for her excellent focus and concentration in class.
- ★ Year 4: Harrison for excellent concentration in class.
- ★ Year 5: Chloe for working really hard in maths.
- ★ Year 6: Princesser for having such a positive attitude towards her learning and always being on hand to help.

STARTING SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER 2020?

The closing date for Secondary School Applications is **31st October 2019** and Primary School Applications is **15th January 2020**.

In order to have the best chance of securing a place at your child's preferred school, it is essential that you submit your application before this date. Any forms received after this date will be a late application. For any information and advice regarding your application go to www.coventry.gov.uk/schooladmissions



BLESSING OF ANIMALS FOR THE FEAST OF ST FRANCIS



To mark the feast of St Francis, Patron Saint of Animals, St Patrick's Church will be having a special service on **Sunday, 6th October at 3:00pm** to bless your pets. Please go along and take your animals for this special blessing. The feast of St Francis is celebrated in many denominations, not just Catholic, so feel free to invite friends and neighbours. The service will be very child friendly so bring the younger members of your family too.



WELCOME BACK MEETING

Please be reminded that we are holding our 'Welcome Meeting' for all classes *apart from Reception* on

Thursday, 26th September at 5:30pm to discuss the overview of our curriculum amongst other school items. Please join us if you can.

SCHOOL MEALS PAYMENT

Unfortunately we have a number of dinner money accounts which remain unpaid in spite of repeated reminders. School dinners are no different to any other business in that meals have to be paid for by someone - we wouldn't expect to go to a restaurant and not have to pay for our meal. In the event that an account has an outstanding balance, we will notify parents and expect the debt to be cleared immediately. If after this time the amount is still outstanding, your child will need to bring in a packed lunch as we will not be able to provide a full school meal until the debt has been cleared. The current cost of a school meal is £2.17 per day/£10.85 per week and payment *must* be made via your ParentMail Account. Meals need to be paid for a week in advance. **May we also remind parents who have a debt on their account, even though their child/ren no longer has a school meal - this debt still has to be paid and your account cleared.** Thank you.



TUDOR WORLD TRIP

As part of their topic work on The Tudors, we have arranged to take our Year 5 children to **Tudor World**, on **Friday, 15th November**. Letters were sent out this week requesting a £10 payment to be made via ParentMail by Monday, 4th November. Thank you.



NEW BABY NEWS

Huge congratulations to Miss Gardner on the new addition to her family. *Ella-Rae Grace* arrived at the weekend weighing a very healthy 7lb 5oz. Miss Gardner is now on maternity leave enjoying lots of cuddles!!!



HARVEST COLLECTION

Would you like to support us by sending in food items to help feed people in need? Non-perishable foods such as tinned food, pasta, sugar, tea & coffee are useful. If you are able to help, please send your items in between Monday, 23rd September until Friday, 4th October. Thank you to those that have already contributed.

STAFF/VISITOR CAR PARK

As you know, we regularly remind parents about the rules in respect of parking on the school site. We are unable to accommodate parents' cars unless authorised by the school office. These rules apply to all parents and carers and we urge you to adhere to our request. **This also includes parents who are using the services of 'Fun for Kids' before and after school.** Thank you.



SCHOOL UNIFORM

The children have all returned to school this term looking incredibly smart, however we already have items of lost property due to items of uniform not being labelled with children's names. Please ensure that all uniform is marked with your child's name so that we can quickly return lost items to their owner.

MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

We are holding a Macmillan Coffee Morning in school on **Friday, 27th September** from **9:00am**. Tea and coffee will be provided, if parents could kindly provide cakes. Cakes can be handed into the School Office by Thursday, 26th September. All donations will be gratefully received on behalf of Macmillan. Please come along and join us to support this wonderful cause. Thank you.

