

SANDRINGHAM NEWS

Nurture Enrich Inspire

Friday 9th October 2020



Message from Mrs Money

It is hard to believe that we have been back for 5 weeks already and that the half term holiday is just around the corner. The children have adjusted back into school life remarkably well and although they are exhausted, our new Reception and Nursery children have settled well too.

Thank you to those of you who have already booked your appointments for parents evening. Please ensure that you specified if you would prefer a Microsoft Teams or phone call and that you left your email address and phone numbers on the booking form. Please remember that phones may show 'unknown number' instead of the school number. If for any reason we cannot contact you on Teams, teachers will still call you on the phone at your allotted time. Please take the time to check that your camera/microphones are set up and working prior to your appointment.

If you or your friends have a child due to start Reception in September 2021 please contact the school office for information about the opportunity to visit the school. Due to current guidelines restricting visitors into school, I am going to hold these meetings on Saturday mornings to offer parents the opportunity to look around the school grounds and find out more about the school.

Although uncertainty surrounding travel abroad and booking of holidays remains, schools have been asked to remind parents/carers that if they take their children out of school without authority, they will be liable to receive a penalty notice. Currently the amount payable under a penalty notice is £60.00 per parent/carers per child if paid within 21 days. Thereafter the amount increases to £120.00 if paid between 21 and 28 days. If the penalty notice remains unpaid after 28 days, the Local Authority will consider a prosecution in the Magistrates Court. Please note that penalty notices are issued per parent/carers per child so a family of two parents and two children will receive 4 penalty notices.

This half term our core value is friendship and children are learning how to be a good friend and listening to stories about the beauty of friendship. This includes the concept of being kind to and helping others in need. Our harvest collection this year will be donated to the local foodbank which is currently supporting more local families than ever before. Please help us to support this charity by sending in any dried goods such as rice, pasta, cans and cereals.

Thank you for your ongoing support. Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

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PLEASE REMEMBER

SCHOOL DAY

Reception - 8.40 - 3pm

Year 1 & 2- 8.50 - 3.10pm

Friday - Reception: 12.45
Year 1 & 2: 1pm

Nursery - as per your
child's arranged sessions

Please be prompt for
drop off and collection
but only join the line at
your child's allotted time.

HARVEST DONATIONS

Please support our local
food bank by sending in
your donations of dried
goods such as pasta, rice,
cans and cereals.

EARRINGS

If your child is wearing
earrings to school
parents must sign a
disclaimer to accept all
responsibility for injury
and ears must be taped
at home for PE sessions.
Please ask the school
office for this form.

INSET DAYS

Tuesday 1st September

Friday 28th May

Monday 22nd February

Wednesday 21st July

1 further INSET date
for the Spring term TBC



Autumn Term diary dates

Thursday 15th October - 4 - 7pm - Parents Consultation appointments

Monday 19th October - 3.30 - 5.30pm - Parents Consultation appointments

These will be on 'Teams' or via phone calls this year due to current guidelines. These appointments will be for all year groups. Please sign up for an appointment and be sure to include your email and phone contact details.

Please note different teachers may have additional dates in addition to the above.

Thursday 22nd October - Harvest assembly - for children only. Please send tinned food and dried products into school on Monday 19th for our collection on Thursday for the local food bank. Food will be quarantined so please send donations into school on Monday if possible. Thankyou.

Friday 23rd October - End of Half Term

Monday 2nd November - Start of term

Week of 2nd November - Remembrance week

Week of 9th November - Diwali week

Friday 13th November - Children in Need

Children are invited to come to school in mufti or children in need merchandise with a donation towards the appeal.

Monday 23rd November - Magical Maths Day

Whole day full of exciting mathematical themed activities for all the children.

Friday 27th November - Flu immunisations

Further information to follow

Friday 4th December - Reindeer Run in school event in aid of the Phyllis Tuckwell Trust. More information to follow.

Thursday 10th December - Christingle celebrations and school Christmas lunch

Friday 11th December - National Christmas Jumper day

Reception Nativity - we are hoping that a Nativity in some form will still be possible but this will be dependant on Government guidelines nearer the time. We are liaising closely with the Church and even if this is without an audience and filmed to share with parents we would love to still go ahead.

Wednesday 16th December - Christmas party day

Friday 18th December - End of term - 12.45 - Nursery and Reception / 1pm - Year 1 and 2

Please note this is for ALL children. There will be no Friday club on this date.

NHS guidance

The main symptoms are coronavirus are;

- A high temperature
- A new, continuous cough - this means coughing a lot, for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours
- A loss or change to sense of smell or taste - this means they cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell different to normal

What to do if your child has symptoms:

1. Get a test to check if they have coronavirus as soon as possible
2. Stay at home and do not have visitors until you get the test result - only leave your home to have a test

Anyone you live with, and anyone in your support bubble must stay at home until you get the result. **PLEASE KEEP SCHOOL INFORMED OR ANY ILLNESS/TESTING.**

KITE 5th BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

