

Heckington St Andrew's Church of England Primary School Newsletter



6th February 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

I can't believe we're nearly at half term already! We do hope you will be able to join us next week at our various events where the children will be sharing their fantastic learning from this half term:

- 10.02.20 - Oak Class Stay & Learn at 2.30 p.m.
- 11.02.20 - Willow Class Worship for parents at 9.00 a.m.
- 11.02.20 - Silver Birch Stay & Learn at 2.30 p.m.
- 12.02.20 - Rowan & Hazel class Worship for parents at 9.00 a.m.
- 12.02.20 - Chestnut & Maple Class Stay & Learn at 2.30 p.m.

Coming home with the newsletter next week will be the dates for next half term up until Easter so keep an eye for these.

Yours sincerely
Mrs J Bentley

Maple Class

A reminder of our fund raising activities that will be happening next week to help us raise some money to improve our outdoor area.

If you are able to support any of the following events, the children would be really grateful:

Whole school non uniform on Monday (10th) with a £1 optional donation.



The children will also be running a healthy snack stall during break time on Tuesday 11th selling items such as: fruit kebabs, smoothies and flapjacks

Attendance

It has come to our attention that, across the school, an alarming number of days of education are being lost to illness. Every day counts and children who miss a day may feel left behind as the class moves on. We do appreciate that there are a lot of illnesses around at this time of the year and children who are ill should remain at home. However, if your child is just feeling a little under the weather or "off colour", we would encourage you to boost their resilience and send them to school where they will be monitored but can continue with their learning. If we have any concerns, we will always contact you to collect them.

On a related note, we have noticed the number of absences tends to rise either side of school holidays. Whilst children may feel run-down towards the end of term, we also recognise that the cost of holidays during term time are significantly cheaper! Please help us to raise your child's appreciation of the value of their education by keeping them in school as much as possible.

Thank you for your continued support.

dates for your Diary

- 10.02.20 - Non-school uniform day
- 10.02.20 - Bikeability for Year 5 starts
- 10.02.20 - Oak Class Stay & Learn 2.30 p.m.
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- 13.02.20 - Celebration Assembly (including merits and values awards)
- 13.02.20 - End of Term 3
- 24.02.20 - Start of Term 4



SCHOOL CLOSURES



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Bags for School

SAVE THE DATE! Please start saving old clothes ready for Bags for School. Bags will be coming home soon, to be returned to school on by 9:00am. on 4th March.

