



Hollington Primary Academy Newsletter

SCHOOL MEALS

INTERSERVE are the new caterers for school dinners. The good news is that the children have noticed an improvement in the meals. Please note that jacket potatoes and baguettes are no longer an option every day. The cost of a school dinner is £2.10- this must be paid in advance.

PARENTPAY is on its way!

Please be aware that from half term you will no longer be able to pay for a school meal using cash and that all payments must be made in advance using ParentPay. More details to follow.

HELP YOUR CHILD TO

THINK BIG!



Be on time every day- school starts at 8.50am

Be smart- take pride in your uniform

Be organised with your homework

Be tidy and take care of your belongings

Be a problem-solver when things go wrong



I know I am cute but I don't belong in a school. Please do not bring me onto the school site which is a DOG-FREE zone. Thank you.

ACADEMY SECURITY

We always take security and the safety of your children very seriously. Following a recent review of safeguarding, some new fencing is being installed by UoBAT in the next few days, and the perimeter gates will shortly be automated so that you will need to press a buzzer to gain access. Please be aware that once the work has been completed we will be locking all gates, except for the gate adjacent to the office at 9am. Any children, parents or visitors who arrive between 9am and 3pm will only be able to enter the academy via that gate. Parents are reminded that no parent cars are permitted to use the staff car park- parents requesting access will be asked to reverse back down the drive, which is not the easiest feat.



HARVEST

Our Harvest festival this year takes place on Thursday 28th September. This is year we are trying something different. Instead of bringing in tins of food we are asking each child to bring in some money to donate to a charity which is helping people affected by recent flooding in Sierra Leone.



Dates for the Diary

18 th October	School photos (individual)
18 th /19 th October	Parent Consultation Evenings
23 rd -29 th October	Half Term
30 th October	Children return to school
8 th November	Flu Jabs- Reception to Y4
13 th November	Anti-Bullying Week
17 th November	Children in Need
14 th December	Reception Christmas performance
15 th December	KS1 Christmas performances
18 th December	KS2 Christmas performances
19 th December	Christmas dinner
20 th December	Last Day of Term
4 th January	Return to school