

Welcome Back!

THANK YOU

It is lovely to see all the children looking so smart in their uniforms and new black school shoes.

This helps them to get off to the best possible start. Please help them to keep their smart appearance up by naming all of their clothes so that they do not get lost.

THINK BIG, BE SMART

STAFFING CHANGES THIS TERM

As you are aware Mr Smith has taken on the role of Vice Principal. Mr Miles has taken on his role as Year 6 Teacher and Key Stage 2 Leader.

We welcome a number of new members of staff to our team.

Mrs Saxby has joined us as our new Reception teacher. Mrs Beale and Mrs Upton have both joined us Key Stage 2 teachers.

We have also been joined by Miss Hoath and Miss Little in our nursery and look forward to benefiting from their contributions.

DATES FOR THE YEAR

- 11.10.18- Harvest Assembly
- 17/ 18.10.18- Parent Consultations
- 19.10.18- INSET DAY
- 22.10.18- Half Term
- 29.10.18- INSET DAY
- 19.12.18- Break Up
- 3.1.18- INSET DAY

SCHOOL DINNERS

Work was scheduled to repair the hall floor over the summer but unfortunately when the flooring was removed it became clear that there was a problem which the work scheduled would not address. This has prolonged the work and the hall is out of action for the next few weeks. School dinners will need to be eaten in the small hall during this period, and this will result in some changes to the published menus. I appreciate the frustration that you may be feeling but please bear with us during this time which is causing us as an academy some considerable disruption.

ATTENDANCE

All children are expected to be in school by 8.50am every day.

If your child is too unwell to attend please contact the office before 10am each day that they are off.

Please make appointments for outside of school hours to avoid unnecessary absence. Holidays in term time are not authorised and will result in a fine.

Children are rewarded for their good attendance- please make sure that your child is one of them.

CELEBRATING SUCCESS

Please talk to your child about their smileys and look out for texts and certificates celebrating these.

If your child receives a 'Think Big' Certificate you will be invited to attend the assembly on Friday



PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT THE OFFICE HAS ALL YOUR UP TO DATE CONTACT DETAILS AND THAT WE HAVE AT LEAST TWO CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBERS IN CASE OF EMERGENCIES.



DATA PROTECTION

We recently sent out data request forms so that we can keep our records fully up to date. Please ensure that you inform the office of any changes to your data. This data is always held securely and only accessed by authorised staff. Please make sure that you provide at least three telephone contact numbers in case we need to contact you in an emergency. Please return your data form, along with the photographic permission slip, by Monday 21st May, if you have not done so already.

