



Headteacher Newsletter 2



Week Commencing: Monday 16th September 2019

Value of the Month: Friendship

School Photographs

School photograph day went very smoothly on Friday and all photograph proofs were sent home. Orders can be placed either online or via the form. Forms must be sent to the school office by Monday 30th September.

Extra-Curricular Clubs

Extra-curricular clubs are now booked online using ParentMail in 'Shop'. If you would like your child to attend, please use this system. If you are experiencing any difficulties, please use the help button or alternatively, see Mrs Doherty in the office.

Playgroup

Please let family members and friends know that playgroup has resumed every Tuesday morning at the usual time of 9:15am. This is now lead by Mrs Collinge who will be planning creative activities each week. There is also a designated Facebook Page to follow – Ireleth St. Peter's Playgroup.

Star of the Week

Nursery – Ayaan Patel
Dolphin Class – Rose Wallace
Whale Class – Alexis-Hayley Buckingham
Shark Class – Mia McMinn

Well done children!

This year, we are asking for jumpers to be washed at home and brought back to school the following Monday. Thank you.



Jeans4Genes

On Friday 20th September, we will be supporting Jeans4Genes, a charity who raise funds to support those children affected by genetic disorders. Children are invited to come to school wearing jeans and bring a contribution of £1.

School jumpers/cardigans, tops and school shoes should still be worn. The only difference being jeans. Thank you for your support. If you do not wish to participate, please send your child in normal school uniform.

Lunches

Where possible, please can all lunches be ordered in advance using our online system for Dolce – School Grid. This makes it easier for the kitchen to plan future ordering and reduces waste. Thank you in advance.

The School Day

8:45-8:55	Door Open
8:55	Registration
9:00	Collective Worship
9:15	Session 1
10:15	Break
10:30	Session 2
11:00	Session 3
11:55	Lunch EY
12:00	Lunch KS1
12:10	Lunch KS2
1:00	Session 4
2:00	Break (EY/KS1 only)
2:00	Session 5
2:15	Session 5 for EY/KS1
3:15	Home time

Support at Home

It has been lovely to hear from staff in school that children are reading at home and being supported with their learning. The partnership between home and school is crucial and we have made a great start this year! Please return the 'Home School Agreement' which is being sent home today, returning to school no later than Friday 27th September. On another note, if anyone would like to volunteer to read in Dolphin Class, please see Mrs Kidson.



Black bins

As a school, we have been instructed by the Council to use black bin bags for everything we dispose of otherwise the bins will not be emptied. Please take note of this if you are using the bins for general rubbish or dog waste and start a new bin bag - these are usually tied to the bins.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Dates for your diary...

- Monday 16th September – Swimming begins for Shark Class (10 weeks)
Richard Butler, UVHS, to see Year 5/6
- Tuesday 17th September – Cumbria Cricket 2/3 for Reception – Year 6
- Wednesday 18th September – Emma Aubrey, Dowdales, to see Year 5/6
- Friday 20th September – Jeans for Genes Day
Dowdales Fun Run Reception/Key Stage 1 3:45 pm
- Friday 27th September – Friends of Ireleth (FOI) MacMillan Coffee Morning, 9am
- Friday 18th October – End of term.
- Monday 28th October – Autumn Term 2 begins
Year 5 Bikeability
- Tuesday 29th and Wednesday 30th October – Parents Evening, 3:30-6:00pm.

As always, please do not hesitate to get in touch with any queries in person or via email.

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