



Newsletter September 2016

The children have settled well into their new classes and all look lovely and smart in their new uniforms.

Money



Just a reminder that money needs to be sent in clearly marked with your child's name and details of what it is for. School Meals remain unchanged at £2.10 per day (£10.50 per week), children of Infant age (Reception, Y1 and Y2) will continue to receive a free school meal next year. Milk also remains unchanged at £9.10 per term.

Fancy Dress

On Friday 16th September the children are encouraged to come in to school dressed up in a space themed outfit as part of our work on Space this term.



Holidays during Term Time

Holidays during term time can be granted only in 'exceptional circumstances'. Holidays will not be given authorised absence and may be subject to fines.

Parents/Carers into School – Autumn Term

Parents and carers are invited into school to meet staff and look at the work the children have done so far. Your child's teacher will confirm times nearer the time but the date is Wednesday 28th September.

PTA Meeting

There will be a PTA meeting next Friday at 10.30am, to discuss recent applications for funding from across the school. If anyone would like to attend please come along and join us.

Hebburn Helps – Food Bank



Hebburn Helps is a community voluntary organisation who aims to help people and families in the South Tyneside area in need; they are based in the out of school building at Coleridge Square entrance to Early Excellence Centre. Food parcels are available to those in need, free food Friday's run 10-12 and a clothing bank on the last Wednesday of every month. Donations are greatly appreciated Tuesday and

Thursday 1:15-4:00 and Wednesday and Friday 09:30 – 12:00. If you would like more information find Hebburn Helps food bank on Facebook or call Angie on 07927358801.

Uniform and PE Kits

Could you please ensure all items of clothing, coats and shoes are clearly labelled with your child's name. Currently, the school uniform is white or pale blue polo shirt, with a royal blue sweatshirt (these can be purchased with the school logo at school) with grey or black skirt or trousers. PE kit is a pale blue t shirt and royal blue shorts, these can also be purchased at school.

Parent Governor Election

Parent governor election will be running soon, details are attached.

Parentmail

We have re-sent registration details for Parentmail again for those who are not registered. As we now accept payment for dinners, milk, clubs and visits etc.... online through Parentmail. If you want to use online payments you will need to register with Parentmail first, if you have not already.

Dates for Your Diary

Wednesday 28th September – Parents and Carers into school
Wednesday 19th October - Parent Makaton
Monday 24th October –Friday 28th October – Half Term Holiday
Wednesday 30th November - Parent Makaton
Monday 19th December – Monday 2nd January – Christmas Holiday