



Newsletter Date 9th October 2020



COVID Testing Centres

Information regarding local Testing Centres can be found on www.Gloucestershire.gov.uk

Gloucestershire Young Carers Halloween Virtual Bakeoff

Please visit the website if you would like to take part.



Important Dates to Remember:

Monday 19th October—PTA Online Zoom Meeting

Tuesday 20th October—Flu Immunisation Programme

Thursday 22nd October—school finishes for half-term

Friday 23rd October—INSET Day, children not in

Monday 2nd November - Back to school

Road Safety

We have received concerns from a local resident regarding our school pupils who have been seen running back and forth across the road by Turner Road/Hadley Road.

Please remind your children about road safety, especially now the nights are drawing in.

Flu Immunisation—20th October

Please complete and return the form online or return the paper copy to the school office early next week, if you have not already done so.

PTA Online Zoom Meeting

The PTA are holding their AGM via Zoom online at 8.00pm on Monday 19th October, if you would like to join in.

Mask Wearing and Social Distancing

Parents and carers please make sure that you are wearing a facial covering or shield when entering the school site. It is also important that you stick to the 2m distancing rule when waiting to drop off or collect your child from school. If you are unable to wear a mask due to medical reasons then please make sure that you adhere to the 2m distancing ruling. It's paramount that we all try to work together to ensure that our school site is a safe place for everyone. Thank you in advance for your support with this matter.

School Uniform

Children are starting to wear non uniform items, ie jumpers and shoes. Whilst we were understanding of difficulties at the beginning of this school year due to the Covid situation, it has become apparent that more and more children are not adhering to the school dress code. If your child is unable to wear their full uniform for any reason, please inform the class teacher or obtain authorisation from Mrs Bennett. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.





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Remote Learning Letter and Pupil & Parent Agreements

Please make sure that you have a copy of the school's 'Online Remote learning Letter' that contains information on how the school will provide remote learning for pupils who are self-isolating or shielding.

Online Survey: It also contains a link to a survey that we would like parents to complete, in order to inform the school of any child or family that does not have access to a computer or tablet for online learning. Please complete the online survey by Friday 16th October.

Pupil & Parent Agreements: Two letters have been sent out today for parents to discuss with their child about online learning and responsible use of IT in school. Please make sure that agreements are signed and returned to school by Friday 16th October.

Parent Evening ZOOM Codes:

The school office will be sending out ZOOM codes to parents next week. Please make sure that you keep your child's class ZOOM login and passcode safe. About 1-2 mins before your allocated appointment time, please log into the meeting, where you will be placed in an online waiting room until your child's teacher is ready to hold your meeting. If you have not received your ZOOM codes by Friday 16th October then please contact the school office.

If your child has a SEND plan (My Plan/My Plan+/EHCP), you will be invited to review the plan and set new targets, along with the class teacher and SENDCo (Mrs Wainwright), within the following times:

- Cherry Class (Miss Doyle) afternoon of Monday 9th November
- Juniper Class (Miss Beavis) afternoon of Tuesday 10th November
- Elm Class (Mrs Palin) morning of Friday 13th November
- Willow (Mrs Daane) morning of Wednesday 11th November
- Cedar (Miss Penrose) morning of Tuesday 17th November
- Oak (Miss Didcott) morning of Wednesday 18th November
- Maple (Mr Hitchman) morning of Monday 16th November

Redwood (Mrs Hulme) morning of Thursday 19th November

Please note, these meetings will be held via ZOOM.

There will be more information to follow via the VLE, during the week beginning 12th October, regarding how you book your 30-minute ZOOM slot.

Harvest Collection

Thank you to all the children that have donated items for the school's Harvest collection. Your kindness is very much appreciated and will benefit the local community foodbank.

School Breaks up for Half Term on Thursday 22nd October.

INSET day Friday 23rd October - School closed to pupils.

Pupils return to school on Monday 2nd November.

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