

2<sup>nd</sup> September 2016

**LETTER 1**

Dear Parents/Guardians

**WELCOME BACK**

A huge welcome back to school at the beginning of this new academic year and I hope that you have had a wonderful and restful summer break.

**CLASS NAMES**

We have decided to continue to name our classes after prominent authors. The children will learn all about their author, their life and what inspired them to become a writer. Your child will have access a range of books written by the author and complete book reviews to share with other classes. Our aim is for your child to love reading as much as we do and develop a passion for books!

**2 Year olds room – Sue Hendra . Teacher – Miss Donnelly**

**Nursery – Eric Carle. Teacher - Miss Kerr**

**Reception - Jill Murphy. Teacher - Miss O'Connor**

**Reception - Robert Munsch . Teacher – Miss Rowe**

**Year 1 – Trish Cooke. Teacher – Miss Raine/ Mr. Matthews**

**Year 1 - Giles Andreae. Teacher – Mrs. Hutchinson**

**Year 2 – Julia Donaldson. Teacher – Miss Hawksworth**

**Year 2 - Mary Hoffman. Teacher – Miss Gibbs**

**Year 3 - Sarah McIntyre. Teacher – Mrs. Collington / Miss Purdy**

**Year 3 – Anthony Brown. Teacher – Mrs. Jowett**

**Year 4 –Anthony Horowitz. Teacher – Mr. Gill**

**Year 4 –Roald Dahl. Teacher – Miss LaPointe**

**Year 5 – John Agard. Teacher – Mrs. Bedford/ Mr. Smith**

**Year 5 – Jamila Gavin. Teacher – Miss Holmes / Mr. Carlile**

**Year 6 – Malorie Blackman. Teacher – Miss Griffiths**

**Year 6 – Anita Desai. Teacher - Miss Pitman**

**SCHOOL CORRESPONDENCE**

Please look out for the Primary School newsletter that will be sent out every Friday. Copies of the letters can be found on the school website. We also send text messages out to inform parents what is going on in school, so would you please ensure that we have an up to date contact number for you.

**BREAKFAST CLUB**

We run a **free** breakfast club for children in Reception class through to Year 6, which starts at **7.45am** until the school day begins at 8.20am. Breakfast is served from **7.45am to 8am**. Children will not be admitted to breakfast club after **8am**. Children must be signed in by their parent / carer.

**SCHOOL DINNERS**

School lunches are priced at £2.00 per day and must be paid for in advance. You can pay for school meals either via Parentpay, our online payment system or via the machines within school.

**FREE SCHOOL MEALS**

All children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 will get a free school meal - regardless of their parents income. However we recommend that you still apply for free school meals if you meet the criteria below as you may receive assistance with school uniforms and milk and the school could receive pupil premium which will help towards your child achieving their best at school.

You should apply for Free School Meals if you qualify for any of the following benefits:

- . Income Support
- . Income- based Job Seekers Allowance
- . Income- related Employment and Support Allowance
- . Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- . The guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- . Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- . Working Tax Credit run on- paid 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- . Universal Credit

Application forms for Free School Meals can be obtained from the Primary office.

**SCHOOL UNIFORM**

Children have returned to school looking smart in their school uniforms. Thank you for supporting school in the implementation of the school uniform policy. It is important that this standard is maintained throughout the school year. Please ensure that all items of clothing are clearly marked with your child name.

May I please remind you that black pumps are required in school and no trainers are allowed.





**HAIR STYLES**

Hair styles should be neat and sensible. Coloured hair, hair gel or tramlines, Mohicans etc. are not permitted. Long hair should be tied back and hair styles should not prevent a child from viewing the board or their work. Bobbles, hair clips and head bands should be functional and plain to avoid loss, damage or injury. Large bows are not to be worn in school.

**EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS**

If any of your contact details have changed recently e.g. Address and telephone numbers etc, please inform the Primary office as soon as possible.

**SCHOOL CAR PARK**

For health and safety reasons, will parents please not bring their cars into the school car park. The car park is extremely hectic and we ask that you accompany your child all the way to the primary school doors.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation in this matter.

**BOOK BAGS**

School book bags are available from the Primary office at a cost of £3.00 each.

**SUMMER HAMPERS**

Thank you for supporting our non-uniform day before the summer holidays. As a result a lot of our families have enjoyed our summer hampers. Thank you for your continued support.

**MEDICATION**

As it's a new academic year would please ensure that any medication, including inhalers, are handed in to the primary office and a new medication from is completed to cover the 2016/2017 school year. Medication must be prescribed for your child by a Doctor.

Yours sincerely

Mrs. J Clarke  
Executive Principal





**SCHOOL MENU- W/C 5<sup>th</sup> September 2016**

**Monday**

Pork sausage, Yorkshire pudding, creamed potatoes, broccoli, swede, gravy, mixed salad or  
Quorn sausage, Yorkshire pudding, creamed potatoes, broccoli, swede, gravy, mixed salad or  
Jacket potatoes served with tuna mayo/coleslaw/cheese  
Cheese or tuna sandwiches  
Eve's pudding & custard /sliced fresh fruit/ jelly

**Tuesday**

Chicken curry & rice, baby baked potatoes, garden salad, coleslaw or  
Cheese flan, baby baked potatoes, garden salad, coleslaw  
Jacket potatoes served with tuna mayo/coleslaw/cheese  
Cheese or egg mayo sandwiches  
Lemon & sultana roly poly & custard/ sliced fresh fruit /jelly

**Wednesday**

Roast beef, roast potatoes, cauliflower, green beans, gravy or  
Crumbled vegetable patty, roast potatoes, cauliflower, green beans, gravy  
Jacket potatoes served with tuna mayo/coleslaw/cheese  
Cheese or ham sandwiches  
Cheese cake/ sliced fresh fruit/ jelly

**Thursday**

Baked fish, chips, baked beans, mushy peas, mixed salad or  
Marguerite pizza, baked beans, mushy peas, mixed salad  
Jacket potatoes served with tuna mayo/coleslaw/cheese  
Cheese or tuna sandwiches  
Jelly & custard/ sliced fresh fruit / yoghurt

**Friday**

Beef chilli wraps, spicy Cajun potato wedges, peas, sweetcorn, mixed salad or  
Quorn bolognaise and vegetable wraps, spicy Cajun potato wedges, peas, sweetcorn, mixed salad  
Jacket potatoes served with tuna mayo/coleslaw/cheese  
Cheese or egg mayo sandwiches  
Artic roll/sliced fresh fruit/ jelly

