



Staff Changes

Miss Righton has today gone on maternity leave. We wish Miss Righton and her partner all the very best in welcoming their new addition to their family! We are looking forward to working with Mr Hill, who will be teaching our Year 1 class for the rest of the academic year.

YR2024 Open Afternoon

Our open afternoon for parents of children due to start Reception class in September 2024 takes place on Wednesday 15th November from 3.30-6.30pm. If you would like to make an appointment please contact the school office.

Term 2 Menus

The menus for Term 2 are now live to order your child's school lunches from. The deadline for the first week of Term 2 is **Tuesday 24th October at 3.00pm.**

Online Safety

This week's focus is on 'Supporting Children to deal with Upsetting Content'. Please see the attached guide.

Croft Drive – Road Markings

Please could we ask parents, carers and any other adults bringing or collecting children to/from school to be aware of the new yellow road markings in Croft Drive. There are now restricted waiting times in this road. Please ensure you do not park in this street where the markings are in place. Thank you.

Absences & Illness

Please can all absences be reported at the school office via telephone, email or parentmail. Please **do not** send absence messages directly to teachers via Class Dojo. If your child is unwell please remember to keep them off school for **48 hours** after the last episode of sickness/diarrhoea to ensure a full recovery and prevent passing on infections. Please be conscious of the effect of passing on infections to other children and staff in school. Thank you.

Changes in Details

Please let the school office know if you have recently changed any of your contact details so that we can get hold of you in case of emergencies or if your child is poorly.

Y7 2024 Applications

If your child is due to start Secondary school next September please ensure you complete an application at www.lincolnshire.gov.uk Parents can apply for a place from **Friday 8th September 2023**. Applications should be made by **Tuesday 31st October 2023**. Offered places are online on Friday 1st March 2024.

Reception 2024 Applications

Children born between 1 September 2019 and 31 August 2020 are due to start Reception in September 2024. Parents can apply for a place at www.lincolnshire.gov.uk from **Wednesday 15th November 2023**. Applications should be made by **Monday 15th January 2024**.

Pantomime Trip

You will have received a letter recently regarding the key stage school trips to the Pantomime at the Guildhall on **Monday 18th December** for all the children, as a treat prior to school finishing for the Christmas break. Please make payment and given consent via your ParentMail account no later than **Wednesday 13th December**.

Term Dates

Term 2 begins on: **Tuesday 31st October at 8.50am.**

Term 2 finishes on: **Thursday 21st December at 3.10/3.15pm.**

Cold Weather

As the winter months are upon us please ensure your children have their coats with them every day. Some PE lessons will still take place outside so please send children wearing tracksuit bottoms.

'...these three remain: faith, hope & love; and the greatest of these is love.' 1 Cor 13:13

Rooted in faith, family & friendship. Growing in hope & aspiration. Flourishing in love.

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