

DIARY DATES THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday 12th September

Library Visit 11.45am Staff Meeting 3.30pm

20 Is Plenty 3.30pm St. Editha's Church

Tuesday 13th September

Wednesday 14th September

Thursday 15th September

Friday 16th September

Friday 9th September 2022

School News:

HRH Queen Elizabeth II

As the country is in mourning, after the death of HRH Queen Elizabeth II, we have taken the decision to postpone next week's story week and Roald Dahl day as a sign of respect to her and the Royal Family. We will give you plenty of notice as to when this will take place as we are waiting for confirmation of dates as to when the Queen's funeral will be held. Today, as a school, we have held a moment of silence during an assembly and given opportunities to the children, during Circle Time, to talk about what has happened and how they feel. If you feel your child is struggling with their feelings during this time of change, please let us know and we can work together to support them.



Next week, each class will be commemorating HRH Queen Elizabeth II life by sending a piece of age appropriate work to Buckingham Palace. Alongside this, all planned parent workshops will be rescheduled for after the Queen's funeral. These dates will be confirmed at a later date. Thank you for your understanding.

First Week of Term

The children have all settled well into school life and their new classes this week. Mr Anderson and Mrs Hands have both said how lovely the school is and are very much looking forward to the coming year. Miss Barrow is equally busy thinking of wonderful ideas for the children during their independent learning and what they will be learning about. Miss Langan is very proud of her class in how brave they have all been when they say goodbye to their parents.

Parent Workshops

We will be working out the new dates for these workshops as soon as the dates of current events become clearer. The Phonics/Early Reading Workshop will be the opportunity for us to share with you how we teach phonics and early reading skills. We will be using this opportunity to talk about the Phonics Check that Year 1 will be taking in June. The Early Maths Workshops will be an opportunity for us to share with you how we teach early Maths to the children in Class 1 and 2.

Parent Pay

We are currently experiencing some technical difficulties with our Parent Pay and meal booking system. We are working as quickly as possible to remedy the situation and hope that it will be sorted out over the coming days. Please continue if you have an existing account and if you are not able to order please let your child's class teacher know and they can order for you. Please note that school meals are free to all pupils in Reception, Years 1 & 2. For pupils paying for school meals the cost is now £2.45 per day.

Parking

We thank the parents who have been parking on the institute pub car parks. The parking buddies have been a success in alleviating the parking issues on the narrow part of the High Street. Please S. Shaw think carefully as to where you park.

Daily Start & End Times — Monday to Friday

All Classes — 8.45 am (prompt) until 3:20 pm

Attendance for this week: Class 1 -100 %!!! Class 2 - 100 %!!!

Class 3 — Class 4 -96.8 % 99.3 % Whole School - 98.8 %



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