

Headteacher

Here we are again...another National Lockdown, thankfully this time we are open to all our children!! Please adhere to the guidelines of social distancing when approaching school, on the yard and leaving school and help us work together to keep everyone safe.

Mrs T Allen

Attendance

Well done to R1, Y2.5 and Y2.6 's classes for winning attendance bear this week!! 100% Come on R2 and Year 1, let's see if you can get 100% next week!!!

Strange Creatures Performance

Year 1 and Year 2 are VERY lucky to have an opportunity to see this performance next week in school. All guidelines will be adhered to and there will be no mixing of classes which is why we can only have 2 year groups, at separate times, to watch the performance but I'm sure it will be fantastic!!

ClassDojo and Active Learn

It's fantastic to see so many parents getting involved!! Keep checking for updates in the class story and please send messages and photos of what your child is getting up to at home!!

General Information for all Parents/Carers

Vision Aid- Just to remind you that we still support Vision Aid and any glasses that you no longer have any use for can be sent to school with your child and we will pass them on to Specsavers.

Batteries Recycling- We are also still collecting any used batteries in partnership with Groundworks in our pursuit to win another recycling prize for our school.

School Uniform and Book Bags - just a reminder that you can order online all uniform from Total Sport NE, Hendon Road, Sunderland, SR1 2JD.
We no longer sell uniform from the school office.

Online Payments –SIMS Pay

Any parents who require a code to set up your account please contact the school office and we will be able to assist you. All payments **must** be made online

Dates for your Diary 2020-2021

Wed 17 Nov 2020- Rec/Yr1/Yr2

Nasal FLU immunisations

Fri 13 Nov 2020 - Children in Need -NON uniform (no football strips to be worn)

Wed 16 Dec 2020- Christmas lunch

Fri 18 Dec 2020 - School Closes for holidays

Mon 4 Jan 2021 - **INSET** Day - school closed

Tues 5 Jan 2021 - School reopens

Tues 9 Feb 2021 - Internet Safety Day

Fri 12 Feb 2021 - School closes for half term

Mon 22 Feb 2021 - School reopens

Thurs 4 Mar 2021 - World Book Day

Fri 19 Mar 2021 - Comic Relief Day

Fri 26 Mar 2021 - School closes for Easter

Mon 12 Apr 2021 - School reopens

Mon 3 May 2021 - Bank holiday School closed

Tues 4 May 2021 - School reopens

Fri 28 May 2021 - School closes for half term

Mon 7 Jun 2021- **INSET** Day - School closed

Tues 8 Jun 2021- School reopens

Fri 18 Jun 2021 - St Benedict's Sunflower Day

Fri 16 Jul 2021- School closes for summer holiday

A complete list of 'Dates for your Diary' events which we hope to hold in school over the next academic year will be sent home as

ATTENDANCE FROM 1st SEPTEMBER 2020 Overall attendance 98% Target 97%

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| R1 | 98.2% | Y1.3 | 98.1% | Y2.5 | 97.7% |
| R2 | 98.0% | Y1.4 | 97.7% | Y2.6 | 98.3% |

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