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Dear Parents and Carers

Parent Consultation Evening – 13 and 14 November 2019

The online booking system for parent consultation evenings is still live if you haven't yet made your appointment and remains open until 24 hours before the meeting date. The appointments are bookable through your ParentMail account, this is the system you receive text messages from school through. If you are unable to access the online bookings, please call in at the school office and Mrs Clayton will help you to make your booking.

As we mentioned, at parent's evening you should receive four pieces of information from the teacher:

1. How your child has settled into life in their new year group.
2. What their attitude to learning is like.
3. Whether they are currently on track against the expectations for their year.
4. What you can do as parents to further support your child's learning.

I am certain you will have lots of questions to ask the teacher however, it is essential you leave your meeting clear on these four aspects. Also during the evening, there will be another opportunity to try the new menu the catering staff are serving to the children.

We have a book fair open on each of the evenings. This time, we have chosen The Book People to provide our book fair and as always, school directly benefits from the proceeds of the books sold.

Helping us to keep school running smoothly

Attendance

- If your child is not coming to school due to illness, please notify the school office as early as possible on the day.
- If your child has a medical appointment, including hospital, dental, doctors or any other, the school office should be notified and a letter or text confirmation should be presented.

Payments

- Please note that dinner money should be paid via ParentPay at least weekly in advance, but can also be paid monthly and termly in advance.
- All trips are payable through the ParentPay. Please make any payments as early as possible as this will enable us to plan the trips more efficiently.

Data Collection

- Always advise the office immediately if you move house or change your contact number/email address.



Food Bank Friday

This Friday is our termly Food Bank Friday in which we have a food drive to support the good work of the S20 Food Bank. The Food Bank are always exceedingly grateful of any donations but have asked us for the following:

We receive lots of donations and the items given really help us however certain things are donated often and this means we have an excess of them. The sorts of things that we get donated less frequently and could do with a focus on are:

- Squash/Fresh fruit juice
- Curry sauces
- Sponge puddings (e.g. treacle/chocolate, puddings etc)
- Tinned fruit
- Rice pudding
- Jam, Marmalade, Choc spread, Peanut Butter
- Tinned tomatoes
- Tinned potatoes
- Long life milk
- Shampoo, shower gel and deodorant (men's and women's)
- Pet food

Children In Need

On Friday, it is Children In Need 2019 and our theme is Wear What Makes You Happy! There are lots of fantastic fundraising ideas planned for the day including a cake sale, raffle to win a giant Pudsey bear and also the chance to win a VIP Afternoon Tea!!

National Road Safety Week 18–22 November

The week beginning 18 November is National Road Safety week. The theme for this year is Step up For Safe Streets which includes safe and healthy journeys. On Monday 18 November, Amy (Dr. Bike), our school road safety officer, will be joining us for an assembly and will be talking to the children about how they can stay safe whilst out and about. She has already done a piece of work with our Junior Road Safety Officers who have mapped a 5 minute park and stride map that will be sent out next week encouraging families to walk that little bit further to school.

In addition, the week sees the return of our very popular Pop UP Glow Shop. We have a variety of reflective items that children will be able to purchase before school on Tuesday 19, Wednesday 20 and Thursday 21 November outside the main entrance with prices ranging from between fifty pence and two pounds.

Things to look out for

Tuesday 12 November	School Photograph day
Tuesday 12 November	Y6 Maya workshop
Wednesday 13 November	Y1 Visit to Kelham Island Industrial Museum
Wednesday 13 November	Parent consultation evening
Thursday 14 November	Y2 Visit to Kelham Island Industrial Museum
Thursday 14 November	Parent consultation evening
W/C 18 November	National Road Safety Week
Thursday 21 November	MPG Christmas Fayre
W/C 25 November	Year 6 Mock SATs week
Tuesday 26 November	KS1 Sports Hall Athletics (more information to follow)
Thursday 28 November	Y5 visit to the National Coal Mining Museum

Kind Regards

Martin Fallon