

William Law CE Primary School



School Newsletter – February 2022

School Update from the Headteacher

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am sure you have heard the news regarding the “living with COVID” plan that the Prime Minister, Boris Johnson, announced on 21st February 2022. In light of this announcement, and following Local Authority guidelines, we have started to review restrictions in school. As you know, children are back in the hall for worship and lunch together, it is great to be able to be a whole school community again.

From Thursday, 10th March 2022, we will start allowing parents back into school for small events such as Class Assemblies and Music Evening. These will be limited to two adults per child to restrict the number of people in the hall at any one time. On Friday assemblies we will continue to have half of the school in the hall and half in classrooms watching over live streaming. We do ask that parents wear a face covering whilst walking through school and you can remove this when seated in the hall. The first class assembly will be Class 5J. At the moment, we will continue to record these assemblies for those parents who are not comfortable with attending in person.

Music Evening will also be live on Thursday, 10th March 2022. Due to children moving on in the last two years and not doing these events, we now have fewer children performing. A letter will be sent to those who are performing by Mrs Moorhouse.

I intend for the Year 4 production at the end of March also to be an in person event.

As always, we will continue to monitor COVID cases in relation to whether these events happen face-to-face or in a virtual capacity. As long as cases in school remain low, we will go ahead with face-to-face.

Staff Update

We have received resignations from Teaching Assistants, Miss Serino-Jordan who will be leaving us on 9th March 2022 and Mrs Slack who will be leaving us on 18th March 2022. Miss Watts, Receptionist will also be leaving us on 18th March 2022. We wish them all the best for their future.

Headlice



Please remember to periodically check your child's hair for headlice and treat as necessary if required. Below is a link to the NHS webpage regarding how best to deal with them if found.

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/head-lice-and-nits/>

Online Safety

This link will take you to a video about keeping children safe on gaming platforms. Please view it at your convenience.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YO6Ux7qfYXk>

OSC

We will be holding taster sessions on a Monday and Friday at The Hive, Out of School Club either for breakfast club or after school club starting from 1st March 2022. These sessions will be held on a first come first served basis and are free to attend. There will be limited availability and once your child has attended a taster session they will not be able to attend another one. If you are interested please email osc@williamlaw.peterborough.sch.uk to book a place at one of the taster sessions.



There is a carnival taking place at The Hive on 31st March 2022 (flyer to follow in due course). If your child would like to attend please email osc@williamlaw.peterborough.sch.uk to book a place and pay your fee.

If you wish to book permanent places at The Hive please email osc@williamlaw.peterborough.sch.uk or download an application form from the school website and email it through to that address.



Dear Parents,

Mrs Paterson is looking at forming a working group of parents who are willing to participate in a project alongside local charity Family Voice, to develop our school SEND Information Report.

The Information Report is supposed to be useful to help parents understand what William Law is able to offer to support children in school who may have identified additional learning needs, or who parents may be questioning if there is an underlying need.

At present, we feel that it is not as accessible as it could be and therefore would really like to work with parents to ensure it is as reader friendly as it can possibly be and help parents and potential parents see what the school offers to support our learners.

Please contact Mrs Paterson at sendco@williamlaw.peterborough.sch.uk should you be interested in getting involved.

If you are interested in learning more but are not able to commit to being part of the working group, please see the below dates for upcoming coffee mornings which would we would love to see many of you at!

Family Voice coffee morning	27/4/22	9.30 -10.30	WLS Coffee mornings- Booking link
Behaviours that challenge workshop	8/6/22	9.30 -12.30	WLS Behaviours that challenge 8/6/22 - booking link
Family coffee morning	6/7/22	9.30 -10.30	WLS Coffee mornings- Booking link

Diary Dates

Date	Event
3rd March	Year 3 and 4 Communion at St Johns World Book Day
4th March	Class Assembly – Class 9P Forest School – Class 10
11th March	Class Assembly – Class 5J Forest School – Class 10
18th March	Class Assembly – Butterflies Forest School – Class 10
21st March	Year 2 – Peterborough Cathedral visit
25th March	Class Assembly – Class 16LT Forest School – Class 10
29th March	Year 5 and 6 Easter Service at St John's Church
30th March	Class Assembly – Class 13H
31st March	2.00pm – Year 4 Production to Parents 6.30pm – Year 4 Production to Parents