

Frances Olive Anderson C of E Primary School

Snippets

Academic Year 2020/21

16/10/2020

Lea School!

We are having a promotional video made which we will upload to our website showing the building, the classrooms and our grounds. The filming will take place when the children are not in school.

This is to help promote our school particularly at this time when potential new parents/carers may not want to visit us.

Please help us to spread the word about the wonderful school we have here, as OFSTED said in their report we are:

'a happy and kind school with a family atmosphere'.

We currently have spaces in some year groups if you know of any families who may be interested in a place at our school, please encourage them to get in touch and make an appointment.

This year we have invited parent/carers of potential Reception pupils for September 2021 to make an appointment to visit our school out of hours in light of the risks associated with coronavirus.

So far we have had a good number of enquiries and appointments booked which is very encouraging.

In case of Closure of a Bubble.

Each child has a Seesaw account which has been updated to their new classes. Parent/carers were sent a Parent Hub with the details. Please keep this information safe as this is the way we will be providing home learning in case of us having to close a bubble or bubbles.

Headteacher Update

It has been a very strange week being in self-isolation, but I am so thrilled with the way we have continued to carry out all of our daily tasks, kept in constant communication with each other and the whole school community has worked successfully to ensure that the pupils are safe, happy and continuing to learn.

Please be assured that we are keeping up to date with and following all of the latest government guidance to ensure that we are providing the safest possible environment for your children to learn in.

I hope to be back in school next Thursday when I complete my self-isolation for the last day of half term.

Parent Consultations

Thank you for your communications regarding your preferred method of meeting your child's classteacher after half term. We hope all will run smoothly, but if there any guideline changes there may be issues so please bear with us.

Teachers have carried out teacher assessments and used more formal progress tests this week to ensure that we have an accurate picture of where we need to focus our teaching and learning after half term.

This will be discussed with you individually during the consultation.

Attendance

We are delighted to see so many children in school. Here are our attendance figures to date.
3rd Sept – 16th October
97.62%

Nellie

It is with great sadness that we will be saying goodbye and good luck in your retirement to Nellie at the end of this half term.

Nellie has been a huge part of our school community for many many years, we know that the staff and children will miss her greatly.

We will be holding a remote assembly for her in school on Thursday afternoon and we are sure that some of you may wish to send her a good luck and thank you message.

If you do please email the office directly at office@olive-anderson.lincs.sch.uk and we can ensure she receives them all.

At the same time as saying a sad goodbye, we are also pleased to let you know that Mrs Cullum has returned, this time as an employee, to offer some Health Mentoring and TA support for both individual and groups of children.

The value this term – Thankfulness
This term Worship will be delivered virtually into the classrooms.

A Christian Perspective on Thankfulness:
Christians believe that truth is revealed in the Bible and supremely in the person and life of Jesus Christ. Through Jesus' teaching we are given an insight into the nature of God and the way in which He means us to live.

Tully Cup Winners:

Rec and KS1:
Rec – Miya L

KS2:
Year 5 – Oliver O

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Polite Reminder

Please be considerate of all when parking around school.

Parents have been seen today pulling up in the road, in the school safety zone, to drop their children.

Please don't, as it causes a hazard for other road users and is illegal between 8 and 9am.

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Snippets will now be published fortnightly.

It is sent out via Parent Hub each week and published on our website and Facebook.

If you require a paper copy, please ask the office for one.
