

25 SEPTEMBER 2020

NEWSLETTER



Jolesfield Church of England Primary School



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- Headteacher's Message
- COVID reminders
- Harvest
- Flu Vaccinations
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KEY DATES

- Monday 26th to Friday 30th October - Half Term
- Week Beginning 9th November - Parent Consultations
- Monday 7th December - Flu Vaccinations Y1-Y6
- Wednesday 16th December - Pop Up Shop
- Friday 18th December - Last day of term

Headteacher's Message

It certainly has been a busy couple of weeks. The children have adapted brilliantly to the new routines, and I am delighted to see how engaged they all are in their learning.

It seems the summer is now well and truly behind us in terms of the weather, so can you please ensure your child brings a warm, waterproof coat to school with them. We are required to leave classroom windows open so as the weather cools it is getting colder in school.

If your child feels the cold you may want to give them an underlayer - vest or under armour and girls wear trousers or tights.



REMINDERS

DROP OFF AND PICK UP

The revised pick-up arrangements are working well. However, on days it's raining, to avoid parents getting soaked when waiting for older children to come out of school, the school will allow older siblings to leave school at the same time as their younger sibling/s. This rule will also apply in the mornings when it's raining - younger siblings will be allowed to be dropped off at the same time as older siblings.

COVID SYMPTOMS

Everyone has a role to play in keeping our school safe, and I thank all of you for keeping your child/ren off school if they display Covid symptoms.

Visit

www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test to book a test online.

You should book a Covid-19 test if your child has:

- A high temperature
- A new continuous cough
- A loss or change to their sense of taste or smell

If you are using the NHS track and trace App and you are visiting school, we have a QR code for you to scan. You will find it on the screen in the front entrance.

OTHER NEWS

HARVEST FESTIVAL

Unfortunately, we will be unable to hold our traditional Harvest Festival service at St Michael's Church this year. However, at this time of thanksgiving we would still like to support Open Door, the charity that the congregation of St Michael's are supporting. The charity needs tinned food and dried goods to support their work with needy families. Further details around how we propose collecting in donated goods will follow in due course.



In Key Stage 1 this week





Sussex Community
NHS Foundation Trust

FLU VACCINATION PROGRAMME

As in previous years, the Sussex Community NHS Foundation Trust plan to deliver the Flu Vaccination Programme again this year. The immunisation team are scheduled to deliver the nasal vaccines on 7th December. Consent forms will be sent out to parents over the coming weeks.

OTHER NOTICES

Henfield FC under 8's are currently on the lookout for new players for the upcoming season. If your child is in Year 3 this year and would like to join please contact Scott Percy on 07973402325.

The team trains on Thursday evenings and play matches on Saturday mornings.

CricketBrats - indoor Cricket

CricketBrats is back with some new indoor sessions; these will be held at Henfield Leisure Centre.

Places are limited to 18 players per session (1 on Thursdays (4-5pm), 2 on Sundays (12.30-2.30pm, 3-5.30pm)

For more information please visit their website - <https://cricketbrats.com/>



Thought for the week

In assembly this week we continued looking at the theme of courage. we considered the question what does it mean to be brave?

God can help us to be brave when we are standing up and being courageous.

Dear Lord Jesus,

We pray that we might be strong and courageous. May we not be afraid or terrified because of others. Please help us to be brave and help others. Thank you that you promise to go with us, never leave us, or abandon us.

Amen

