Mrs Bennett's Blog

Thursday 13 June 2019

Hi Everyone,

Welcome back! I hope everyone had a lovely holiday. How can we only have five weeks left of this academic year! It will be Rose Day before we know it. I am writing my blog very early this morning as I will be setting off with Year 3 on their first ever residential in a few hours to St Anne's! I know the children are very excited and even this horrible weather we have had all week won't dampen their spirits!

We had a marvellous Eid celebration day yesterday in school where the children all came in their party clothes, got to sample lots of delicious food and take part in fun activities all to celebrate Eid...







Next year's class lists were released yesterday afternoon in time for our first Shuffle up afternoon, which will be next **Monday 17th June**. 'Shuffle up' is where our children spend every Monday afternoon with their new class teacher and class, completing activities which are designed to help everyone get to know each other before September begins. Parents and carers are invited to a 'Meet the Teacher' drop-in on **Wednesday 17th July from 3.30pm-5.30pm**. This will provide parents with the opportunity to visit their child/children's classroom, look at what the learning will look like over the coming year and also see what the 'expected' standard looks like for the year group in practise. We will also provide you with other key learning documents you might find useful such as spelling lists and the year group calculation policy.

As I mentioned, Rose Day is now on the horizon, **Thursday 4th of July**. In order to support our PTA, we are having a **non uniform day** next **Friday 21st of June** and in return we request that each child comes to school with some chocolate which the PTA can use for the chocolate tombola. Please remember no nuts!

Safeguarding

Our Year 6 children are now entering their final few weeks with us at school and beginning the process of transition to their new schools, which is a little daunting for some of our children. Place2Be, the mental health charity, has some helpful information for parents to help them support their children during this significant change in their lives. Follow the link below for more information...

https://www.place2be.org.uk/what-we-do/parent-carer-resources/ready-for-secondaryhigh-school.aspx

Attendance:

Here are last week's figures:

Our	The national	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Aspirational	target							
Target								
98%	96.1%	96.4%	98.8%	98.3%	92.6%	95.4%	92.8%	96.3%

There were 7 children late for school last week. (Before registration closed at 9am) and 5 children later than 9am

Here's to a fantastic final half term with some sunshine hopefully!

Best wishes

Mrs Bennett

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