

Culcheth Primary School

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

11th September 2020





Welcome back everyone.....

We are delighted to be fully open and able to welcome all of our families back to our school. Thank you to everyone for adjusting to our new arrangements. The children seem to be really enjoying having extra space at playtime and having waitress service at lunchtime!

The car park is really busy at the end of the day. You may find it **easier to park** on **Shaw St** as there have been quite substantial queues for cars trying to leave our main car park. Shaw St is very easy to exit – particularly if you are travelling in the direction of the village.

Thank you to everyone for helping to social distance at the end of the day by picking up and going straight home.

Snacks

As from Monday, children will choose what snack they would like for the whole week rather than choosing each day as it is taking up valuable time in class.

The cost is 50p per day and we offer Toast with either Juice, Milk or Water.

<u>Reception parents</u> – please note as they are part-time this week and next, school snack will be available week beginning 21st September when your child is full-time

We are aware there have been some issues with our new lunch and snack system, please bear with us while we try to rectify these little problems. Thank you

WRAPAROUND CARE - All Stars

We have full wrap around open for all children. You only pay for the sessions that you need and use – these can be different each week or even booked at the last minute if you find that you are stuck in traffic or in a meeting.

Breakfast care costs £3.50 per day and opens at 7.30am. After-school Wraparound costs £10.00 per day and runs until 6pm – both must be booked in advance on ParentPay. If you have any problems booking, please contact the school office.

AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS

We hope to be able to offer some after school clubs in the coming weeks however there will be no residential trips until next academic year.

Free School Meals

If you are now claiming Universal Credit you may be entitled to FSM. School receives additional funding for each child who is on FSM and this allows us to keep staffing levels really high so that children can be supported in small groups.

This year we are also going to offer £50 of school credit for all pupils who are currently receiving FSM. This credit can be used for school trips, before and after school care as well as after-school clubs.

It is very easy to apply, we can do it for you, all we need is your full name, NI number and DOB.

Please contact the school office by email, in strictest confidence, if you would like us to apply for you. Thank you

Flu vaccinations

The School Nurses will be administering the annual flu vaccinations on Wednesday 20th October, you should all received your consent forms. Please ensure these are returned to school as soon as possible. Thank you

Are you struggling financially or do you know someone who is?

Care UK Charity have contacted us to offer their assistance for any families who may be struggling financially.

They are able to help with school uniform, as well as practical help with household goods and furniture.

If you know of anyone that may need some help, please contact 07545 045920 or by email at nicola@careukcharity.org.uk

The following children have been commended – WELL DONE!

Rec	The whole class!
Yr 1	George, Mason, Phoenix
Yr 2	Megan, Hollie, Leonard
Yr 3	Laura, Iyla-Mae, Oliver, Seb, Evie M
Yr 4	Harlow, Jamie, Pippa
Yr 5	Taylor, Lily O
Yr 6	Ava, Nora, Oliver, Laura J

Class DOJO and Emails

Please note that the class DoJo is to be used for small questions or queries. If you have any worries or complaints, please let Mrs Dodd know.

Class teachers will only answer Dojo messages between 8am and 6pm Monday to Friday. They all teach full time, so there may be a delay answering if you message during school hours.



School Lottery

Join our School Lottery and be in with a chance of winning some great prizes each week as well as the chance to win £10,000!! The deal this month is to win a Family Forest Staycation or £400 cash alternative!

Tickets costs just £1 per week and raise much appreciated school funding.

Please support our School and join at www.yourschoollottery.co.uk.

WINNER THIS WEEK:

Mrs Leeming - £21.30

Year 6 Applications for High School

Year 6 parents have been sent an email this week regarding applications for High School places. You must apply for your child's High School Place by 30th October 2020.