

Weekly newsletter: 6th September 2019

Important dates

October half term: 28th October – 1st November

Inset day: 4th November

Christmas holidays: 21st December – 5th January February half term: 17th – 21st February

Easter holidays: 4th April – 19th April
May half term: 25th – 29th May

Inset day: 1st June

Last day of summer term/Inset day: 20th July

Message from Mr Wright

We are delighted to welcome all of the children back after the long summer break. It was great to see so many children excited to be back at school and even better that so many took part in the Summer Reading Challenge – well done!

Next for a few reminders:

- Uniform Please can you ensure your child is wearing the correct uniform including: black school shoes (no sandals, trainers, high heels or boots), grey/black/white coloured socks/tights, black trousers/skirt/pinafore dress and school jumper/cardigan. Please also be aware that children should only have school uniform coloured hair accessories. Finally, for health and safety, children should not wear jewellery to school, including earrings.
- **PE** we are very fortunate to have partnered with a new PE organisation called Real Legacy. It is crucial that all children should have the correct PE kit in school at all times and not to be wearing earrings. To remind you, New Community Church have kindly donated a light blue PE t-shirt for each child at the end of last term. Please can you make sure that this, along with, black shorts and trainers/plimsolls are in school at all times. Failure to do so will result in your child not being able to take part.
- Attendance Can I remind you at this time of year how important attendance is to your child's progress and learning. Holidays are not permitted during term time and these will result in a penalty notice. Unless your child has serious illness, then they should be at school.
- **Openness** This is one our school values so please do use the soft start and soft end to communicate with your child's class teacher. We value your feedback and want to work together for the benefit of your child.
- Coffee mornings These will continue on Monday morning at 9am and these are a great opportunity to find out more about our school and to meet other parents. I look forward to seeing you this Monday.

Finally, I am sure you will join with me in welcoming the new families, children and staff who are joining us this year and I look forward to working with you all in the coming year.

Mr Wright

Lovely hats/certificates have been presented to:

Dylan and Blake