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St John's Community Primary School and Nursery



Weekly Newsletter 19th January 2024

Dear Parents,

Please be aware that we are unable to allow children to leave site with people we do not know or have no permission to take a child. If you have not rung school to give permission for a friend, neighbour or a different parent we will take a moment to call parents to resolve this prior to letting the child go. If this happens please be aware the team are safeguarding your child and please be supportive and respectful of them. Thank you.

Also to be aware school bell goes at 8.40am and the doors and gates close at 8.45am. Children should all be in school by 8.40am everyday. If you are arriving late every day please consider how this feels for your child to walk into a classroom where everyone else has started working. I know some mornings can be tricky and we completely understand that, but we hope you will work with us to ensure children are in school on time and ready to learn!

It has also been brought to my attention that sometimes older siblings are arriving to collect children from school. Again if your child is in Year R, 1 or 2 they will not be permitted to leave site with an older child and an adult will need to come on site to collect them. If they are in Key Stage 2 we will need permission from the parent to allow an sibling to collect.

Again thank you very much for your understanding and support with these important things.

Dates for your Diary

February

5th—8th—Year 5 Bikeablity

19th-23rd-Half Term

27th—Rec-Year 6 Class Group Photos

28th—Year 4 Residential to Horstead Centre

March

27th—Last day of Term

22nd—Year 4 Roman Iceni Workshop at Norwich Castle

<u>April</u>

15th—Children return to school

May

6th—Bank Holiday

8th—Year 5 Science Museum Londaon

13th-SATs Week

13th—12.30pm - Nursery Group Photo

27th-31st Half Term

June

3rd—Children return to school

4th & 6th—Parents Evening

17th-21st — Year 6 Residential to Hautbois Activity Centre

25th—Sports Day

July

3rd & 4th—Year 6 Broadland High Induction Days

10th & 11th—Year 6 Production

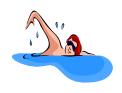
16th-School Fete

19th-Last day of Term

Rebecca Quinn

Swimming

<u>Year 4</u> will be swimming every week on <u>Monday</u>. Please ensure your child has their swimming kit, including a hat, a towel and a suitable coat to walk to and from Broadland High School for these sessions.



<u>Please ensure your child is able to remove their own</u> earrings or not wear them to school on Swimming days.

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House Points

Date	Bader	Cavell	Nelson	Sewell
12.01.24	158	163	205	123
19.01.24	228	191	187	201

15th-19th January 2024

Reception	92.67%	
Year 1	95.00%	
Year 2	96.00%	
Year 3	98.57%	
Year 4	90.63%	
Year 5	92.67%	
Year 6	93.44%	

Forest Schools—Rota Spring Term 2024

Alternate Tuesdays - Year 2 - Starting 9th January 2024

Alternate Tuesdays - Year 1 - Starting 16th January

Wednesdays - Nursery and Reception Class every week

Thursdays - (2 weeks 11th January & 18th January) - Year 6

Thursdays - (3 weeks 25th January - 8th February) - Year 3

Thursdays (3 weeks 15th February - 7th March) - Year 5

Please send your child to school in old clothes (long sleeves & long trousers) on Forest School days. Can they also bring waterproofs including coat, hat, gloves (if weather is cold) and wellies into school for these sessions.

A Message for Safer Internet Day, 2024, from Norfolk Constabulary's Children and Young People Team.

Dear Parents and Carers,

February 6th, 2024, marks this year's Safer Internet Day. We can all play a part in keeping children and young people safe online and I am writing to tell you that online safety remains one of the Constabulary's main priorities. With this in mind, we would like to share some links and resources with you.

- Organisers of Safer Internet Day, The Safer Internet Centre, have a wealth of information for parents and carers on their website on the "Guides and Resources" section. Go to www.saferinternet.org.uk
- Setting boundaries and rules about your child's internet use as early as possible will help you to have open and honest conversations about any issues that arise. Please find below both a colour and black and white copy of Norfolk Constabulary's 'Family Internet Agreement' to help you do this.
- Head to YouTube where you will find a recording of the webinar we delivered on Safer Internet Day, 2023, <u>Recorded Online Safety webinar for parents and carers</u> (youtube.com)
- Follow National Online Safety on Twitter @natononlinesafety; Instagram @nationalonlinesafety; or search "National Online Safety" on Facebook. You can also download the "National Online Safety" app in the Play Store, or on Google Play. Here you will find information about games, websites and apps young people are using so you can make sure your knowledge is up to date.
- The National Crime Agency's Child Exploitation and Online Protection (CEOP)
 Education team have a parent and carer area on their website where you can get
 advice about online safety <u>Parents and carers | CEOP Education (thinkuknow.co.uk)</u>
 If you are worried that your child is being groomed online, or sexually exploited, you
 can find advice about reporting by clicking on the 'How to get help' tab.
- The Internet Watch Foundation and the NSPCC have developed the 'Report Remove' tool, in partnership with age verification app, <u>Yoti</u>. Report Remove can support a young person in reporting sexual images or videos shared online and enables them to get the image removed if it is illegal. Go to <u>Report Remove</u> (<u>iwf.org.uk</u>)

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