



SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Friday 16th October 2015

New School Uniform

Last week, we told you about the new uniform that we are bringing out in January. Some people have asked if they have to buy the new uniform straightaway. Absolutely not! Children can continue to wear their current uniform as long as you would like them to.



Please don't feel under any pressure to buy the new uniform as soon as it comes out. It will be available online, so you can buy it when you need it. However, you may be interested to know that **the Governors would like to offer a FREE new sweatshirt or cardigan to every child whose parents complete a free school meals form.** Even if you don't think you are eligible for free school meals, please complete the form (attached). For every child who is eligible, the school receives extra money which helps to pay for:

- staff who give 1-1 support and run groups
- lots of our clubs (including homework club and breakfast club)
- trips out of school and visitors in school
- extra resources

The form is attached to this letter. You have until December 18th (last day of term) to complete it, in order to receive the new school uniform in January.

Parent Coffee Mornings

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| 21 October: | ' Vital Regeneration ' - back to work skills, contacts, computer training, and ' Mosaic '- training/ support to gain new skills for future work opportunities. |
| 4 November: | ' Road Safety- Tips and information on Keeping your child safe ' |
| 11 November: | ' Bullying- Advice for parents ' |
| 18 November: | ' Happy Readers '- <i>Tips on keeping Reading at home helpful- but FUN!</i> |

Important Dates for your Diaries

→ Individual & Sibling Photos— 20th October

→ Parents Evenings—20th and 21st October

Please sign up in the school office, or email Ms Lo.

→ Thursday 22nd

October: Harvest

Festival, 9.15 in

Church—all welcome

We will be collecting for the Paddington food bank—they particularly need tinned vegetables, sugar and tea & coffee.

Please bring any items into school on

Thursday, to take straight to church.

Thank you

→ Thursday 22nd October: Last day of term

Term finishes at 1.15. Friday 23rd October is an INSET day for teachers.

→ Monday 2nd November: First day of term

→ Wednesday 11th November: Open Day for new parents 10am and 6pm—featuring performances from our school choir!

Golden Assemblies:

Friday 5th November—Y1

Friday 12th November—F2

Friday 19th November—F1

Parent Language Classes

A reminder from Mrs Leith that 'English Language Courses' will be starting soon at Church Street Library. Enrolment is every Thursday in October 9.45 -11.45. Details available in the School Office.

I hope you have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes,

Emily Norman

Emily Norman—Headteacher

Foodbank

SHOPPING LIST

Milk (1000 or powdered)
Sugar (500g)
Fruit Juice (carton)
Soup
Baked beans
Tinned tomatoes
Tinned vegetables
Beans/pulses
Tinned meat/fish
Noodles
Rice
Pasta
Pasta Sauce
Instant Noodle

Cereal
Coffee
Tea bags
Hot chocolate
Tinned sponge pudding
Tinned fruit
Tinned rice pudding
Jam
Biscuits or snack bars
Toothpaste
Shower gel
Soap
Toilet Roll

Food Bank
The North Paddington Foodbank is located at the WELB Community Centre, 153-155, every Wednesday 9.30am to 12.30pm. If you have any queries please contact Lisa or Priscilla at the WELB office on 0207 266 1347 or email info@foodbank4weth.org.uk

