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Friday 23rd October 2020

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Equality, Responsibility, Respect, Resilience, Challenge

Dates for November

2nd	First Day of Term 2
5th	Year R - 6 Flu Immunisations
9th	Clubs Start
18th	School Photographs
30th	Year 2 Phonics Screening



December

7th	Christmas Art Week
17th	Christmas Packed Lunch Day
17th	Christmas Jumper Day
18th	Last Day of Term 2

January

4th	INSET DAY - School closed to pupils
5th	First Day of Term 3

Headteacher's Blog



Well we made it!



This term has certainly been like no other Term 1 that I've experienced in my 25 years in schools! (and definitely one of the longest!)

The children have coped amazingly with all the changes and have all worked so hard. The standard of learning produced has astounded me. You should feel very proud of your wonderful children. I shall be posting a slideshow of some of the incredible displays that are up around the school on our website - hopefully this will give you a sense of what they've been doing. Keep an eye on **Class Dojo** too, as the teachers and TAs have been sharing learning and reminders through the Class Story. Can I please remind you that Class Dojo is only for class messages and that anything you would normally contact the office about (e.g. absence, uniform orders etc) is still done by emailing or telephoning the office. Thank you.

This week you will have experienced our first virtual **parents evening**. Thank you for your engagement in this - the staff have really enjoyed having the opportunity to talk to you about your wonderful children. If you weren't able to make an appointment, please email or message the class teacher who will make a time to catch up next term.

As stated previously, from next term the children in Years 1-6 will be asked to leave their grown-ups at the gate. Thank you to all of you for embracing this new challenge this week to help your prepare your children.

Sadly, we say goodbye to one of our LSAs, Mrs Rogers today. She has worked with lots of children across the school over the past 10 years and made a real difference. We wish her all the best in her new venture.

Finally, thank you once again for all your support this term. I can't tell you how wonderful it is to have all the children back.

Mrs Crittenden

Years 1 - 6 After School Clubs



We will be sending information home very soon regarding clubs for Terms 2,3, 4 & 5.

There will be a ParentMail form for you to complete if your child would like to take part in any of the clubs. This **MUST** be completed by 9am on **Tuesday 3rd November**

Poppy Appeal 2020

Poppies will be available in school after half-term. Usually our School Ambassadors would take them round to the children's classes in the afternoons so that they could buy a poppy - as this will not be possible this year, all children will be given a poppy during the week commencing 2nd November. Please send your child with a donation in a sealed envelope marked Poppy Appeal.

Unfortunately we will be unable to sell any other Poppy Appeal items (metal pin badges, bag clips, zip pulls, wristbands and snap rulers) this year.



Flu Immunisations - 5th November 2020

Remember to complete the online consent form **FOR EACH CHILD** marking whether you consent or decline consent before **30th October**.
<https://www.kentcht.nhs.uk/forms/imms-consent-form/>

You will need to enter your child's school unique reference number (URN) which is **118568**

