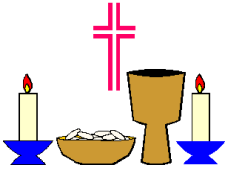




NEWSLETTER - JANUARY (2)



Whole School Mass

There will be a whole school mass on Thursday 19th January 2017 at 9.30 am.
We hope as many parents/carers as possible can join us.

After School Dance Club

REMINDER - There will be no **Dance** club on Monday 6th March.



A reminder to please return any parent/teacher meeting reply slips by Monday 23rd January.



In wet weather conditions please make sure your child has wellies or suitable footwear for playtimes, as well as sensible shoes for indoors. Also can you please put a spare pair of tights/socks in your child's bag during the wet winter months

Y6 turn Fundraising into a Fun Fair

Year 6 are holding a mini fair each day for the rest of this half-term. Children will be able to visit the stalls, which include games as well as things to buy, during the mid-morning break. They will also be holding a Raffle. The fair will start tomorrow (Tuesday 17th January).

Y6 need lots of donations from the rest of the school: - toys, books, games (in good condition with no parts missing), writing/drawing/painting equipment, raffle prizes, tombola prizes (e.g. chocolates, smellies - anything suitable for children), cuddly toys (washed please), - a long list from Year 6 but for a good cause. The children put so much effort into this so please support them. It is also a good way to give those extra boxes of chocolates and biscuits left over from Christmas to a good cause.

School has been nominated for the ASDA green tokens. Can you please encourage family and friends to support us by putting their tokens in our slot. Thank you

Please remember to send a **water bottle** (unflavoured, still) to school with your child each day.



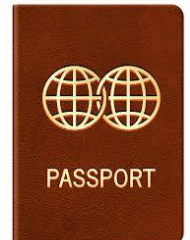
Sickness and Diarrhoea

A reminder that if your child has 1 episode of sickness they must be absent from school for a full 24 hours afterwards. If they are sick more than once then they need to be absent for a full 48 hours from the last episode.

If your child has diarrhoea then your child must be absent from school for 48 hours from the last episode in all instances.

Signing of Passport Application Forms

Unfortunately school staff are unable to sign Passport Application forms for families as the guidelines say that "you must have known the child/person personally for at least two years (for example, a friend, neighbour or colleague), not just someone who knows you professionally".



School Fund

Thank you very much for your continuing contributions to School Fund. As you know, School Fund is used to subsidise trips, activities and events for children throughout the school year.

School fund donations together with trip donations do not cover the cost of the additional trips, activities and events organised for the children. Whilst we do not want to reduce the additional experiences we provide for the children we do have to bear in mind that we only have limited funds.

We understand that the cost of some trips has increased over recent years due mainly to increased transport costs and therefore given parents/carers the option to donate over a number of weeks rather than send in their contributions in one lump sum.

Donations for school fund can be made weekly, monthly, termly or annually. Whichever you prefer we appreciate your support in helping us to provide the children a wide range of additional activities.