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TUPTON PRIMARY AND NURSERY ACADEMY

NEWSLETTER

Attendance

Congratulations to Mrs Croft's class who won the Best Attendance prize for the week ending 8 November 2019.

Residents

Please be considerate of our neighbours when parking your vehicles at dropping off and collecting times at school.

Book Fair

There will be a half price Book Fair on Monday, 2 December to Friday, 6 December in the school Library. 8:30-9:00am and 3:00-4:00pm

Clothing

As the weather is now changing, please remember to send your child with appropriate clothing including sweatshirts/cardigans/jumpers, coats, and when necessary hat, scarf and gloves so children can play outside at break and lunch times. A reminder: children are allowed to wear a watch and stud ear-rings (children must be able to remove their own earrings for PE and swimming), no other jewellery is permitted. Make-up and nail polish is not to be worn at school. If children are wearing boots, then they must be flat heeled boots not high heels.

Governor

Scott Clark is our new parent governor. He stood unopposed, so there does not need to be a ballot to elect him to the Governing Body. He will take up his new role from the date of the next meeting which is Monday, 2 December 2019. We thank him for standing to be a governor and look forward to working alongside him and the expertise that he will bring to the role.

Jewellery

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Reporting School Absence From School

We all know children get ill and need to have time away from school to recover. When Calpol doesn't do the trick and you feel your child needs to be at home resting, please contact our office on 01246 862191 by 9:00am on the first day of illness. If parents and carers cannot be reached, a mark of unauthorised absence will be noted on your child's records. We want to try to avoid this at any cost and need your help with this.

Children In Need

Tomorrow, Friday 15th November the children can dress up in spots/ Pudsey things for a donation of £1 per child towards the charity.

Infant/Primary Admissions

If your child was born between 1 September 2014 and 31 August 2016 you need to apply to Derbyshire County Council for a primary school place for them. Even if you have already approached a school, or feel you have put your child's name down at a school, you need to make an application. The closing date for applications is midnight on Wednesday, 15 January 2020. You can fill an application form – either online - www.derbyshire.gov.uk/admissions or by phone – 01629 537499 – this takes approximately 15 minutes. If your child has a statement of special education needs or an Education Health care Plan contact the county council's SEND Central Team on 01629 536531 or 01629 536547.