



# Thornhill Lees Infant and Nursery School Newsletter - January 2020

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Dear Parents and Carers,

## Happy New Year!



We hope you have had a lovely Christmas break. The children have come back to school refreshed and eager to learn.

## Our School Website



Have you visited our school website? [www.thornhillees.com](http://www.thornhillees.com)

In the 'Our Year Groups' section, we have added some information about ways you can support your child with Reading, Phonics and Maths at home.

## School App



**School Jotter**

Please download our school app to receive notifications and text messages from school. The app also has the school newsletters, calendars and other important information. **Please make sure you login with your personal username and password.** If you need any help, please see Mrs Parker in the school office.

## Just One Tree - Friday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2020



**JUST ONE TREE** On this day we will be asking the children to dress in red (or wear non-uniform) and bring £1 to school. As a school we are keen to save our world and improve the environment. For every £1 donated, at least 1 tree will be planted via the International Tree Foundation and Eden reforestation project. For more information see: <https://www.parentsforfuture.org.uk/events/the-just-one-tree-non-uniform-day>

## School Fund



School Fund is 50p per week and is used to buy things for the children in school and also subsidise school trips. This half term is £3.00. Please hand in your school fund money to your child's class teacher / school office.

## School Nurse Drop In Sessions



Our School Nurse will be running drop-in sessions for parents from 9am - 12pm on Wednesdays 15<sup>th</sup> January, 29<sup>th</sup> January and 12<sup>th</sup> February 2020.

## Year 2 & Nursery Parents



The online applications for those children in Nursery who will be due to start Reception in September 2020 is open. This is also the case for the children in Year 2 who will be leaving us in July 2020. You need to apply online through the Kirklees parent portal. Please complete these as soon as possible so your child gets a place in the school you wish them to attend. The **closing date for doing so is 15th January 2020**. If you need some help please see a member of the office staff.

## 2 Year Old Provision - Places for January 2020 (paid and funded places)



Do you have a 2 year old child who is eligible to begin Nursery? Please collect and fill in an admission form, from the school office. We would love to work with you and your child.

Thank you for your continued support.

## Diary Dates

School closes for Spring Half Term: Friday 14th February 2020

School re-opens: Monday 24th February 2020

School closes for Easter Holidays: Friday 3rd April 2020

School re-opens: Monday 20th April 2020

School closes for Spring Bank Holidays: Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2020

School re-opens: Monday 1st June 2020

School closes for Summer Holidays: Friday 17th July 2020



## Bank Holiday

Friday 8th May 2020

## Inset Days

Thursday 7th May 2020

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2020

Monday 20th July 2020