



# Alveston C of E Primary School News

Newsletter 2- 11.09.2020

Aiming High: Achieving at Alveston

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**Team Points Cup Winner:**

Congratulations to **Tudor Reds!**

**Important Diary Dates**

11.09.20 Curriculum Letters on Seesaw

18.09.20 Meet the Teacher videos on Seesaw

23.10.20 Break Up for Half Term

06.11.20 Interim Reports on Seesaw

09.11, 10.11 and 11.11.20 Parents' Evenings 3.30 to 5pm

**Contact Us**

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Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

Well done everyone - we made it through a full week back in school! School is beginning to settle into the new routines and the children are absolutely amazing! Watching everyone leave today, I think everyone will sleep tonight. ☺



## Stars of the Week

Congratulations to this week's Stars of the Week. Super role models to start the year! Hugo Y1; Seb Y2; William Y3; Rheya Y4; Luca Y5; Maximillian Y6.

Well done!

## Drop Off and Pick Up

Thank you for your feedback with regard to our new routines. We have had so many positive comments about the system in place, we are delighted so many of you feel the drop off and pick up are working well. Thank you too for all your efforts to get to school on time, you are doing a fabulous job both at the start and end of the day and we really do appreciate it.

We have tweaked our procedures in school to ensure all classes are out at the gate at the designated time. We may have the odd mishap – one adult preparing 30 children for home is quite a challenge! – but our aim is always to get all the children to the gate on time.

Following a concern raised regarding safety on the main road, we will always endeavour to have a member of the team to support children to cross the road safely. We also have one further request. When you have collected your child, please would you either move along the pavement or cross the road so we can safely send the next child to their parent?

Thank you.

Finally, thank you for all your efforts to socially distance. We do have parents and grandparents who are vulnerable and others who are concerned about the current rise in infections. By maintaining the 2 metres, we are protecting everyone in our community.

If you have any feedback at all, please do let us know. Working together we can continue to improve the routine and keep everyone safe.

## COVID-19: When to keep your child at home.

This week Warwickshire's Public Health Team issued the following guidance for parents.

To help keep your child and fellow student's safe, your child should not come to school if:

- They are feeling unwell or are experiencing any coronavirus symptoms (If in doubt, book a test. If positive, isolate for 10 days from start of symptoms)
- They have tested positive for coronavirus & are within the 10 day isolation period
- They are sharing a household or support bubble with someone with symptoms (person with symptoms to be tested, if negative can return to usual activities; if positive, you must isolate for 14 days from last contact)
- They have been advised by the NHS test and trace service to self-isolate or aware they are a close contact of someone who has tested positive for coronavirus (isolate for 14 days from last contact)
- They have returned from abroad and government guidance states they need to quarantine for 14 days

If you are not sure if your child should or should not come to school, please call us on 01789 293412.

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## Autumn Class Curriculum Letters



Teachers are posting your child's Class Curriculum Letter for the term ahead on Seesaw today. Please email your class teacher if you have any problems accessing Seesaw and they will help you out when they return on Monday.

## Meet the Teacher

Before the arrival of COVID-19, this year we had planned to run 'Meet the Teacher' meetings at the start of term for every class. As we are unable to welcome you into school at the moment, each teacher will post a 'Meet the Teacher' video presentation on Seesaw on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September.

## Parents' Evening

This term we will hold virtual Parents' Evenings. You will be able to book 10 minute slots with your child's teacher. As last year, we will provide an Autumn Interim Report and we will send this to you on Seesaw on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> November.

Parents' Evenings will be: Monday 9<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> of November. Each evening will have appointments from 3.30pm to 5.00pm. We will contact you later this term with information on how to book a slot.

## Teacher Clubs

For this half term, sadly we will not be running Teacher Clubs. Teachers are attached to their bubbles and cannot mix with children from different bubbles. We will review this after half term in line with government guidance and we will continue to consider different options.

## Events



We will be working creatively to deliver our most important autumn term events. We are planning to deliver our Harvest Festival, Christmas Performances and a Christingle Service. At the moment these will be recorded and shared with all parents. However should guidance change over the course of the term, we will let you know.

We are also hoping to still be able to have individual and class photographs and will confirm a date as soon as we are able.

## Birthday Treats

We have celebrated some birthdays in school this week. Sadly, due to the current measures in place, the children are not able to share treats with their friends. However, if anyone has any creative alternatives, we would be happy to discuss them with you.



Very best wishes for lovely weekend,  
**Anne Clewley**  
**Head Teacher**



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