



# Newsletter

Friday 9th October 2020



Dear parents, pupils, governors, staff and parishioners,

We have had another really busy week. Children have taken part in a range of exciting activities in class linked to their class topics – we've had periscopes in Y3/4 and fossils in Y5/6! Many children wore yellow today to recognise 'World Mental Health Day,' and took part in some mindfulness activities in class. We also had classes watch the CAFOD assembly yesterday and compile lists of ways that we can fundraise for the charity. This week our library has been set up with new books, we are thrilled to have a huge range of lovely books for the children to use. Our new iPads have also arrived in school and are amazing! Thank you again to our wonderful PTA for making this happen for the children.



## Harvest Appeal – supporting Rugby Foodbank

Each class watched a virtual assembly led by Chris a worker with the Food bank. This year it has been requested that rather than bringing food items to school, we help in different ways such as: Food donations via supermarket collection points, monetary donations [here](#) or downloading the free app ([iOS](#) and [Android](#)) to see what is most needed at any one time.

## PE Hoodies

You will have received a letter this week about being able to purchase a school branded PE hoodie. This can be worn on PE days as we want to have as many outdoor PE sessions as possible in the winter months. If you would like to purchase a hoodie we need your reply slip and £15 cash payment in school before Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October. The hoodies will be navy blue; have the school badge on the front and the school name on the back.

## School Lottery

Well done to Mrs Husband this week's lottery winner! We have nearly achieved our first target of 50 tickets which means that we are set to raise £1040 for school this year. Please consider joining if you haven't already.

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/our-ladys-primary-school-princethorpe>

## Easy Fundraising

Thank you for all people, a great site where you can raise money for our school with your everyday online shopping. Please use the following link when shopping to help. <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/ourladyspsprincethorpe/>

## COVID guidance

If a child or adult in school displays any of the three main COVID symptoms whilst in school (continuous cough, high temperature/fever, loss or change in sense of smell or taste) they will be supervised in isolation until arrangements can be made for the individual to leave the school site. Guidance on how households should then respond is available via the following link

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-households-with-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection>

It is advised that a test is arranged for the symptomatic child /adult. This should be available by appointment at a testing site or by post. If a test isn't taken, the individual and their household is expected to remain at home for 14 days. Any individual who tests positive will need to isolate for 10 days until well and fever free for 48 hours. Other household members will need to isolate for 14 days. A negative test result will bring an end to any isolation period as long as the individual has been without a fever for 48 hours.

## Procedures for Absences

Please report all absence to Mrs Palmer in the school office.

## No Holidays During Term Time

Please remember we are not authorising any holidays during term time and have been advised to submit fixed penalty notices to the Local Authority if parents do take their children out of school for holidays.



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## Electronic Consent for Annual Flu Vaccination now due for all children in school

Parents are kindly requested to click on the link below to complete the permission form, which will be online this year.

Flu vaccinations will take place in school to all school years on Friday 6th November. During these exceptional circumstances parents are asked to complete the forms even if you do not consent to your child receiving the nasal spray vaccination. Please read the attached for details before giving or withholding consent. The link which is unique to our school is only valid until the 28 October – please ensure that forms have been completed before the deadline.

<https://iv.covwarkpt.nhs.uk/consent?returnurl=https://iv.covwarkpt.nhs.uk/form?identifier=96597300-07ec-4002-93b9-04b6ad561d8a>

Workers of the Week	Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
😊	Lola	William B	Tilly	Huxley	Zach E	Poppy H	Isla

## Attendance and Punctuality

Whole school: %

Saint Joseph R	Holy Family Y1/2	Saint Francis Y3/4	Saint Anthony Y5/6
100%	98%	90%	98%

## Next Week at a Glance:

Date	Time	Activity
Mon 12 <sup>th</sup> October	9am 3.15- 4.30pm	Y5/6 Mission Assembly Football
Tues 13 <sup>th</sup> October	9am 3.15- 4.15pm	Yr 3/4 Mission Assembly Y3/4 Basketball
Wed 14 <sup>th</sup> October	9am	Y1/2 Mission Assembly Music Lessons
Thurs 15 <sup>th</sup> October	3.15 – 4.15pm	Y5/6 Netball
Fri 16 <sup>th</sup> October	9am 3.15-5pm	Workers of the Week announced Irish Dancing

## Mission of the week:

### *Our Mission of the Week:*

*To aim to make a donation to the food bank as we think about how we can help others!*

## Twitter/Facebook

For up to date information and sharing what we are up to keep an eye on our Twitter feed @OurPrincethorpe and Facebook Page – Our Lady's Primary School, Princethorpe @OurPrincethorpe

*I hope that you all have a lovely weekend.*

Mrs R Batson  
Headteacher

