

Newsletter

Wednesday 14th October 2020

Educating children for
175 years
1845 to 2020



FREE SCHOOL MEALS MATTER

Who can get free school meals - Children can get free school meals, if their parents or guardians get one of the following:

- Universal Credit – your net earned income must be less than £7,400
- Income Support
- Job Seeker's Allowance (income based)
- Employment and Support Allowance
- Child Tax Credit, and have an annual income of less than £16,190



How to apply for free school meals

- If you are claiming Housing Benefit or Council Tax Reduction you can claim free school meals on the same form
- Phone Revenues and Benefits Service: 01422 288003
- Complete the Free School Meal Form on the link below and return to school

Registering, if you are entitled, could save you £323 per year and could give our school £1,320 to help your child with their learning. So please apply even if your child is an infant and entitled to Universal Free School Meals.

<https://www.calderdale.gov.uk/v2/residents/council-tax-and-benefits/benefits/free-school-meals>

As I am sure you will understand why we have had to cancel our annual Halloween Disco. I would also like to inform parents that this year children shouldn't go trick and treating on Halloween as this breaks the Government Guidelines.

BUT WE ARE NOT GOING TO LET COVID SPOIL OUR FUN!

On **Friday 23rd October** we are inviting children to come to school dressed up for a fun Halloween Activity Day in School.

Unfortunately there will have to be some regulations and guidance placed on this, but I know the children will have a fun day in their bubbles if we all follow these rules;

- We ask that children don't wear masks or bring any props (such as brooms or wands etc). Face paint is okay. This will help us limit the home / school contact in the classrooms.
- We ask that children DO NOT come in costumes based on horror films; we have very young and sensitive children in school.
- We ask that children are dressed suitably for the weather (thinner, bought costumes may need layers underneath as children will play out - (we play outside in all weathers).

We look forward to sharing this fun packed day with all of our children!



READER OF THE WEEK

For children who consistently read at home.

Reception =	Isla Fish
Class 1 =	Ava Holmes
Class 2 =	Bella Terry
Class 3 =	Joshua Windle
Class 4 =	Bertie Claxton-Spillet
Class 5 =	Tom Ingham
Class 6 =	Lottie Kinver

It is always important that we have up-to-date contact details and medical information in school but this is essential at the moment. If you change your phone number, address or email address please update us immediately. Thank you.



Stars of the Week



For showing our values of Love, Friendship, Trust or Honesty

Bunnies =	Elias Cunningham-Ford
Owls =	Marcie Cook
Reception =	Maya White
Class 1 =	Beatrice Wood
Class 2 =	Poppy Ormerod
Class 3 =	Neve Jacques
Class 4 =	Eddie Landale
Class 5 =	Sophie Wilson
Class 6 =	Zoe Bedford

MINDSET MASTER



For children who have a positive 'can do' learning attitude.

Bunnies =	Evelyn Bridge
Owls =	Daisy Vickers
Reception =	Alexander Waterlow
Class 1 =	Mia Grace Brennan
Class 2 =	Marshal Goldie
Class 3 =	Luke Whitham
Class 4 =	Aimee Kew
Class 5 =	Armaan Qadir & Arthur Wallace
Class 6 =	Ethan Brown