



New Cangle Community Primary School

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16th April 2021,

Dear parents and carers,

We have made a lovely start back to school this term. A highlight for me of this week has been seeing all the children outside playing in the sunshine on the field/playground in their class bubbles at lunchtime.

Sports Day – provisional date

We are planning to hold a Sports Day on Wednesday 7th July. At the moment we hope that this day will include parents, but we cannot guarantee anything yet. Therefore, I suggest parents save the day for now but please be aware that we will be subject to government restrictions and guidance for schools. More details will follow closer to the time.

School Website

Over the past few months we have been working at improving our school website and we are very proud of the results. We have tried to create a website that is informative to parents and other community members interested in our school. I would like to draw your attention to the following sections:

<https://www.newcangle.co.uk/parents>

Parents can find information such as the school calendar, copies of letters and newsletters, term dates, attendance information, school closure information etc. If there is something that you would like to see on our website that does not appear to be there, please do let us know so that we can keep parents well informed.

<https://www.newcangle.co.uk/parents/parenting-wellbeing-advice>

This page includes leaflets on topics such as anxiety in children or how to help children get better sleep. There are also links to organisations that can help with the challenging task of parenting, and links to wellbeing organisations.

<https://www.newcangle.co.uk/parents/online-safety>

We have put helpful links to other sites where parents can get information about how to keep their children safe online, including parent's guides on popular games, sites and apps such as Roblox, Youtube, Tik Tok and Fortnite.

<https://www.newcangle.co.uk/about-us/welcome>

Take a tour of our lovely school.

<https://www.newcangle.co.uk/curriculum>

Parents can see information about all subjects that are taught in school, including overview documents that show progression across the school.

<https://www.newcangle.co.uk/class-pages>

Each class page gives more details of the topics and learning taught in each year group.

Relationships, Sex and Health Education – Part 2 of consultation Thank you to parents who responded to either of the surveys about the teaching of RSHE at New Cangle. A letter about Part 2 of the RSHE

consultation was sent on Tuesday and examples of teaching materials and parent leaflets were put on Class Dojo. Please do have a look at the information sent out. The current survey (link in the previous letter) will remain open until Friday 23rd April.

Holidays/Attendance

Please be aware that our usual attendance policy is still being followed and no holidays will be authorised unless there are exceptional circumstances. Please go to <https://www.newcangle.co.uk/key-information/school-policies> for more details.

Transition Dates

The end of term is a long way away with a lot of learning to fit in before then. However, I would like to make parents aware of the following diary dates:

Wednesday 14th July 3.30-4.30pm – Meet the new teacher session for parents. We are hopeful that parents will be able to come in to classes and meet their child's new teacher, but as above, it will depend on restrictions at the time.

Thursday 15th July – Transition Day – children move up to their new class for the day.

Friday 16th July – Last day of term

Term Dates 2021-2022

These have previously been published and have not changed but I know some parents would like a reminder.

Autumn Term	
Wednesday 1 st September 2021	PD Day school closed to pupils
Thursday 2 nd September 2021	PD Day school closed to pupils
Friday 3 rd September 2021	Pupils back to school
Monday 25 th October – Friday 29 th October 2021	Half term holiday
Monday 1 st November 2021	Pupils back to school
Friday 17 th December 2021	Last day of term
Monday 20 th December 2021 – Monday 3 rd January 2022	Christmas holiday
Spring Term	
Tuesday 4 th January 2022	PD Day school closed to pupils
Wednesday 5 th January 2022	Pupils back to school
Monday 21 st February – Friday 25 th February 2022	Half Term holiday
Monday 28 th February 2022	Pupils back to school
Friday 8 th April 2022	Last day of term
Monday 11 th April – Friday 22 nd April 2022	Easter Holiday
Monday 25 th April 2022	PD Day school closed to pupils
Tuesday 26 th April 2022	Pupils back to school
Monday 2 nd May 2022	May Day bank holiday school closed
Monday 30 th May – Friday 3 rd June 2022	Half Term holiday
Monday 6 th June 2022	Pupils back to school
Wednesday 20 th July 2022	Last day of term
Thursday 21 st July 2022	PD Day school closed to pupils

Yours faithfully,



Jacqueline Brading
Headteacher