

VANE ROAD PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER – FRIDAY 7TH MAY 2021

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Message from Mr. Pavey

Four-day weeks are really good except we have to fit 5 days worth of work into 4 days – it has been a busy one!! On Tuesday everyone should have received a message from me with access to a Consultation document. The document outlines the proposed Federation between Vane Road and Woodham Burn. On Tuesday (3:30 – 4:30pm) next week, there will be a virtual meeting for parents/carers of children at Vane Road Primary. During the meeting, further information will be given and you will have a chance to ask questions. Thank you to everyone who has responded so far; I would advise that you only respond to the survey when you have all the information you need to make a decision. The meeting can be accessed through the link on the Consultation document or by [clicking here](#). It is really important that parents/carers give your views on this proposal which will impact the future of our school. If you have any questions and are unable to make the meeting, please email them to federationconsultation@durhamlearning.net

The school has recently signed up to National Online Safety training which gives us access to lots of courses and information regarding children's safety, mainly online safety. As part of our subscription, parents/carers of children at our school can also access many materials and interactive workshops. The online world is posing an ever-increasing risk to children and it is important that schools, parents and carers work together to take an active role in teaching children about online dangers and how to act safely when using the internet. Please click the link below where you can register, confirm you are a parent of a child at Vane Road Primary School and then you will be able to access a wealth of useful information to help keep your child safe online.

<https://nationalonlinesafety.com/enrol/vane-road-primary-school>

This aims to help empower parents with the knowledge to protect their children from the dangers of the internet.

If you have any questions, or trouble accessing the course please contact

COVID Update

With the ever increasing availability of Lateral Flow Tests schools are much more able to track and manage outbreaks of COVID in our schools. It is really important that if your child has a positive result from a LFT test that you inform school immediately. This must be done using the dedicated email address vaneroad@durhamlearning.net. All positive LFT results must be followed up with a PCR test as confirmation but school must be informed about the LFT result first.

Quick Reminders

Can we please remind you to check the ClassDojo daily as any messages regarding, bumped heads or minor injuries are sent this way.

Please contact the school office via ClassDojo or telephone if any of your child's details change, e.g. address, telephone numbers, etc. to help keep our records up to date. Thank you

Attendance



This week's attendance
(w/c 3.5.21)

Class	Attendance %
1	94.5
2	97.4
3	95.4
4	96.2
5	94.4
6	95.0
7	88.5
8	92.7
9	93.5
10	97.5
11	95.5
12	98.7
13	91.5
14	95.0

Our Minimum Target Is 96%

Well done to classes 2,4,10 and 12 who have all achieved attendance above our minimum target level. Special "Well done" to class 12 for attendance that was the best out of the entire school.

Teacher's Awards



We are sorry that we can't invite parents into school for an assembly at present but have asked the teachers to give weekly merit awards.

These are the children who have received them this week.

C1	Harry G	C2	Ellis B
C3	Molly McK, Sienna B	C4	Isla D
C5	Isla-Rose McA	C6	Jack B, Lily A, Anabell S, Ellie A
C7	Archie C	C8	Ella H
C9	Joshua G	C10	Jake Q
C11	Layla M, Noah T-L, Nyla P	C12	Louie S, Grace A, George A
C13	Drew L	C14	Daisy MacD

Rights Respecting Certificates were given to Farrah R (C3) and Connor A (C4).



Dates for Your Diary

May bank holiday: Monday 3rd May
Break up for half term: Friday 28th May
Return to school: Tuesday 8th June
Break up for the summer holidays:
Friday 16th July

After School Clubs - Summer Term

All after school clubs finish at 4:15pm.

Monday: Year 5/6 Athletics

Tuesday: Year 4 Athletics

Wednesday: Year 4 Netball

Thursday: Year 5/6 Cricket

Friday: Year 5/6 Football

Out of Hours Club

REMINDER

If you require child care before or after school this term, you MUST book in the week before.

Breakfast club will open at 7.30am and all children MUST be in by 8.15am. After school club will be until 5.30pm.

These arrangements are to help us keep all the children safe.

If you would like any further information, or to book your child into our Out of Hours Club please ring Debbie Ridley on **07900701981**.

Breakfast Club – If you are paying for your child to have breakfast please make sure they arrive in time - our last serving is at **8.15am**. Thank you.

After School Club – A reminder that this club starts at 3.15pm and finishes promptly at 5:30pm.

Holiday Club – If you need any more information, please get in touch.

<https://www.vaneroadprimary.co.uk/parents/out-of-hours-club>

Local Sports Clubs and Events – New 2021

Cricket — Newton Aycliffe Cricket Club — contact Adam Gittins on 07748508239 or algittins@googlemail.com. Visit their website https://newtonaycliffe.play-cricket.com/website/web_pages/233640

Football – Newton Aycliffe Youth Football Club – Visit their website <https://www.nayfc.com/> or contact Bernie 07939 045242

Badminton -Newton Aycliffe Badminton Club – contact peterwalton1@aol.com or ring 07917095478. Sessions run every Monday evening 4.00pm – 5.00pm at Newton Aycliffe Youth Centre.

Junior Parkrun - South Park, Darlington - <https://www.parkrun.org.uk/southpark-juniors/>

Rights Respecting

Next week's Article Numbers are 9, 10 and 11 - Governments must do all they can to ensure children are placed in a safe environment if they cannot live with their parents.