



OSGODBY NEWS

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OSGODBY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Welcome back!

The summer has come and gone and we are all looking forward to the challenges of a new school year. We have some exciting events planned for the coming year. 2018 is a special year for Osgodby School as it is our 150th year. We are looking forward to sharing it with you all!

Staffing

We would like to welcome our new Year 5/6 teacher Mr Marwood and Mrs Langford as our new midday supervisor.

Parent Forums

At the end of every term, I would like to invite parents to attend a parent forum. These meetings will be a chance for parents to meet with myself to share opinions and suggestions on the development of the school.

In the past, I have found these kind of informal workgroups to be a very positive experience and would welcome you to attend. Our first parent forum will take place on Wednesday 13th December at 1:00. The topics for discussion will be the school website and homework.

Should you be unable to attend, I would value any

School Library



The school has been a hive of activity during the summer break. Not only have we had new boilers fitted in school, we have also created a central school library. One of our aims this year is to invest in new books for the children.

Playground Development

I am pleased to report that we have been awarded a grant of £10,000 to go towards the development of an all-weather games area for our school playground.

More details to follow!

Music Lessons

Just a quick reminder that there are still places available for music lessons with our peripatetic teachers. We currently offer lessons for keyboard, guitar, flute, clarinet and oboe.

Dates for the Diary

Friday 29th September Macmillan Coffee afternoon

Thursday 5th October School Photos

Friday 6th October Harvest Festival

Wednesday 11th October Parents evening - information to follow

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Friday 20th October Break up / open classrooms

w.b. Monday 23rd October half term

Monday 30th October inset

Tuesday 31st October children return to school

Friday 17th November Children in Need

Wednesday 13th December Parent forum

Friday 15th December Christmas Dinner / Nativity

Monday 18th December Pantomime trip / open classrooms

Wednesday 20th December Christmas parties / Carols around the tree / last day of term

Open Classrooms

As part of our new topic-based approach to learning, we will be holding open classroom events for parents at the end of every half term. This will give the children a chance to share their learning and will hopefully keep parents more informed of what their child is working on in school. More information will be provided by class teachers in their termly topic updates, the first of which will be with you by the end of the week.

Harvest Festival

As in previous years, the school will be celebrating the harvest. Our harvest festival celebration will take place at the village hall on Friday 6th October at 2:00. You are all very welcome to join us in our celebration!



Chicken Pox

I have been asked to alert you all to the fact that one of our children suffers from a compromised immune system. If your child should develop chicken pox, please contact the school as a matter of urgency.

Macmillan Coffee Afternoon

Osgodby continues to support this fantastic charity. This year's Macmillan event will take place on Friday 29th September from 1:30 onwards. We hope to see you all then.

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