

# St. Hardulph's Church of England Primary School – 9 March 2018



## Community Litter-Pick

Parents along with their children are invited to help with the Community Litter pick on Saturday 10th March at 10.00am. Meet at school where tools and rubbish bags will be provided.



## Budget

In response to our recent leaflet about Budget cuts we are pleased to report that we received a donation of £500 from parents Caroline and Andrew Large. Most grateful thanks go to them for this extremely generous gift; a fantastic start to our "Free Books" campaign.

## Diary Dates

### 2017/18

22 Mar	Easter Service at Church – 1:30pm
23 Mar	PTFA Easter Egg Hunt – immediately after school
	School closes for Easter Break
9 April	School opens for Summer Term
7 May	May Day Bank Holiday
28 May – 1 June	Half Term Break
6-8 June	Kelham Hall residential trip for children in Year 6
5 July	Transition Day
6 July	Transition Day
12 July	School closes for Summer Break

### 2018/19

29 Aug	School opens for Autumn Term
15-19 Oct	Half Term Break
21 Dec	School Closes for Christmas Break
7 Jan	School opens for Spring Term
18-22 Feb	Half Term Break
12 Apr	School closes for Easter Break
29 Apr	School opens for Summer Term
6 May	May Day Bank Holiday
27-31 May	Half Term Break
11 July	School closes for Summer Break

### Attendance

The government's expectation for school attendance is 96.5%.

The table below shows attendance since the start of the academic year.

Whole School	97.0%
Class One	95.9%
Class Two	97.7%
Class Three	97.8%
Class Four	96.4%

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School Governors can be contacted by email on: [governors@st-hardulphs.leics.sch.uk](mailto:governors@st-hardulphs.leics.sch.uk)



## A Health & Wellbeing strategy for St Hardulph's

As part of the work of the Governors' Personal Behaviour, Development and Welfare (PDBW) Committee, we are looking at how we can, as a School community, promote and encourage health and wellbeing among our children.

To support this work, the Committee has developed a Health & Wellbeing Strategy for St Hardulph's. We are pleased to share this with you here.

We would be grateful for your thoughts, comments and feedback on this and would welcome any suggestions that you have about how we can bring our strategy to life and make a positive difference to health and wellbeing within our School.

You can email the PDBW Chair, Kerry Hodges, with your feedback at [governors@st-hardulphs.leics.sch.uk](mailto:governors@st-hardulphs.leics.sch.uk).

**St Hardulph's is committed to promoting and improving the health and wellbeing of our children. By creating healthy and happy children, we can enable our pupils to do better in their learning and their life in general and be the best they can be.**

Our approach to health and wellbeing is one that goes beyond teaching and learning in the classroom and takes into account:

- **The environment, ethos and culture of our school** – including our values and attitudes and the manners and behaviour we encourage and expect among our pupils, as well as the physical environment of the school.

*We will encourage good manners among our children, emphasising the importance of 'please' and 'thank you' and consideration of other people's feelings and mental wellbeing. We will create a wide range of inclusive play options for children at break times and ensure children have access to drinking water during the school day.*

- **The learning and teaching of our school** – making use of the curriculum to develop a pupil's knowledge and skills, as well as their attitude to health and wellbeing.

*We will utilise, for example, cooking lessons to teach children about healthy eating, nutrition and a balanced diet and develop a broad personal, social and health education (PHSE) curriculum. We will also encourage children to participate in a range of activities as part of the PE curriculum, ensuring that activities are engaging and achievable for all abilities.*

- **The partnerships we have pupils' families and our community** – creating opportunities for children and their families to work with outside agencies and the local community to support their health and wellbeing.

*We will ensure parents and children can access external experts, such as the school nurse, for advice and information on matters relating to health and wellbeing. We will also encourage children to take part in community activities, including events such as the Breedon Monster to village litter picking and school sporting partnership competitions. Parents will also be invited to participate in activities such as a daily 'Mindful Mile'.*

We want our pupils to be socially aware and participate in a range of activities inside and outside of school. Children should be aware of and want to take up healthier food options and have access to a range of play facilities and opportunities for physical activity. And by promoting and improving health and wellbeing among our children, we will see improved pupil behaviour, attitude, confidence and concentration and generally a positive outlook to emotional health and wellbeing among our students.