



ROWANFIELD JUNIOR SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

November



Dear Parents

Welcome back! I trust you all had a relaxing break?
We have lots of exciting things planned for this term!

School Photographs

Get your best smiles ready as Tempest Photography will be here on Wednesday 7th November for school individual and sibling photographs.

Armistice Day

We will be remembering those who fought in the Great Wars as Y6 lead their annual Remembrance Day Assembly on Monday 12th November at 2.15pm. We will be selling poppies and other merchandise from Monday 5th November.

Anti-Bullying Week 2018: Choose Respect

The 12th – 16th November is Anti-bullying week and the BEST team have planned activities to support this cause. We will be inviting children to wear odd sock on Monday 12th November as recognition of this important week.

Children in Need

Friday 16th November is Children in Need! We will be inviting the children to pay £1 to wear spots to school! All monies will go to this worthwhile cause.

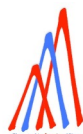
Parents Evening and Reports

Autumn Reports will be sent home on Friday 23rd November and Parents Evening consultations will be held on Wednesday 28th and Thursday 29th November. These are very important meetings to discuss the progress of your child(ren) and it is the expectation that all parents attend. Details on how to book your appointment will be sent home in the near future.

With Kind Regards

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Head of School



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School Meals

Please can we remind you that
ParentPay

accounts must be kept in credit if you would like your child to order a lunch. Please remember that meals now cost £2.20 a day and should be paid for in advance.

If children have ANY debt at all on their account then they will be put on STOP. This means that no further dinners can be ordered by your child until the debt has been paid.
Thank you.

Parents Evening

We will be using teachers to parents (our current texting system) to book parents evening slots. This will be active by the 12th of November. Many of you might have already used the system for your Infant school children. You will receive a text with a link that takes you through the steps to book your slots.

If any parents are unable to book in please call the school office for assistance. Any parents who are separated and require an appointment for both parents can do so using this system or call the school office to arrange it.

ALL SAINTS ACADEMY CONSULTATION

All Saints Academy are currently consulting on a proposed change of religious designation to a Church of England School.

If you would like to voice your opinion of this proposal, please contact Mrs Bowman in the school office who will provide you with a questionnaire.

WOW!!!!!!!!!!

BOOKFAIR 2018

An amazing response to our book fair last month. Mrs Garcia has confirmed the total sales was a staggering £1160!!!!!!

This means that we get £630 to spend on books for the school. Mrs Garcia will be putting our new books in the library this week so look out for them.

We would like to thank everyone who came to support this event and a **huge** thank you to Mrs Garcia who looks after our school library and runs this every year. Enjoy your books.



UNITED Challenge!

At Rowanfield, our **UNITED** curriculum is an extremely important part of our teaching and learning and feeds into all that we do. The purpose of **UNITED** is to teach our pupils valuable life skills such as teamwork and determination and how to gather information and evaluate. This term we are focusing on developing our **TEAMWORK** skills and we will be learning all about teamwork and practising our teamwork skills in our classrooms, the playground and in our assemblies. Below you will find a WOW voucher, if your child uses their teamwork skills at home we would love to know about this! We will share some of these in our **UNITED** assembly and display them in our school so please send in your child's teamwork achievement so that we can celebrate their successes.

UNITED TEAMWORK!

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Class:

Teamwork achievement/skill:

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