

Dear Parent/Carer

It has been lovely to welcome the children back into school this week, with lots of familiar faces and lots of new faces too! Today has been really interesting with the Big Assembly (all about diversity with 50000+ children watching and with the bike race going through Southwell).2

Welcome to our new Year 3 parents and parents of new children in Years 4/5 and 6 and just to say that my newsletter is normally fortnightly on a Friday but will be more frequent if there is information I need to get out to you. The most important thing is to say that if you have a question please do ask your child's classteacher, or use our 'home help' emails:

yr3homehelp@lwj.org.uk

yr4homehelp@lwj.org.uk

yr5homehelp@lwj.org.uk

yr6homehelp@lwj.org.uk

Alternatively contact the office – either in person or by calling 01636 813432 or emailing office@lwj.org.uk.

PE Lessons

PE lessons will be up and running for all classes next week and whilst we have told the children when their PE days are – you can also find them on our website under the Children/Class/Year group tabs. Please note that 4D will be swimming first on a Thursday morning and you should have received a letter – when swimming the children should come to school in their school uniform.

We are happy for the children to come to school in their school sports kit for the day (except on swimming days). Please can I remind parents that this must be a proper school kit – not a favourite football team shirt or t-shirts with logos. When the weather cools, your child is free to wear jogging bottoms. Jewellery cannot be worn during PE lessons for health and safety reasons. The current school PE kit is:

Girls/Boys – burgundy T-shirt with our school logo, or a plain, non-branded T-shirt in burgundy, white or navy. Navy blue shorts, sports trainers.



We also now have an optional blue sports hoodie that we normally have in stock at school for purchase. If you are unable to afford to purchase the appropriate kit, please make us aware at the school office.

Flu Nasal Vaccinations

Arrangements have been made for the Flu Immunisation Team to come into school on **Thursday 19th September**. They offer a free seasonal flu vaccine to all children from Yrs 3 to 6 inclusive. We emailed the information to parents on Wednesday, but just in case you missed it here are the details.

This year parents are being asked to complete the online response form by following this link, which is live until Monday 16th September (you may need to copy and paste the link into your browser to access the form):

<https://nhslmms.azurewebsites.net/session/aa414338>

The form gives you two options to consent to the vaccine (nasal or injectable) or you can select 'No' if you don't wish your child to have either. It is important the form is completed for all children, even if you are refusing consent. If you have more than one child attending this school, a form should be completed for each one.

Whole School Photographs – Wednesday 18th September

Individual photographs will be taken of all children throughout the morning. If you would like group photos with siblings, these will be offered before school from 8.15am (no need to book).

Diary Dates

We will be finalising a number of dates on Monday and these will come out to you later next week and these will be added to our school calendar.

Finally, this will be the only paper copy of the newsletter sent home – I have also emailed this to all parents, so if you don't receive it electronically please email the office; it is worth checking your junk box as well.

Have a great weekend.

Mr Mike Follen
Headteacher