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1st October 2021

Dear Parents and Guardians,

# **COVID Management & Test and Trace**

Thank you to all concerned with keeping everyone safe this week. Working together, we have managed the positive cases promptly and well.

Text 07856111511 this number is to notify of any positive case.



### Flu Vaccination: Consent

A reminder to return all Flu Vaccination consents to school by Monday morning; the school nursing team will be collecting the forms later that day.

## **Parent and Teacher Meetings**

These will take place on the JUNIOR CAMPUS throughout the week commencing 11<sup>th</sup> October.

Children go home at 1.00pm all week.

If you have just recently had a teacher meeting for a child's Individual Education Plan, you will not be allocated a further meeting unless you require it. Get in touch if you need the second meeting.

# 10p Tuesday <sup>©</sup>

Stand by Me: Child Sponsorship

The school sponsors a girl called Sifan who lives in Ethiopia. We are raising funds to support her in her education; the children are asked to help by donating 10p (or 20p) in school each Tuesday.

# **New School Build: update**

The site has now been cleared and boundary fences marked out. This is probably the most significant progress that we can all actually see to date.

The legal and preparation work behind the scenes continues to progress.



### **Family Photo Night**

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> November the school will be hosting a Family Photo Event. This is a fantastic opportunity for a family photo shoot just in time for Christmas. Ref Covid-19 restrictions; time slots will be allocated to ensure

everyone's safety. Details to follow.





# **School Bus**

If your child travels on the school bus, please talk to them about the importance of staying seated wearing their seatbelt and sitting quietly on the bus so as not to distract the driver. The EA have a clear rule that anyone who is disruptive on the bus may lose their eligibility to travel for a time.



Please remember to leave a way through at the driveway on the Senior Campus lane by parking on the right and moving on as soon as you can to allow the bus to safely deliver and collect children whilst ensuring emergency access.



# **Coding Club**

Great news! The Coding Club will return in November 2021. Details about booking, times and cost to follow.

#### CONGRATULATIONS!!!!

Oliver W in Year 6 received a letter to school today telling him he had won a fantastic prize in the 'Stay Local' art competition that he entered back in June!! He came 3<sup>rd</sup> in the whole of Northern Ireland. WOW!!!!

#### **GOOD LUCK**

We all wish Miss Smiley the very best of luck as she heads off to compete at the Horse of the Year Show in the NEC next Wednesday.

# **WEAR YELLOW:** Friday 8<sup>th</sup> October

We are focusing on our Healthy Minds and showing support for young people's mental health next Friday. We would encourage everyone to wear something yellow along with or as part of their uniform on Friday to show their support. This might be socks, ribbons, a hat, a T-shirt..... anything really that brings a bit of sunshine.

The **Library Van** will be returning to school on Tuesdays after Mid Term

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Take care and keep safe.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs A. Cambridge

Principal



