

# Cavendish Church of England Primary School

## Newsletter - Autumn Term 2021

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2021 No: 006

*Challenge, Creativity, Compassion: Create a pure heart in me – Psalm 51:10*



### *Prayer of the week – Sophia*

*We thank you that we have lots of food to eat. We hope that others are as lucky as we are, so lots of people can eat well.*

*We will help all we can to let everyone have enough food to eat in our country and across the world.*

*Amen*

### **Headteacher Awards**

These will be given out at assembly on Monday.

### **+Pay**

We use The Parentmail +Pay as the platform to record school meals and for parents to pay for school meals. +Pay is also set up for parents to pay for school trips. If you do not already have a log in for this please contact the school office.

### **School Pick up arrangements**

Please email or telephone the office with any changes to the normal pick up arrangements. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

### **School visits for Reception Class 2021 entry**

We are able to accommodate requests for families to visit our school on an after school basis to support the school risk assessment for Covid-19. Please note that visits must be booked in advance via the school office.

### **School Jumpers**

As the temperature is changing and the school doors and windows remain open in line with Covid-19 risk management, we ask all children to come into school with jumpers as well as coats for outside playtime.

**Please name all items of clothing.**

### **School Photographer – 3rd November**

School photographs will take place on Wednesday 3rd November, please remember to let the office know of you would like a school age sibling photograph taken. All orders for photographs will be made electronically and you will have the choice to have them sent free of charge to the school or delivered to home. All details on how to order your photographs will be sent home with proofs.

### **Head Lice**

A general reminder regarding head lice, please can you check your child's head for lice. Please treat your child if found and advise the school. Thank you for your support with this.

### **PTFA News**

The PTFA annual meeting will take place on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October at 9am onsite in the outdoor pagoda. The AGM is a great opportunity to get involved with the PTFA and share your ideas. Every family member of a child in the school is automatically a member of the PTFA it would be lovely to see some new faces. Please do come along if you have any fundraising suggestions and are interested in how funds have been

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spent, or to become a more active part of the team. Everyone is welcome. For more information please contact Jo Busby, Helen Stone or Rachel Farrell via the school office.

### **Harvest Festival - Thank you**

A very big thank you for the donations received into school this week for Reach food bank. It was lovely to see so many parents, grandparents and carers in the church this afternoon. To keep all our children safe please can I ask you that you do not share any photographs or videos on social media that were taken at church this afternoon.

Mars Class – We have been learning about repeating patterns, we know how to do an AB pattern and an ABC pattern - Ava

Jupiter Class – . We have been working hard on Handa's surprise for the church service. - Eric

Saturn Class - We have been rolling our times tables and we have also been doing topic about Anglo Saxons. In Science we have been learning about light, translucent and transparency. I've enjoyed practicing for the Harvest Service with my class and the rest of the school. – Tom.

Neptune Class – In our learning this week, we have been making periscopes in Science. In English we tea etched paper to make a letter for letters from the lighthouse story. In Maths we have been doing fractions Logan

### **Government Advice**

We have been asked to signpost parents to updated information about how to order a Covid-19 test and also includes the link for stay at home guidance, should this be necessary.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-households-with-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection>

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/testing-and-tracing/get-a-test-to-check-if-you-have-coronavirus>.



## **Cavendish Church of England Primary School**

### **School Term and Holiday dates 2021/2022**

#### **Autumn Term**

PD Days	Wednesday 1, Thursday 2 and Friday 3 September
Children Start	Monday 6 September
Half term	Monday 25 October to Friday 29 October
Last day	Friday 17 December

#### **Spring Term**

PD Day	Tuesday 4 January
Children Start	Wednesday 5 January
Half term	Monday 21 February to Friday 25 February
Last day	Friday 8 April

#### **Summer Term**

PD Day	Monday 25 April
Children Start	Tuesday 26 April
Half term	Monday 30 May to Friday 3 June
Last day	Thursday 21 July