



All Saints Primary School

Weekly Parent Email

W/E 12th March 2021

Dear All,

A thoroughly enjoyable first week back; it has been lovely to see so many smiling faces. There has been a wonderful atmosphere in school and, despite the weather, the children have spent lots of time outside. We have also been impressed with the focus and attitude of the children in class which has been remarkable considering we have had such a disrupted past 12 months. Elsewhere, Breakfast and After School Clubs are again proving popular and I am delighted to see some many families using these facilities.

We are always looking at ways to improve our learning areas and resources here at All Saints and in addition to having some indoor work completed during the Easter holiday, we have big plans for our Forest School are which we will hopefully be able to share really soon. We are also buying additional Chrome Books so that, next academic year, all Year 2 pupils (in addition to our KS2 pupils) will have their own device.

COVID-19 Security

As a reminder, we are still in a vulnerable position as far as coronavirus is concerned. Indeed, there are a number of cases which has affected the opening of a few schools in the local area this week. To help protect our pupils, could we all please comply with the government guidelines set out in the Government roadmap.

Illness

Following on from above, if your child is showing the following symptoms:

- high temperature
- a new, continuous cough
- loss or change to your sense of smell or taste

Please book them a PCR COVID-19 test via the government website - www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test

There are several other symptoms linked with COVID-19 such as headaches or sore throats. These other symptoms may have another cause and are not **on their own** a reason to have a COVID-19 test.

Operation Encompass

Please see the attached letter about All Saints' involvement in Operation Encompass.

Comic Relief – Non School Uniform with Crazy Hair – 19th March

Comic Relief Day is on Friday 19th March. Unfortunately, if we were to allow noses in school the likelihood is that they would be lost, swapped and pupils would be wearing other each Red Noses: this would not be 'Covid safe'. To mark the day, the School Council would like to hold a non-school uniform day with 'crazy

hair'. Rather than collect money, we ask that - if you wish to make a donation - you do so via Comic Relief's text service (details below).

TEXT THIS WORD	TEXT TO THIS NUMBER	THE DONATION WILL BE
COMIC	70205	£5
YES	70210	£10

Lost Property

Amongst other unnamed 'lost property', we have these nearly new items:

- Blue Next Coat (age 8)
- School Cardigan (size 28")
- School Jumper (size 28")
- School Jumper (size 34")

If you believe any of the above are yours, please contact Lou in the office.

Finally, if you have concerns about any aspect of your child's education or indeed if you have any ideas (however small) about how we could improve our provision, please do get in touch with us.

Nigel