



General Information Newsletter 2022-2023

Term Dates.

The last day of Term 2 is Friday 16th December 2022. The school is closed for an INSET Day on Tuesday 3rd January 2023 so **the children return to school for the start of Term 3 on Wednesday 4th January 2023.**

Contact Details.

Please can you ensure that the school office is always notified immediately if you update any of your contact details e.g. mobile phone numbers. This is really important to ensure emergency contact arrangements are effective. Thank you.

Coats.

Please can all the children have coats in school every day during the autumn and winter months, as the weather is so changeable and we want to continue to enjoy outside breaktimes wherever possible. Thank you.

School Journey.

Thank you to everyone who has continued to support us in helping to ensure the school journey is safe for all our children and families. It is greatly appreciated. **Please could we remind all drivers to ensure they are not parking or dropping off on the zig-zag lines outside the school gates. Please could we also ask drivers to not reverse into the adjacent closes to ensure the safety of our whole school community. Thank you.**



Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are all keeping well. After a fairly settled October it now certainly seems that autumn is with us! We have a very busy and exciting term ahead, culminating in our Christmas festivities in December. Please see the dates below for our Christmas events this year. After the disruption of the last few years we are really looking forward to getting back to a full Christmas calendar! We look forward to seeing you over the next couple of weeks for our first Parent Consultation evenings of the year and hope you enjoy an opportunity to talk about your child's progress and targets for the year ahead with their class teachers.

Poppy Appeal.



We will once again be supporting the British Legion Poppy Appeal in school this year. Poppies will be on sale at morning breaktime until Friday 11th November. A suggested donation of 20p for a poppy will be gratefully received.

Prospective New Reception Mornings September 2023.

We have a further open morning for prospective Reception September 2023 families on Thursday 24th November. There will be two sessions during the morning:- 9.00-9.50 and 10.30-11.15 am. If you would like to visit the school on our open morning please contact the school office. Please also let family and friends who may have children starting school next year know about the morning. Thank you.

Children In Need Day.

Children In Need Day takes place on Friday 18th November. The children are invited to come in to school in non-uniform on this day. We would be very grateful for a donation of £1.00 to the Children In Need Charity, which can be made through the link on our ParentPay page. We will also be raising extra funds for Children In Need through our Maths Week Enterprise project. Look out for more details coming soon.

Staffing News.

As you will already know we are very sadly saying goodbye to Mrs Owen who is moving on to an exciting new role at Seaford Head School. Mrs Owen's final day at Seaford Primary will be this Friday 11th November. We would like to thank her for her incredible contribution to our school and the amazing support she has given our whole school community and wish her all the very best for a happy and successful future. From Monday 21st November Mrs Sarah Mitchell will be moving into a full-time role within our Office team and we would like to wish her all the very best for her new role.

Christmas Diary Dates.

Please put the following dates for Christmas events in the diary. More details will follow nearer the time.

Thursday 8th December—Christmas Dinner Day.

Monday 12th December—Reception (RS Main roles) Christmas Play—9.30 am.

Monday 12th December—Year 1/2 (2R Main roles) Christmas Play—2.00 pm.

Monday 12th December—Year 3/4 Christmas Concert—St Leonard's Church—6.00 pm.

Tuesday 13th December—Year 5 Christmas Performance—2.15 pm.

Wednesday 14th December—Reception (RSQ Main roles) Christmas Play—9.30 am.

Wednesday 14th December—Year 1/2 (2BW Main roles) Christmas Play—2.00 pm.

Thursday 15th December—Year 6 Christmas Performance—9.30 am.

Kind regards, Chris Davey.