

School Snippets

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COVID

As you will be aware we have a rising number of positive COVID cases among children and staff, which is a trend nationally in schools. Following advice from the COVID team at the Local Authority we have put in some measures to try to reduce the risk of spreading the virus further.

We will do everything in our power to continue to run school as normally as possible, however, it may be necessary to put in additional protective measures in the coming days. We know that this can put additional pressures on parents, but as usual, we thank you for your support and understanding.

Parking

Can I please ask that when you park outside school, you do so considerately.

Vehicles should not park on the zig-zag lines or in a way which prevents children and families being able to cross the road safely. Yesterday, due to parking on the zig-zags and also on the opposite side of the road, there was very nearly an incident where a child could have been knocked over. Thankfully, an oncoming car, trying to negotiate the road between parked cars was able to stop in time.

Please pass on this message to any adults who may pick your children up from school.

We do reiterate road safety to the children regularly, please talk to your children at home too, especially if they walk home alone.

Friday 28th Jan 2022



Message from the Kitchen

As you are aware, there are issues affecting food supplies across the country and these are impacting on some catering services. We have started to see a few items we cannot source, but this is a developing situation so please be aware that it may be necessary to remove/substitute menu items at short notice; this is a difficult situation for all of us but please be assured that we are doing everything we can to provide the full menu.

ECO Day

We had a fabulous day on Monday, with each class taking part in different activities based on 'Looking After Our Planet'. Thank you to the Eco Committee for planning the day and for the amazing assembly they led. The Powerpoint presentation, made by a member of the committee, can be seen on our website, on the "[Pupils](#)" Tab.

Thank you also to all those who donated a range of materials for Beech Class to make their Bug Hotel – it could rival 'The Atlantis Hotel' in Dubai! Hemingbrough bugs are getting a 6-star experience!

Other activities included – litter, bee hives and much more. The Eco Committee also began a survey on how eco friendly our school is.



Upcoming Events...

Mon 31st Jan

- No Eco committee (these will now be monthly – next session is 14th Feb)

Wed 2nd Feb

- Swimming Y4

Tues 8th Feb

- Safer Internet Day

Wed 9th Feb

- Swimming Y4

Wed 16th

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- Parents Eve

Thur 17th Feb

- Parents Eve

Fri 18th Feb

- Non-Uniform Day
- Close for half term

Parents Evening Appointments

Our Parents Evenings are coming up, and the appointment booking system will be live on Parentmail next week (we will send a text alert).

At this point in time we are hoping to be able to meet with parents face to face however, if COVID cases continue to rise, we may need to review this and swap to virtual meetings instead (using the same appointment times). We will give you as much notice as possible if this situation occurs.