

NEWSLETTER 8 – 22nd October 2020

Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

Covid-19 Positive Test Result – If your child receives a **positive** Covid-19 test out of school hours, including the weekend and school holidays, please leave a message on the school answerphone and send a text to 07591 541444 immediately. We will contact you to confirm the next steps, for security we will ask you confirm some of your personal details we have on file. Please do not use this number for any other messages.

Covid-19 Negative Test Result – If your child receives a **negative** Covid-19 test result please contact the office on 01789 773201 before sending your child back to school.

Covid-19 Awareness – The national guidance remains that if your child is showing one or more of the 3 main Covid-19 symptoms: **high temperature, continuous cough and/or loss or change to smell/taste** they should isolate immediately and have a Covid-19 test. We have now been advised by Warwickshire Public Health of an additional change in the Local Authority guidance that if your child is unwell with any of these other acute symptoms: loss of appetite, diarrhoea, nausea, vomiting, extreme tiredness, headaches, joint pain, muscle ache, runny nose, sore throat, sneezing, altered consciousness or seizures that they should not come into school. If you are concerned about their symptoms apply for a test.

Bible Stories – Children in KS1 have been reading Bible Stories this week and learning about the meaning of Christianity. They particularly enjoyed the story of the 'Jonah and the Whale'.

Poppies – We will be selling Remembrance Poppies to pupils (Poppy stickers for Reception children) each day from 2nd to 10th Nov - please send in donations with your child.

Parking – We have received a complaint from a local resident about parking around school so please be considerate to our neighbours when bringing your child to school. Do not park over driveways or stop in the middle of the road to allow your child to exit the car. The free car park in Wards Lane is only a short walk from school.

School Milk - If you would like your child to receive school milk please register using the 'Cool Milk' website <https://www.coolmilk.com/register>. If your child is registered for welfare free school meals they can receive free milk – please ask at the office.

Flu Immunisations – Immunisations will take place in school on **Mon 9th Nov**. An email has been sent to all parents with further details and a link to the electronic consent form. Please note that the link expires on 4th Nov and if you have any queries please contact the School Health team on 01926 406738.

Secondary School Applications - The deadline for Secondary School applications for current Year 6 pupils is 31st Oct. Please ensure you apply before this date on <https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/admissions>.

Book of the Week – Children in Mrs Roberts & Mrs Jones' class have been enjoying 'Aliens Love Underpants' by Claire Freedman. You probably thought aliens came down to Earth with a view to taking over the planet - but, no, they simply want to steal your pants!

We hope you have a good half term break and look forward to seeing you on Monday 2nd November.

Mr A Simms