St Robert's R.C. First School Newsletter



22nd October 2020

Head Teacher: Mr D Sutcliffe

We care, we serve, we learn together in the love and truth of Jesus



Upcoming Diary Dates	
Monday	Keyboards
2/11	Liturgy
	Flu immunisations
	No Y3 swimming
Tuesday	PE
3/11	NUFC Y3/4 workshops
	Y3 Dodge ball club
Wednesday 4/11	Y4 Ukulele
Thursday 5/11	Violin
Friday 6/11	Celebration assembly

COVID-19 What symptoms to look for...



A new and continuous cough!

A high temperature



A loss or change in taste/smell

Tel: 01670 512 031

Please inform school immediately if your child or any family member in the household is taking a test and the outcome of the test.

CHILDREN IN NEED: Friday 13th November is Children in Need— SPOTACULAR— donation of a £1 to dress up covered in spots or simply add spots to your uniform!



ref Next week's Statement to live by: I can tell you how I look after myself

ON BEHALF OF ALL THE STAFF, THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR SUPPORT THIS HALF TERM. WE REALLY APPRECIATE WHAT FANTASTIC PARENTS WE HAVE!

COVID: I am sure that you will be aware that most of the Morpeth schools have now been affected by COVID which has resulted in class bubbles being asked to isolate. We currently do not have any positive cases in school but in the coming weeks that could change. Teachers will have shared information for this possibility. Please inform us immediately, even during the half term holidays, if anyone in the family has symptoms. We will require further information to inform Public Health England in the event of a positive case.

PARENT SURVEY: A huge thank you to all the parents who completed the survey to support us with your views on home learning and how the school is supporting you and your child. We had 90 family responses which is nearly one every child in school.

FINAL FRIDAY FUN: On **Friday 23rd October** the children can come to school in non school uniform (not Halloween costumes, please) for a donation of £1 (please pay on School Gateway) to support the Youth Mission Team (YMT) <u>click here</u> or further information. The children will take part in some fun activities on Friday afternoon—pumpkin design competition, biscuit decorating and a virtual quiz hosted by Mr Sutcliffe.

Y3 SWIMMING: I am pleased to say that swimming lessons, which are part of the curriculum for Year 3, will start again on Monday 9th November 2020. **REECEPTION PLACES 2021 PORTAL:** The portal for Reception places for 2021 opens on the **1st November**. You can find all the information by following the link. <u>Click here!</u>

FLU IMMUNISATIONS: Children in Years Reception to Year 4, who have had consent from parents, will receive the nasal flu vaccine on Monday 2nd November. The Flu Immunisation Team will be here from 9.30am.

NUFC FOUNDATION: The coaches from NUFC foundation will be working with Years 3 and 4 after half term on sessions in the classroom. Year 3 will be having a Match Fit session and Year 4 will be having a United as One session. **HARVEST CONTRIBUTIONS:** Thank you so much for your generosity in supporting our Harvest Festival—the Wansbeck Valley Food Bank will be delighted to receive your donations.

NUT FREE SCHOOL: A reminder that we are a nut free school and that we have several children with nut allergies. Please do not send any nuts or nut products into school either as a snack or in your child's lunch. Thank you for your support.

HALF TERM: Have a fantastic half term. We return to school on Monday 2nd November.





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