



Tynsel Parkes CE Primary Academy

Newsletter 4

9th October 2020

Friday 9th October - 'HelloYellow'

Today we have been celebrating World Mental Health Day and carrying out lots of different activities in the classrooms. Thank you for supporting this event and raising money for Young Minds, today the school has managed to raise a grand total of £157.71 so far with more donations rolling in. Thank you for supporting this charity event.



TP



Further to our letter outlining the consultation for the afterschool TP provision, I would like to confirm that **Thursday 22nd October**, will be the last evening session for the TP provision. As explained in our previous letter due to the low numbers of children attending the evening wraparound sessions, this provision is no longer financially viable. However, if there is a need for an after school provision in the future this will be reviewed by the Local Academy Council.

The morning TP sessions will continue to run as normal and will not be affected by this change.

Playground Reminders

Please can I remind parents to drop and collect your children at school at the times that we have previously stated in our school letters. As the number of COVID cases rise in the community we would kindly ask that only one adult per family brings and drops off the children and you all please wear face masks if possible. Recently groups of parents have started to stop and talk on the yard and are not socially distancing. Please can I remind you to drop children off and please leave the yard straight away. If you are waiting for your children please stand back in the yards so that other carers can pass without the pathways feeling congested.

If you are dropping children off at TP in the morning or collecting in the evening please can I kindly ask you to wear a mask on school premises. **Thank you.**

Harvest

This year we are having to adapt our Harvest Festival, we are hoping to put the service on our school website for you to see. If families can help by sending in a Harvest gift we would be very grateful, we will be supporting the Uttoxeter Food Bank again this year. We are asking for any dried foods, cereals, pasta or tins; to be brought into school on **Thursday 22nd October**. The items will be collected by the school gates as the children enter school on that day. Please do not take food donations to the class teachers at this time.



Nursery and TP Fees

Please could we remind all parents/carers who use the Nursery and The TP that fees **MUST** be paid in advance of the sessions being taken. Any sessions not paid for within two weeks of the booking date will incur a £20 late payment charge. Please could we ask parents to ensure their accounts are kept in credit at all times, thank you.

Thank you for your continued support at this time.

Mrs. Rachel Chandler

Principal