



Tynsel Parkes CE Primary Academy

Newsletter 8

13th November 2020

Children in Need Day

Thank you for support with Children in Need today, all the children looked fabulous in their spotty clothes and lots of activities have taken place in classrooms, talking about the charity. If you would like to donate please do so through the Children In Need website at www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/donate/



Anti- Bullying Week - Monday 16th - Friday 20th November

Anti-Bullying Week will take place from 16th November - Friday 20th November. In school, we will be talking to your children about what bullying is and the many forms of bullying that could take place in the world around us. We want all children to feel safe and happy inside and outside of school. On **Monday 16th November** we will be celebrating 'Odd Socks Day', a day where children are invited to come to school in odd socks to celebrate that we all unique and special (No donations).



COVID Reminders:

Thank you all for your support this week as we enter our second week of national lockdown. I know it is a difficult time for us all when we are unable to visit loved ones in different households at this time. There are a few reminders:

- Any positive Covid 19 cases should be reported immediately by email to office@tynselparkesacademy.co.uk. We are monitoring this inbox and therefore we will pick up your message out of hours. Please use the subject line "Positive Covid Test".
- We will inform families as soon as possible if bubbles will be closed so that you can put the necessary arrangements in place. Sometimes we will have to make the precautionary decision of closing bubbles until we can get advice from Public Health England.
- If anyone in your household is displaying symptoms of COVID, **all the household needs to isolate**, children cannot attend school, a test is required for the person with symptoms.

- If your child's test is negative they can return to school when they have been **symptom free for 48 hours** (symptoms are: high temperature, new continuous cough or change to sense of taste or smell).
- Do not congregate on the schoolyard, as soon as you have picked up or dropped off your children, please leave the school site. Do not meet at the bottom of the school gate as this is causing some congestion, other parents and carers are not able to leave the school site safely.
- Arrive at the school for the times your children have been asked to avoid as much congestion as possible on the yards and at the school gates.
- Any messages for class teachers to be passed via the office or the year group email if relating to teaching and learning.

Thank you in helping maintain an environment that is as safe as possible for the whole of our school community.

Payments for TP and Nursery:

Please could we politely remind all parents who use breakfast club and Nursery to pay fees in advance, for example if your child attends Nursery lunch club every day you should ensure you have put £10 onto the Nursery Lunch Club payment item every Monday. This is much easier and quicker than paying £2 every day.

Photographs

Any orders for your child's photographs need to be completed online via www.tempest-orders.co.uk by Monday 16th November 2020 in order to get free delivery back to school.

Parking

Please be considerate when parking your car in the surrounding streets. We must always consider others, as well as ensuring our children's safety, if at all possible please try and walk to school.



Thank you for your continued support,
Mrs Rachel Chandler
Principal