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Dear Parents November 2021

Well one half of the term over and we have another busy half of a term to come. Thank you to all of the parents who continue to support the school in everything we do!

#### **Key dates for November and December**

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> November FLU Vaccinations for REC – Yr1- Yr2 – Yr3 – Yr4 - Yr5 and YR6

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November Harvest Celebration Led by Year 3 and Year 4 – 2.00pm

Photo Day – please wear full school uniform

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> November Assessment Week – whole school

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> December RECEPTION 2022 OPEN MORNING – 9.30am – 11.00am

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December Christmas Dinner Day

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> December Infant Nativity – EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2
Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December Christmas Party day – wear your own clothes

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> December Break up for Christmas at 1.30pm

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2022 Return to school

From October half term no summer dresses may be worn children need to be in full school uniform.

Please remember you must wear a tie when you wear a white school shirt.



#### Black History Celebration

What a show!

The children and staff worked really hard and I am sure you will agree that every child was a star in their own right!

I am very proud to be the head teacher of such a wonderful and caring school where together we enjoy many learning experiences!

#### Parking outside the school

Thank you to the parents are working with the school

- it has been noted by the Housing Wardens, the
Police and the local residents how much safer the
road is.



#### **HOWEVER**

We still have some families that do not follow the schools directions and can be very rude when asked to move their car when they are blocking other drivers.

Please let's keep the road safe for all of the children!

#### HARVEST FESTIVAL CELEBRATION

Our Harvest Service will take place on  $\frac{\text{Friday }12^{\text{th}}}{\text{November}}$  at 2pm.

This event will be led by the children in Year 3 and Year 4.

We will be once again supporting the St John Fisher Food Bank.

We raised £265.00 with our Harvest Fundraising Day and the school will purchase the food - the food will be displayed at the Harvest Festival celebration and blessed before it is delivered to the Parish Sisters House.

## Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November

Individual and sibling photographs will be taken on this day.

Please contact the school office if you have any concerns





















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## PE Kits

Please make sure your child has the correct PE kit.

There are still children coming to school with Logos on their tracksuits. The tracksuits worn in school for PE MUST be plain - NO logos or WHTE stripes.

Please do not purchase expensive sportswear for the children. From Monday 8<sup>th</sup> November PE checks will be made and parents will be contacted if their child is not in the correct school PE Kit.

Please remember the children can wear their SCHOOL JUMPER if they do not have a plain tracksuit top.

- Plain white T/Shirt
- Black/Navy Shorts
- Plain Black or Navy Tracksuit NO LOGO or STRIPES
- Trainers

## Primary Reception Places - September 2022

The Bexley online site has now opened - www.bexley.gov.uk/admissions

(for Bexley residents) and closes on 14th January 2022.

Please make sure you complete the Supplementary for St John Fisher if you are applying for a space in our 2022 Reception Class.

The school will hold an information and Open Morning on Wednesday 1st December 2021.

You will be given a guided tour of the school by our Year 6 children and have the opportunity to ask questions to the Senior Leadership Team.

Please remind friends and neighbours to put this date in their diary. The closing date for applications is 14th January 2022.





















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Lots more photos on the school twitter page.





















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# Remembrance Day

From Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November we will be selling Poppies, Snap Bands and Remembrance Bands in school.

Poppies - 20p Snap Bands - £1.00 Remembrance Bands - £1.00

On Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> November we are inviting the children to come to school wearing RED.

Cost £1.00 - all monies raised will be given to the Royal British Legion.

Please support this amazing charity and remember all those who have lost their lives fighting for us.



















