



Coleshill C of E Primary School

Inspiring our children to flourish and enjoy 'Life in all its fullness' (John 10:10)

NEWSLETTER

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Notices

Christmas Cards

The PTA would like to offer a huge thank you to parents for placing their Christmas orders. Please note however that no more orders can now be accepted. Special mentions to Mrs Millward's class who placed the most orders and Mrs Bunn's class who had the highest value orders! Orders should be here in two weeks. The PTA hope to raise around £500 which will go towards the 2021-22 Trim Trail project.

Christmas Panto

The PTA have supported the school in arranging a Christmas panto (Dick Whittington) to come to school on Monday 6th December for Reception to Year 6. Performances will be at 9.30am and 1.30pm. This professional production will be a fantastic opportunity for children to see live theatre. We are able to offer this experience for just £3.20 per child. A payment item will be set up on ParentPay and we gratefully anticipate your support. If there is any reason that you would not want your child to attend this production, please let the office or your child's class teacher know. We will remove the payment and give them an alternative activity on the day.

Year 3 nativity, Tuesday 14th December, 2pm and 6pm

We are returning to holding a Christmas Nativity again this year although it will be at school rather than in St Peter and Paul's Church. As in previous years it will be Year 3 performing and unfortunately the production will only be available for parents/grandparents of Year 3 children. More details of securing a ticket for the nativity will be shared with Year 3 parents shortly.

Applications open for Reception and Junior School Places

If you have a child that is due to start in Reception in September 2022, then the time has come to apply for their school place. This applies to children born between 1 September 2017 and 31 August 2018 for Reception.

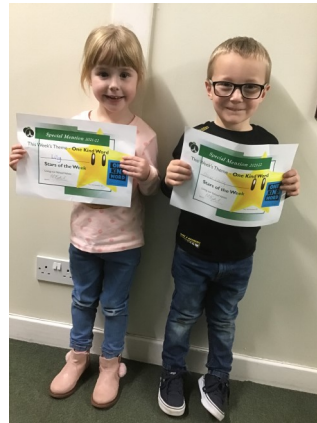
All applications received by the deadline of 15 January will receive a school offer on 19 April next year, which is National Offer Day. Any applications submitted after the 15 January deadline will only be considered after this, meaning the child is much less likely to be offered a place at a preferred school.

Applications should be made online where parents and carers can also find useful information on school transport, priority school areas and admissions criteria.





Special Mentions - Our stars of the week



Well done to our stars of the week who have been living our value of kindness and thinking about using kind words as part of our work during anti-bullying week.

Bank Staff Required

We are looking for flexible, reliable people who are interested in joining the Coleshill C of E Primary team as bank staff. Cover may be required throughout school on an ad hoc basis over lunch, at before and after school club or during the day.

If you are interested in working with children from 2 to 11 years old in a vibrant environment, have spare time to offer and are available at short notice, please email nurse-ry3586@welearn365.com for an application form.

Previous experience and relevant qualifications (e.g. in childcare or first aid) are ideal but not required. Bank staff will require an enhanced DBS check and safeguarding training, both of which will be provided by the school. Interviews will take place and references will be requested.



Merry CHRISTMAS

Our Christmas Dinner day is on Wednesday 15th December.

We will be offering a choice of:

Roast turkey or Quorn fillet & gravy with

Sage & onion stuffing

Carrots and garden peas

Roast potatoes

Pigs in blankets

and a decorated festive cookie

for **£2.65**

(or bring in your own lunch box from home)

Please submit your order via the Google form that will be emailed out via ParentPay,
and make payment on ParentPay.

Thank you!



CALENDAR DATES	
November	
25th	Reception 2022 Open Day, 9.30am or 5.30pm
26th	School photographer
29th	Year 6 Bikeability
30th	Nasal flu spray vaccinations
December	
6th	Bag 2 School clothing collection
6th	Panto in school
10th	Step into Christmas (fun theme day)
14th	Year 3 nativity
15th	Christmas dinner day
17th	Last day of term—school closes at 2.00pm
January	
4th	INSET
February	
28th	INSET
April	
25th	INSET

ATTENDANCE	
School	91.2
RJ	92.3
RM	94.6
1O	96.7
1W	96.0
2C	53.4
2RA	94.4
3M	94.5
3SM	97.2
4G	79.5
4P	77.1
5FH	96.5
5J	95.1
6B	95.7
6J	93.8

School Photographs

The photographer will be coming back on Friday 26th November for the remaining sibling group photos and individual photos for anyone who was absent last week. Proofs will be sent out after all photos have been taken.

Sodexo School Dinners Survey

Thank you to all those who took the time to complete our school dinners survey. Some responses did show levels of dissatisfaction that we are not happy with and we have shared these with the Academy Trust and Sodexo. We will be working with them to ensure those issues are rectified as soon as possible.

BAG 2 SCHOOL

FREE FUNDRAISING FOR SCHOOLS

In partnership with your school or organisation



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Bag 2 School is a company that specialises in the reuse and recycling of good quality second-hand clothing and we have arranged to make a collection from your school. All the bags will be weighed and you will be paid for the total weight collected. Remember, the more you collect the greater the benefit to your school.



By using this paper leaflet we are helping to reduce unnecessary extra plastic. Please use your own bag or bags (there is no limit). The leaflet is FSC accredited, please recycle it.

When the clothes have been removed from the bag the plastic will be packed and sent for recycling.

We are collecting good quality items for RE-USE:

Men's, ladies' & children's clothing, paired shoes, handbags, belts & accessories.

(No uniforms, workwear, pillows, duvets or pieces of fabric please)

The more we weigh the more we pay!

Extra bags are welcome - there's no limit

Please return your Bag2School on:



Monday 6th December 2021 by 9.00am

 01609 780 222

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 helpdesk@bag2school.com




Reception At the Farm





A free programme that helps Warwickshire families live healthier lives

The Change Makers Healthy Lifestyles Programme teaches families about good nutrition, staying active and other healthy living topics through seven fun, interactive weekly sessions. The whole family can get involved in activities like preparing and tasting new foods and playing group games, as well as getting lots of practical advice, guidelines and tips on healthy lifestyles.



Change Makers also offer a one-off workshop for parents/carers that provides a general overview of healthy living, including useful tips and a Q&A session.

The workshop and programme take place at community venues across the county. The programme is rolling and can be joined at any point.

For families with more complex needs, one-to-one support from the Change Makers team is available.

Change Makers services are available for free to all families with a child/young person who goes to school in Warwickshire.