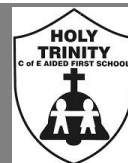


HTFS NEWS



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Welcome back!

I hope you have all had a great summer, it was lovely to see everyone again this week—can't believe how much some of the children have grown!

This week we have welcomed our new nursery children who all seem to have settled in well. Mrs Cockett who some of you will know from Y1 and Junior Jammers is teaching in Y4 until Mrs Green is able to start after half term. Miss Morton, a trainee teacher began her training this week based in our school for most of the year.

Assemblies

Parents are invited to come into school assemblies, usually twice each week.

On Thursday mornings just after 9.00 we have a short 'worship' assembly with singing and a story of some kind. The nursery join us in small groups a few weeks into the term.

On Friday afternoons we have achievement assembly. This is where we award house points and give out class awards. This was becoming too long last year so we have decided not to do the birthday bells in assembly, birthdays will be celebrated in class times now which will give the children more time to talk about their special time. **Because of this, Friday assemblies will start at 2.45 from next week.**

Please come and join us at one or both assemblies, it's a great chance to find out more about what the children are doing in school. It's absolutely fine to bring your little ones, the door opens at the back of the hall and you can easily take them out if they get restless.

Helping in school

If you can spare a little bit of time we always need reading helpers—please speak to the class teachers if you think you can help (it doesn't have to be a commitment every week)

Contact details

If your emergency contact details have changed over the summer please let the office know as soon as possible. We need at least two contacts who are able to come to school if needed.

PTA

Sarah Sam the chair of our fantastic PTA invites anyone who is interested in the work the PTA do to come along to a meeting on Monday at 2.30. Everyone welcome, the meeting will be in the end room where there are toys for little ones to amuse themselves so bring them along.

Diary Dates

Mon 10th Sept
PTA meeting 2.30

Thurs 13th Sept
Y3 parents' workshop 2.30

Tues 18th Sept
Y4 working with a storyteller

Tues 18th Sept
Y2 parents' workshop 2.30

Thurs 20th Sept
Y4 parents' workshop 2.30

Weds 26th Sept
Reception parents' workshop 2.30

Thurs 27th Sept
Coffee Morning 9.00

Fri 5th Oct
Harvest Festival in Church 2.30

Fri 19th Oct
KS2 at the Literary Festival

Fri 26th Oct
Keeping Safe assemblies

Fri 26th Oct
School closes for half term and reopens on Monday 5th November

Website

Our school website has been changed over the summer; some pages are under construction but please have a look at it and if you have any feedback on things you think could be improved or added please let me know.

Swimming

The pool is closed on Tuesday next week so no swimming for classes 2 and 3. Classes 4 and 5 start on Thursday 13th September.

All swimming money in a named purse or envelope on Mondays please.

Parent workshops

These workshops are a good chance to find out how things work in your child's new class. Dates in the diary list.