Friday 1st July 2022



Head's Lines

Issue: 34

Dates for your diary:

5.07.22 – new starters meeting for children going into reception 4pm

4.07.22 - transition for year 6 to secondary schools

6th July – children move to their new classes for the 1 day

8.07.22 reports out to parents

8.07.22 Y4 trip to Kirkleatham

14.07.22 Reception trip to Saltburn

15.07.22 outstanding pupil assembly pm

18.07.22 Y6 play in the evening

19.07.22 Y6 play in the evening

20.07.22 y6 leavers' assembly and y6 party

21.07.22 Break up for the summer break!

SCHOOL DAY IN SEPTEMBER

The government has set out a White Paper that asks all schools to ensure that children have a set 32.5 hours each week. This is an extension to our school day as it currently stands.

The aims of this is that children are in school a little longer to try to bridge the gaps that COVID has left.

From September, our school day will start at 8.45am (gates open at 8.35am) and we will end our day at **3.15pm**. We will be putting an afternoon play into the pm session so that children have a break in their learning.

Class based assemblies – you are invited into school at 2.40pm on the following days to watch the class's sharing assembly.

<u>Wednesday 12th July – Miss Excell's class</u> (change due to Miss Excell going on the residential)

These assemblies are not practised performances just a chance for you to see some of the learning your child has been experiencing – we hope you enjoy them.

Transition next week

Year 6 are moving to their secondary schools next week – school will be so quiet without them. We hope they all have the very best week and enjoy every minute. In school we will meet our new teachers on Wednesday.

RECYCLING – beach tidy.

We are delighted to be teaming up with Amey – a waste management company in North Yorkshire to look at keeping our beach clean. Many of our children already know about the effects of litter going into the sea. We are going to launch a family based competition where we collect as much rubbish from the beach as we can per family over the period of a month. Have a huge weigh in at the end and the winners will get the chance to go to the factory and see how waste is changed into everyday objects.

We have high viz vests and litter pickers to give out — these can be collected this week from school. Any bags of rubbish are brought to school and put in a different bin with the family name attached to them... happy collecting.. the bin is placed between the two trees at the front of school.

REMINDER ABOUT EARRINGS

Just to remind you that from September 2022, we will be a no earring school. Children will not be able to wear earrings in school due to the increased physical activity.

These are the class teachers for next year. If you are unsure of whose name belongs to which person, if you go onto our website www.erringtonprimary.co.uk under the staff section, you will see the picture of each teacher.

Nursery - Mrs Jennings (supported by Mrs Jerz)

Reception - Mrs Dardeshi (supported by Mrs Gillan)

Year 1 - Miss Edwards (supported by Miss Ovington)

Year 2 - Miss Matthews (supported by Mrs Smart)

Year 3 - Miss Hunt (supported by Mrs Milne)

Year 4 - Mr Fishpool (supported by Mrs Weeks/Mr Griffiths)

Year 5 - Miss Pinder (supported by Mrs Nicholas)

Year 6 - Miss Bennison and Mrs English (supported by Mrs Graham)

Children in year 6 have been moved into two new classes for year six and you will receive a letter home today - telling you which class your child is in. We have spent a lot of time asking children and staff about the best dynamics for these groups. I ask you to be supportive of our decisions as they have been very carefully thought through.