

# St John's CEVA Primary School



No.2

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Dear Parents

We have been really busy these last three weeks, The children have settled well and great learning is taking place. I am so very proud of the way the children have shown respect for the Late Queen Elizabeth's death and the new King.

I am hoping you all had the opportunity to meet the teacher last week and these conversations were of benefit to you and your children. I know the teachers felt it was a good opportunity for them to meet you.

Harvest will be celebrated next Friday 9.10am in school. I look forward to welcoming you all to school next Friday. Class 4 will be sharing and choir members will be singing. You also have a chance to bring non-perishable foods as gifts for the Charity FIND. As you can imagine in these difficult times this is a resource which is much needed by many families.

As a school we have been having much debate about school trips and whether these can go ahead in such difficult times for so many. We want to be able to enrich the curriculum for the children and so we ask that if a trip has been organised and you have difficulty with payment that you please come and speak to me.

As we go into October we will be having a prayer space week thanks to the families team at MIE St John's. We have also got two Wellbeing days planned just before half term.

Please if you are concerned about anything you can get in contact with me through the office email. I am always more than happy to hear from you.

Best wishes,

Mrs Betts



## MacMillan Coffee Morning—Friday 14th October

We will be holding a coffee morning in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support after the morning assembly on Friday 14th October. This will be our first coffee morning post pandemic so please support this worthy cause and book the date. If you are able to offer cakes please let the school office know or contact Mrs S Dean—PTA who will be co-ordinating the coffee morning.

Thank you for your support.



### Parent Governor Nominations

The Governing body has a vacancy for a Parent Governor to join the team. If you are interested in the role please call in to the school office for a nomination form.

Governors have many responsibilities. It does take a degree of commitment but as with most things, the more you put in, the more you get out! The whole Governing Body of St John's usually meets twice per term: once to consider business brought to us by the Local Education Authority and once to cover matters more specifically about our own school.

Parent Governor Nominations should be received by Friday 14th October 2022

We look forward to hearing from you.

### PUNCTUALITY and ATTENDANCE

Just a reminder school starts at 8.50 am. Please can you ensure your child is ready in the class line before this time to lead into school together. If your child is unable to come to school or you wish to request leave of absence please contact the office for the relevant forms.

Thank you.

PLEASE REMEMBER  
CHOCOLATE BARS OF ANY TYPE ARE  
NOT ALLOWED IN LUNCH BOXES. THANK YOU.

### Uniform

It is lovely to see all the children back to school in their smart Uniforms and new PE kits.

Please remember:-

All shoulder length hair must be tied back.

No jewellery in school. Pierced earrings should be sleeper type and removed or covered on PE days.

Coats must be plain navy.

Trainers may only be worn on PE days.

Plain Black sensible school shoes at all other times.

# Dates for Diaries 2022



## September

Fri—30th - 9.10 am—Harvest Assembly -

## October

Mon 3rd— Friday 7th—Prayer Space Week

Wed 5th—Flu Immunisation—visit 1

Wed 12th- KS1 Phonics Information Evening

Fri 14th—Year 6 class assembly + Macmillan Coffee Morning

Wed 19th + Thurs 20th—Wellbeing Days

Friday 21st - PD DAY—NO SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN

**HALF TERM—W/C Mon 24th October**

Monday 31st October—Children return to school

## OPEN MORNINGS

Thurs 6th October 2022 &  
Thurs 24th November 2022

9.30 am Tour followed by Headteacher's talk

DO YOU HAVE A CHILD WHO IS DUE TO START SCHOOL IN THE ACADEMIC YEAR  
COMMENCING SEPTEMBER 2023

You are warmly invited to one of our open mornings on  
Thursday 6th October and Thurs 24th November 2022.

You will have the opportunity to look around our school guided by our Year 6 pupils. Our Headteacher will be available to answer any questions you may have about the applications and

admissions procedures.

Our School Prospectus is available on line @ [www.st-johns.suffolk.sch.uk](http://www.st-johns.suffolk.sch.uk). Our Admissions Policy can also be viewed on that website.



Almighty God,  
give us reverence for all creation  
and respect for every person,  
that we may mirror your likeness  
in Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen