

OTTERBURN PRIMARY SCHOOL



Weekly Newsletter – Friday 20th November 2020

Otterburn Primary School & Nursery

Attendance

Week ending: 13.11.2020

Reception: 97%

Year 1: 96%

Year 2: 95%

Year 3: 96%

Year 4: 95%

Year 5: 98%

Year 6: 100%

Please make every effort to ensure that your child is in school every day and not missing valuable learning time.

Upcoming Events:-

11th December – Christmas Jumper Day

15th December – Flu Immunisations

18th December – Last day of Autumn Term

4th January – Teacher Training Day

5th January – First Day of Spring Term



Stars of the Week - Friday 20th November 2020

This week's winners are:-

Mrs Bush's Stars of the week are Abigail Gaukrodger & William Henden

Mrs Tincombe's Star of the week is Bella Murray

Mrs Spiller's Star of the week is Archie Wright

A big well done to everyone!



Reminders

Please can you make sure that your child has a hat and gloves in school each day.

I know times are hard right now and we are asked to do a lot, but we really need to work together and do our bit. The local data shows that the cases of COVID are increasing significantly across the whole of Northumberland.

I know it is tempting to catch up after dropping off or picking up your children, but it is important that we keep our distance and don't congregate at this time.

Following the government guidelines and not breaking the law is of paramount importance. If you are concerned that local residents are breaking the law please contact the Northumberland Public Protection Team on: 0345 600 6400

We are doing our bit to keep your children safe in school. Help us by doing your bit as well. Protect yourself, protect others and protect Northumberland.

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KS1 parents

We need materials for junk modelling ie Toilet roll tubes, small boxes, plastic bottles etc. If items could be sent in to school in plastic bags so that we can quarantine them before they are used in class. Thank you.



After School Clubs W/C – 23rd November 2020

Monday – Craft Club (Nur-Y2) Yoga/Dance Club (Y3-6) – 3.15pm – 4.30pm
 Tuesday – PE Club (Nur-Y2) Fun Club (Y3-6) - 3.15pm – 4.30pm
 Thursday – Sports Game Club (Y3-6)
 Allotment Club (Nur-Y2) - 3.15pm-4.30pm

Breakfast Club available Mon-Fri. 7.45am – 8.45am

Are you having a pre or post Christmas clear-out?

We are doing a Bag to School collection again. Bag 2 School is a company that specialises in good quality second hand clothing that can be re-used and we have arranged a collection from school for Thursday 21st January 2021. All bags are weighed and the school will receive money for the total weight collected. Bags will be sent home next week, black bin bags can also be used. Below is a list of items that can be put into the bags. Once filled, bags can be sent in to school and will be stored in our outside shed so we ask that you double bag the items.

Bag to School accept the following 'good quality' items for RE-USE:

- Men's, Ladies' and Children's clothing
- Paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around)
- Handbags
- Hats
- Bags
- Scarves and ties
- Jewellery
- Lingerie
- Socks
- Belts
- Soft toys
- Household linen
- Household curtains
- Household towels
- Household bedding (bed sheets, pillow cases and duvet covers)

Bag 2 School do not accept the following:

- *Duvets and blankets*
- *Pillows and cushions*
- *Carpets, rugs and mats (including bath, shower and toilet mats)*
- *Soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothing*
- *School uniforms with and without logo*
- *Corporate clothing and workwear*
- *Textile off cuts, yarns or threaded material*

