

The Humberston Church of England Primary School



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NEWSLETTER

WELCOME BACK

Message from the Governing Body

To parents, carers, staff and pupils

The governors would like to welcome you back to a new academic year. We would like to take this opportunity to reflect on the previous year's achievements and consider what we are looking forward to this year.

Humberston C of E Primary School ended last year with another successful year with pupils ready for their next stage in learning and looking forward to their new classes; and Year 6 looking forward to moving into their secondary school.

The staff and governors are proud to announce the achievement of the pupils in every school year, and I am sure that parents of last year's pupils were proud of them too. Some highlights included an average phonics score of 38 out of 40; combined reading, writing and maths measures, in both KS1 and KS2, more than 10% above last year's national scores; along with many more successes. We now all look forward to the new school year and are ready for another year of exciting learning opportunities, including visits and visitors. The governors will be invited to join in with a variety of special events and we hope to see you, as parents and carers, along with members of our community there too.

The governors will be meeting every term to engage with the school and staff to hear about all that is taking place and hear how our pupils are developing and achieving during the academic year.

From the governors of Humberston Church of England Primary School

Christian Values

This term our Christian Value is 'Respect'. Look out for a letter featuring stories and activities linked to respect, for you and your child to enjoy together at home. There is a Challenge Gallery display board in the hall ready to showcase any lovely pictures returned to school as part of the 'home-school challenge', which is explained in the leaflet.

Class 8 – Christian Value Worship

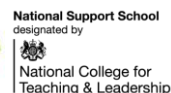
On Monday 23rd September Class 8 will introduce this term's value of respect to the whole school and we would like to invite parents of children in Class 8 to come along and join this very special worship. Please enter through the main office at 9.00am once you have dropped your children off at their classroom. We look forward to seeing you.

Harvest Festival

We will be holding our Harvest Festival Service at St. Peter's Church on Tuesday 24th September



"We hold the keys – you open the doors"



Respect Friendship Forgiveness Justice Perseverance Generosity

and Wednesday 25th September 2019. We would like to ask parents and children to donate either tinned foods, packets of dried food or any other type of food stuff (not fresh food) that you may be able to spare. This year we will be supporting the Daily Bread Larder which is run by CARE and Churches Together in North East Lincolnshire who work together to provide short term relief of food poverty in the area. Please bring your donations into school by Monday 23rd September 2019. Thank you for your generosity.

Parents Phonics Workshop

On Tuesday 24th September at 2.45pm we will be holding a phonics and reading workshop for Foundation Stage and Key Stage 1 parents to attend. Our Foundation Stage Coordinator and teaching staff will explain how your child will be learning phonics in school and how you can support this learning at home. It is an ideal opportunity for those parents who are new to the school and those who would like a 'refresher' to come along and learn more about our phonics and reading programmes. Please enter via the main office, thank you.

Parking Reminder

Can we please ask parents when parking around the area of the school to be considerate to our neighbours and do not park across driveways or make it difficult for residents to access their property. Can we also remind parents/carers not to use the staff car park for dropping off and picking up from breakfast club and after school clubs. The area in front of the school gates is also not to be used as a drop off/pick up area. Thank you.

Message from St. Peter's Church – Harvest Weekend 28th-29th September 2019

On Saturday 28th September St. Peter's Church will be holding a sea themed model brick show, built and designed by a Lego enthusiast who has exhibited at the national model brick show at Excel London. There will be models of different styles of ships and landscapes. The Church also hope to be able to supply a limited number of small model kits for people to buy and make at the event or at home.

At St. Peter's Harvest Festival will be celebrated with a special service at 11.00am on Sunday 29th September. Do come and join our all age service when we will welcome a guest preacher from CARE. During the service St. Peter's will collect packets and tins of food to be distributed to people in extreme need through North East Lincolnshire.

Diary dates

Tuesday 17th September 2019 – Year 5 & 6 Anglo Saxon Day in school

Monday 23rd September 2019 – Class 8 Christian Value Worship – parents of Class 8 welcome

Tuesday 24th September 2019 – 2.45pm FS/Yr 2 Parents Phonics Workshop

Tuesday 24th September 2019 – 9.00am Harvest Festival at St. Peters Church (unfortunately due to lack of space, parents are not invited)

Wednesday 25th September 2019 – 9.00am Harvest Festival at St. Peters Church (unfortunately due to lack of space, parents are not invited)

Friday 4th October 2019 – pm FS/Yr 1 Grandparents Day (details to follow)

Monday 7th October 2019 – pm FS/Yr 1 Grandparents Day (details to follow)

Tuesday 8th October 2019 – pm Parents evening (details to follow)

Tuesday 15th October 2019 - 3.00pm Mayors visit for School Council Assembly

Tuesday 29th October 2019 – am FS/Yr 1 Music Workshop (details to follow)

Tuesday 29th October 2019 – Foundation Stage to Yr 6 Flu Vaccination programme (details to follow)

Thursday 31st October 2019 – Foundation Stage to Yr 6 Flu Vaccination programme (details to follow)

Friday 13th December 2019 – 2.30pm Year 5 & 6 Christmas Concert

Monday 16th December 2019 – 2.30pm Year 2 Christmas Concert

Tuesday 17th December 2019 – 2.30pm Foundation Stage Christmas Concert

Wednesday 18th December 2019 – 2.30pm Year 3 & 4 Christmas Concert

Friday 17th July 2020 – 1.30pm School Closes for the summer break

Monday 20th July 2020 – Training Day – School Closed

Tuesday 21st July 2020 – Training Day – School Closed