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September 2021 Newsletter 1

Dates for your diary:

[2<sup>th</sup> September](#)  
Return to school

[6<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> September](#)  
FS2 pupils start school

[6<sup>th</sup> September](#)  
WOW theme days (Y2 7<sup>th</sup>)

[9<sup>th</sup> September](#)  
Dr Bike  
Y4 swimming starts

[14-17<sup>th</sup> September](#)  
Class visits to the General Cemetery

[16<sup>th</sup> September](#)  
Y3 trip to Weston Park

[17<sup>th</sup> September](#)  
Good to Be Me Day

[1<sup>st</sup> October](#)  
School closed for INSET day

## Welcome Back

Welcome back to all our families old and new ones, we hope you have all had a lovely summer holiday. We are slowly returning back to normal in school whilst erring on the side of caution. Parents are welcome to come onto the yard from 8.40am and 3.10pm at the end of the day. Please continue to phone the office if you have any queries and use Parent Pay to pay for trips, lunches and clubs.

## School Uniform

Children are expected to wear school uniform every day. This consists of black or grey trousers, skirts, dresses and a red, white or black t-shirt, jumper or cardigan. You can purchase a uniform with the school logo on, or buy plain items from local supermarkets. Jeans are **not** school uniform. Y5 and Y6 pupils may attend school in PE kits on their PE days. Other year groups will need to change into their PE kits at school, which need to be labelled.

## Good to Be Me Day

We will have our Good to Be Me day on **Friday 17<sup>th</sup> September**. Children are invited to wear traditional costume on this day. The children will do some work about themselves and our community to celebrate this day.

## Y4 Swimming

Year Four swimming lessons will be starting on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> September at King Edwards Swimming Baths. There is a separate letter for Y4 parents about this.

## After school clubs

We will just be running the Breakfast club and After school club in the hall at the moment. Please make sure you let the office know if your child is attending either of the clubs.

## Dinner Money

If your child is in Year Three you will now need to pay for school dinners. Dinners are £2 per day. Please try to pay for dinners in advance so that you don't run up any debts.

## Packed Lunches

Please ensure you send your child with a healthy packed lunch. We are unable to heat up food for pupils, ideally they should have a sandwich and a healthy snack. Sending your child in with just biscuits, chocolate bars or take away food (ie KFC, MacDonald's, cold chips, cold beef burgers) is not acceptable and you will be contacted about this.



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## **Road Closure**

A polite reminder, Pomona Street in front of the school will be closed to traffic between 8.15am -9.15am and 2.45-3.45pm.

We need parent volunteers to help steward the barrier in a morning and at the end of the day as the Sheffield Street staff expect school to staff this closure ourselves. Please phone the office if you can help us, thank you in advance.

## **PE Days**

FS2- Thursday, Friday  
Y1- Wednesday, Thursday  
Y2-Tuesday, Friday  
Y3-Tuesday, Thursday  
Y4-Wednesday, Thursday-swimming  
Y5- Monday, Wednesday  
Y6-Monday, Tuesday

## **Dr Bike**

Dr Bike will be in school all day on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> September. Please bring any bikes that you would like her to look at next week.

## **Sheffield Cemetery**

### **Edible England Art Exhibition**

Our pupils are taking part in this art exhibition which will be open from 11-17<sup>th</sup> September. You are welcome to view this work at Samuel Worth Chapel during the Heritage Open Day week. We will be taking Y1-Y6 along to see this exhibition as part of our local visit program.

Thank you for your support and patience as we settle back into normal school routines. Pupils are asked to line up in the yard at the start of the day (8.45am) to be taken into school by a member of staff. They will then be brought into the yard at the end of the day for parents to collect.

FS2, Y1, Y2 children will be sent out of class at the end of the day once staff can see their adult, please wait in the yard outside their classrooms.

Cath Thomas  
Headteacher



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