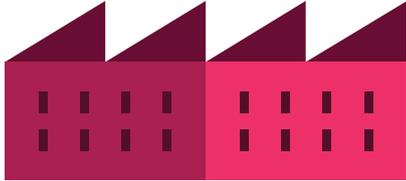


Rangeworthy C of E Primary School



Termlet 1
School core value-Friendship



10th September 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,

I would like to start by warmly welcoming you all back to Rangeworthy School. I know that you have all had such a jam packed summer holiday filled with exciting adventures. This is because of the way that the children have been so enthusiastic to tell all the adults about their experiences and we have thoroughly enjoyed listening.



Welcome to the Reception children and parents

The new reception children have really settled in really well to Rangeworthy school life. They have entered the school with such confidence and a burning desire to learn. We can't believe how confident they all are already. It would be great to see some of the parents attend the School Association AGM planned on the 27th September (7pm in the school hall) if possible.



Collective Worship on a Friday

We will be continuing with the successful Collective Worship rota that was set up last year.

During Golden Book Assembly (weeks 1 and 3) some children from each class will be selected by the class teacher for demonstrating some of the 'Learning Characteristic' traits. Furthermore, I will be awarding 'Golden Book Awards' for children that have demonstrated one of the schools core values successfully.

If your child, has been nominated for the week, the school will endeavour to notify you by Wednesday, so that if you wished, you could attend this celebration.

In addition, during week 2 of each month, the children will be invited to participate in 'Celebration Service.' This will involve the children bringing in certificates/cups/rosettes of achievements, achieved outside of school time. This will provide the child with the chance to share successes verbally. The Collective Worship monitors for this year (2 year 6 children) will be leading this part of our Collective Worship cycle.

During week 4, the assembly will be dedicated to celebrating high quality work produced. Some children will be asked to share their work with the rest of the school.

It gives me pleasure to announce that the Collective Worship Monitors for this year are Leila and Kaydin.

Rangeworthy School Council

Over the next couple of weeks, Mrs Guest will kindly be running and organising the School Council elections. This will provide all the children from year 1 through to year 6, with the opportunity to run for election to the School Council this year. Further details will follow shortly and please encourage your child to take part in important democratic process if they haven't already done so.



After School Clubs

After School Clubs will start the week beginning the 17th September.

Monday-KS1 sports club run by Swift Sport. This club is free and is funded by the school.

Tuesday- KS2 sports club run by Swift Sport. This club is free and is funded by the school.

Date of the week to be confirmed-Fencing club run by Mike.

Monday-Cookery Club will be run by Mrs Musty this term for K.S.2 children only (This club will begin on 18th September, and will be from 3.15-4.15pm)

After School club provision will be reviewed at the beginning of termlet 2 and a new list will be reissued.

The following lunchtime clubs run by year 5 and 6 children will also be taking place during the Autumn term and will run from 12.30 until 12.55pm.

Football club-Monday lunchtime

Dance club-Tuesday lunchtime

Drawing club-Wednesday lunchtime

Art and craft club-Thursday lunchtime

Drama club-Friday lunchtime



School Association Update

Please can I take this opportunity to say a big thank you on behalf of all the staff for the many volunteers who gave up their valuable time during the summer holidays to revolutionise and make over the Reception classroom. This learning environment is now so vibrant and appealing. The new Reception children already look so at home in this space and the storage is fabulous. I am sure you are all in agreement, as a parent body, that the decoration team have made such a huge impact on the cosmetics of the building. Thank you ever so much!



Parents' Evening arrangements

This terms Parents' Evening will take place on 17th October between the times of 2.30 and 7.30pm. It would be fantastic if we could reach a level of 100% attendance, as this is a crucial opportunity for you to meet with your child/s class teachers and discuss how they have settled in this year, and the progress they have made academically.

A subsequent letter will be issued in the near future that will explain how the evening will be organised and how to book an appointment. Should you have any queries or concerns before this date, please do not hesitate to contact the class teacher and they will be very happy to talk to you.

Labelling clothing

Please can I take this opportunity to remind you that all uniform and items of clothing needs to be clearly marked with your child's name, so that they don't become lost. Thank you for your cooperation.



GDPR-General Data Protection Regulations

In the near future, a data pack will be sent out by the school office requesting up to date information and consent for a number of activities. Please ensure that complete all of the forms and return them promptly to the school office. It is essential that we have this information on file.

Please could I also remind you to share the pupil privacy notice with your child, before filling it in and sending back to school. If you have misplaced the previously issued one, a new one can be obtained from the school website (Dfe-GDPR) or the school office.



Dinner money cost and payments

A reminder that the cost of a school dinner for a pupil is £2.20 per meal. Please can you make the effort to pay in advance or on the day, so that arrears are not accrued. Thank you for your help with this.



Parish News distribution

The Parish News will be distributed regularly to all parents, so that you can keep up to date with what is happening locally.



Forest Skills update

We are excited to announce that the Forest Skills afternoons have begun. The first afternoon took place on Wednesday and was thoroughly enjoyed by year 1, 2 and 3. This week, years 1, 4, 5 and 6 will get the opportunity to explore the forest area. Please ensure that your child comes equipped with appropriate clothing and a change of footwear. If any parents would like to volunteer their help on Wednesday afternoons, it would be very much appreciated.

Diary dates for the Autumn term

A separate sheet has been issued with this newsletter that informs you of some of the important dates for the Autumn term. Please take the time to read it and put it somewhere safe. Additional letters, will be issued later on in the term that provides more information about certain events.

INSET Days for 2018-19

3rd September 2018

7th January 2019

23rd April 2019

22nd July 2019

23rd July 2019

Thank you for reading this information.

Yours sincerely

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