

Class 10 Newsletter Autumn 2 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

Welcome to our half-termly newsletter, which aims to share with you the key information you need to know this half term.

Topics

Our topic this term is Ancient China with a focus on Art and DT. You can see all the work we will be doing in each subject in our long term plans on the school website. Just go to the school website (https://holytrinitybarnsley.org/), select Learning, and then Curriculum and then Primary to find out more!

Homework/Reading

Homework will be sent home via dojo every Friday. You will find the homework on the class story. Please can the children complete either the English grammar homework or the Maths task by the following Wednesday? You can send your class teacher a photo of the completed homework or children can write their answers on paper and they can bring this with them to school. If your child is struggling with anything, then feel free to message your class teacher to let them know of any difficulties.

Children will be rewarded with a dojo for bringing homework back on time.

Type of Homework	Day it is set	Day to be returned	Feedback
Weekly spelling grid	Friday	No need to return	
Times table Rockstars activity	Friday	No need to return	
Maths task	Friday – Week A	Wednesday	On dojo
English/Grammar task	Friday – Week B	Wednesday	On dojo

It is important for children to read to an adult at home daily. Reading will be rewarded with air miles and these will be checked off in school. Children will also receive a dojo for each time they read at home, as well as an entry into our class reading raffle to win a prize each week.

Your child should have brought home a login for Times Table Rockstars and Numbots. Regular practise on these websites is required.

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Uniform

Please see the website for a correct list of the school uniform. School uniform is expected to be worn every day apart from the days your child does PE (see below for more details).

<u>PE</u>

Our PE day this half term is on Tuesday on Week A and Monday on Week B. Please ensure your child <u>comes to school</u> in the correct kit. Please see the school website for the correct kit. Children can wear tracksuits if the weather is an issue – please be aware that PE lessons may take place outside so correct kit including appropriate footwear is essential.

Earrings

Due to Health & Safety in school, earrings are not allowed. Please ensure that your child removes their earrings before they come to school. Plasters over the ears will not be acceptable. Failure to do so will lead to the child missing PE.

Dates for your diary

Swimming continues every Wednesday (7th December is the last session before Christmas) Parents evening – Wednesday 2nd November

Non uniform day (please bring a bottle of something for the Christmas Fayre) – Friday 4th November

Children in Need – Friday 18th November

Inset day - Friday 25th November

Inset day - Monday 28th November

Non uniform day (please bring in chocolate for the Christmas Fayre) – Friday 2nd December Christmas Fayre and Christmas Jumper Day – Friday 15th December

Break up for Christmas - Friday 16th December

Other key information

Please ensure your child brings their own filled water bottle into school daily. Only water is allowed for school.

Your child may also bring in a healthy snack for morning break time. The healthy tuck shop has reopened so children may bring in 25p to purchase a snack.

Queries

If you have any concerns or wish to speak with a member of staff you will need to phone the school office (01226 704550), email (info@holytrinitybarnsley.org), contact us via the text service (01226 610168) or send a message via class dojo.

