



SAINT NORBERT'S CATHOLIC VOLUNTARY ACADEMY

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Mission Statement: To live, love and learn in the footprints of Jesus.

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Dear Families,

In-School Parents' Appointments – Children in Class 2 (Reception), Class 3 (Year 1/2) Class 4 (Year 3/4) and Class 5 (Year 5/6)

Our Parent Consultation Meetings will take place in school on Tuesday 20th October from 1.10pm. Rather than holding two separate events, we have decided to continue combining these into one extended afternoon and evening session.

It is really important that you meet with your child's Class Teacher to discuss progress and wellbeing at our parent consultation meetings in the Advent (autumn) and Lent (spring) terms. Please do therefore ensure that you attend each of these to avoid the need for rescheduled appointments at another time.

Where parents share parental responsibility but do not live together, we will assume that information from the meeting will be shared between parents and will not contact you further if one parent has requested and attended an appointment. If both parents would like to attend, you are, of course, very welcome to book and attend together or separately, depending upon your circumstances.

Nursery parents will be contacted separately to arrange their appointments.

Please use the attached link to indicate your preferred first and second-choice time slots. Appointments will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis and we will try to offer a time as close as possible to one of your choices. Each meeting will last for 10 minutes. If you have more than one child attending school, we will, as always, try to schedule appointments so that waiting time is kept to a minimum.

Should you require a longer consultation following your initial meeting, please do arrange an additional appointment for another date. Similarly, if you would like to meet with me to discuss any aspect of your child's education, please contact me and I will be very happy to arrange a separate meeting.

Friends of St Norbert's PTA

The AGM of the Friends of St Norbert's PTA takes place at 3pm on Tuesday 6th October. All families are very welcome to attend. If you would like your child to attend Goldstar Out of School Club for the duration of the meeting, please let the school office know - there will be no charge for this time.



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The election of officers for the coming year will also take place at the AGM. If you would like to be considered for one of these positions, please complete the attached form and return it to the school office.

Reminder - Bags2School Collection

If you are able to donate any items for our PTA Bags2School Collection, could you please bring these into school before 8.30am next Wednesday morning. Please do not bring bags into school beforehand as, unfortunately, we simply do not have the space to store them.

We would also be very grateful for any donations of winter scarves, gloves, hats or wellies which your family may no longer need. These would be kept separately by school and used by our children for outdoor play during the colder months. Donations of these items would be so welcome and can be brought into school at any time.

Thank you again for your support.

Harvest Celebration

Tickets for our Harvest Celebration on 23rd October are already being requested quickly. If you would like to attend, please use the link sent with my email yesterday to request your tickets. Full details can be found in my letter of 29th September.

Although Goldstar Out of School Club will remain open that afternoon, please do check whether you will still require your child's place before making a paid booking. In previous years, some families have booked Goldstar but then decided to take their children home following the Harvest Celebration, ready to begin the half-term holiday. Unfortunately, we would not be able to refund payments for places which are then cancelled on the afternoon itself. Thank you for your understanding.

Flu Vaccinations

Flu vaccinations for children in Reception and Classes 3, 4 and 5 will take place on Monday 2nd November, with parental permission.

You will receive a telephone call from Lincs Vaccinations to obtain your consent. If they are unable to contact you by telephone, they will send you a text message or email. Children for whom permission has not been received will not be vaccinated.

If you need to discuss the vaccination with a member of the Vaccination Team, please contact them directly on 01724 514800.

Isle of Axholme Lions - Eye Screening

The Isle of Axholme Lions will be in school on Tuesday 3rd November to provide eye screening for children in our Reception Class. Further information will be shared with Reception families shortly.

Yours sincerely,



A Dawson