



Colkirk C of E Primary Academy, Little Snoring Community Primary Academy Sculthorpe C of E Primary Academy & West Raynham C of E Primary Academy



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**Have Faith - Flourish - Fly High**



September 2018

# Welcome Back!

- We have had a lovely start to the new school year. All of the children have moved into their new year groups and are settling in to their new routines beautifully. Reception children are really enjoying the mornings with their peers and are taking everything in their stride.
- Due to the difficulties we have experienced in the past with transporting small groups of children to Forest Schools, we have decided to run Beach Schools ourselves this year. We organised a bid for funding from the Ogden Trust who awarded us some funding for transport and costs. Beach schools will involve all the children going on 3 full days of beach learning together throughout the year. More information to follow.
- All children in Years 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 will need trainers in school every day for Jazzy Jogging/Racy Running from next Monday 17<sup>th</sup> September please.
- **Every child who brings their trainers to school every day will have a fun outing to the park at the end of term.**
- **Please note: we do not hold petty cash at school.** Our finance policy states that we have to bank all money as it is received and **we are not allowed to give change**. If you pay in cash please use the correct change, any balance will be credited to milk, toast, lunches or voluntary funds. If you pay by cheque please make it payable to 'The Unity Federation'.
- Please order milk, toast and lunches no later than each Friday for the following week. If you wish to have the same lunches regularly let Jo know, thank you. School dinners are now £2.20 each, milk 75p/week and toast £1 per/week. We only accept payment and orders for a full week of milk and toast. All 2 day weeks will be free milk and toast for those who have it regularly to allow for any trips/days out.
- Children may bring in water to keep in the classrooms during the day and/or children are welcome to use the water fountain during the day. Squash drinks will be kept in the fridge until lunchtimes.



- Thank you for your help in starting each day promptly and encouraging the children to organise themselves in the mornings. **Please ensure everyone goes straight outside into the garden** as soon as they have hung up their bags. **Children DO NOT need to go in and out of classes for any reason. This is to ensure your children's safety.** All children from Y3 upwards are able to organise their own bookbags and reading, particularly Seahorses and Sea Turtles; Seashells need to change their books during the day to encourage their independence with Mrs Fulton's or my guidance.
- Please remember to drop off between 8.40-8.50am to minimise morning disruption and please pick up promptly at 3.15pm.
- Reminder of clubs for autumn. Clubs are £3 per session or £2.50 if paying for a full half term in advance. Please make cheques payable to 'Top Coaching'.
- Please make the most of these clubs so that they can continue. We will be reviewing whether the clubs will go ahead this Friday 14<sup>th</sup> September as we cannot continue to provide for 2 or three children. **Please use them or lose them!**

PE clubs for Years 2,3,4,5 & 6		
Monday	NO Club	NO Club
Tuesday	8.00-8.45am	NO Club
Wednesday	8.00-8.45am	NO Club
Thursday	8.00-8.45am	NO Club
Friday	8.00-8.45am	3.30-4.15pm

- Potty Potter (Lisa) from the Clay Barn will be running a 5 week club open to all children from Y1 onwards starting this Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> September for a cost of £20 in total. Please return flyers and payment by Wednesday morning if your child will be attending.
- Finally we are trialling a new marking scheme. Please ask your children about 'Pink for think' and 'Yell for yellow'. We hope this will help the children to progress in their learning.



## Dates for your fridge

- Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> September - Craft Club starts with the Clay Barn, 3.30-4.30pm, please be ready to collect your children on time.
- Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> September - FAN will be visiting to chat with Year 6's
- Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> September - Sea Turtles to Gressenhall - letter to follow.
- Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> September - Construction afternoon at Colkirk lead by representatives from RAF Marham for Y4/5/6
- Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September - Beach Learning day - whole school
- Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September - MacMillan Fundraiser
- Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> October - Federation Art Day with West Raynham
- Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> October - Harvest Festival 2.30pm at St Mary's Church

LAST CRAFT CLUB

**Half term break 18<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> October**

**Back to school Monday 29<sup>th</sup> October**