

EGTON CE PRIMARY SCHOOL EGTON WHITBY NORTH YORKSHIRE YO21 1UT

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Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2020,

Dear Parents & Carers,

We are getting back into the swing of things now and the children have very quickly become used to the new normal. It is lovely to have them all back and our new children in Reception have settled in very well. The children have had a little tea party in school this afternoon to say farewell to Mrs Webster who very kindly returned after the summer to help the children and new teachers settle in. We are still hopeful that we will be able to have a proper farewell later in the school year for Mrs Coldbeck, Mrs Webster, Mrs Boddy and Madame Touitou, where everyone can be invited.

# Attendance

Just a little reminder that if your child is ill and will be absent from school, we ask that you contact school to let us know on each day that they will be absent. This can be by telephone on **01947 895369** or by email to <u>admin@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk</u>. Thankyou.

## **Teacher emails**

We are aware that the current situation means that parents may feel they cannot speak to the teachers as easily as before. Please be reassured that we are always contactable either on the school telephone, 01947 895369, or by emailing us on the following email addresses;

•	School	_	admin@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk	
٠	Miss Wardle	_	l.wardle@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk	Year 5 & 6
٠	Mrs Tokarski	_	l.tokarski@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk	Year 3 & 4
٠	Miss Robertson	_	g.robertson@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk	Infants
٠	Mrs Seller	_	<u>p.seller@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk</u>	EYFS

These email address will be checked between the hours of 8am and 4.30pm and we will endeavour to get back to you as soon as possible. As always if you need to contact us urgently during school hours, please call the school reception.

## School Drop off and Collections

Thank you for your patience and understanding while we have got into a routine at the school gates. Everything is running a lot more smoothly now. Please could we just ask that you are mindful of our neighbours and leave the access to the neighbouring properties clear at all times. Please could we also ask that you take care not to park on the roadside verges and the grass around the church, particularly as it is so wet at the moment. Thank you.

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## PE Kits

Please could we ask that each child has a named PE kit in school at all times. We will send them home to be washed at the end of half term. As the teachers are now teaching PE rather than Sports coaches, we can be more flexible when we do PE so don't have a set day to do it. This is particularly helpful given how autumnal the weather is at the moment.

#### **Dinner Money**

We will be sending out invoices for last year's outstanding amounts of dinner money/ milk money/ breakfast club money in the next couple of weeks.

Moving forward we would like to encourage payments to made by BACS directly into the school bank. This will hopefully make things easier and reduce the need to handle cash. If you would like to discuss anything relating to payments please contact Kelly in the school office. Thankyou.

#### Peat Rigg Refunds

Sadly, it is looking unlikely that we will be able to take the children to Peat Rigg in the near future so we will be issuing refunds shortly for the payments made in the spring for children who were in Years 3 & 4 last year. We will keep you informed as to when we are able to visit Peat Rigg again.

We hope you have a lovely weekend!

Best wishes,

Liz Orland Head teacher.

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