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Friday 9th October 2020,

Dear Parents & Carers,

Parent Consultations

As we are unable to invite parents into school at the moment to conduct parent consultations, we are offering a choice of either a 10 minute zoom meeting or a telephone call with your child's teacher. The consultations will be taking place on the following days:

Monday 19th October, Tuesday 20th October, Wednesday 21st October or Thursday 22nd October from 3.40pm

Please email Kelly on admin@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk to request an appointment and include the following details;

- Your Name
- Childs Name and Year Group
- Teacher you would like to speak to
- Date & time you would prefer
- Type of appointment preferred – Zoom or Telephone Call

We will then allocate times and email you a confirmation to let you know.

Forest School – Infants

The infants will be taking part in Forest School next **Thursday, 15th October**. All of the Infant Children who will be taking part in Forest School **may come to school in their Forest School clothes in the morning** and wear them for the day. This is to minimise the number of bags that are being brought into school from home.

Please remember that they will probably get dirty so old clothes are best and wellies and a warm coat & hat are a must. They will also need a pair of gloves each please. These are an essential item for every time that they take part in forest school.

Harvest Festival Service and Food Bank Collection

Sadly, this year we will be unable to hold our family Harvest Festival Service in church so instead we will be having a Children's harvest service, led by Rev Paul, in our collective worship. We will be collecting for Whitby Food Bank once again and are asking for donations of non-perishable dried and tinned foodstuffs. You can find a list of items currently urgently required below. There will be boxes kept outside the school reception for the children to leave their donations in. These will then be quarantined before being passed onto the foodbank.

Items the Foodbank urgently require:

Tins	Drinks	Packets
Soup	Tea	Cereal
Baked Beans	Coffee	Porridge
Vegetables	Juice	Rice
Potatoes	Milk	Pasta
Meat		Pasta Sauces
Hot Dogs		Instant Noodles
Spaghetti	Other	Sauces
Fish	Deodorant	Jellies
Custard	Soap	Instant Whip
Milk Puddings	Toilet Paper	Puddings
Fruit	Shampoo	Custard
Fray Bentos Pies	Toothpaste	Sugar

We are delighted to announce that Egton School is to be a designated a local collection point for Whitby Foodbank, so please do spread the word! Posters will be going up shortly. The collection point is a plastic box located at the front of school. The foodbank has been widely used over the last few months as I'm sure you'll appreciate and has been a valuable support to families throughout our locality.

Hand Sanitiser

Following a visit from our Health & Safety Advisor we have been asked to remind parents that children should not be bringing hand sanitiser in to school from home. Many hand sanitisers are alcohol based and therefore they pose a risk to children who may ingest them. As the children are currently washing their hands frequently during the day in school, they have no need to use hand sanitiser while they are with us. Thankyou.

Sleep Clinic

Are you the parent of a child aged 1 year or over with sleep issues and live in North Yorkshire?

Parent Carer Voice are excited to be supporting The Sleep Charity who are pleased to announce

ZOOM SLEEP DROP IN SESSIONS

Wednesday 14th October 7pm-8pm

Thursday 15th October 11am-12pm

The Sleep Charity are kindly offering virtual meet and greet drop-in sessions over Zoom. For parents and professionals to have a chat about their sleep service, how to book a 1-2-1 Sleep clinic and what happens at the appointment etc .

Please note: the Sleep Charity is currently running a service in Scarborough, Whitby and Ryedale but all are welcome to join us to find out about the service and share feedback following the event that Parent Carer Voice can share with the CCG's following the events to help try to engage the service throughout North Yorkshire.

To find out more or to book a place on one of the sessions please see our Events page at www.parentcarervoiceuk.org/events or via our Parent Carer Voice Facebook page.

Alternatively you can contact The Sleep Charity direct via email at claire@thesleepcharity.org.uk

Caedmon College Whitby Virtual Open Evenings for Years 5 & 6

We're organising a series of online meetings to explain our curriculum offer, our transition and pastoral systems, as well as how we organise the school. Book your place now by following this link:

<https://forms.gle/21vu1gWQgv6WAfzn6>

We look forward to meeting you on Tuesday 13th or Thursday 15th October. Let us know if you'd like to visit us for a personal tour of the school. Bookings being taken for most late afternoons, early evenings and Saturday mornings over the next two weeks. Contact us at post@ccwhitby.org

Have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes,

Liz Orland
Head Teacher