

Year 6 Secondary School Admissions:

Admissions to secondary schools for year 6's will be announced on March 1st 2025. You must accept the offer by the deadline given in the offer letter. Here is the link for the website for more information:

[School Admissions - Nottingham City Council](#)

Parking:

Please drive carefully around our school site – it is a very busy place at the start and end of the school day with children and families wanting to get to and from school safely.

Please also respect our neighbours – please do not block their driveways.

Class Dojo:

Please ensure you regularly check our school app 'Class Dojo' there will be updates with activities and information for all classes.

Key Diary Dates for this half term:

7th February – Number day and non-uniform

12th February – Coffee morning 9am-10am (small hall)

14th February BREAK UP - February Half term

24th February – Back to school

Office Information:

Please contact the office (0115 9155770) if you have any queries about:

- ❖ Squid
- ❖ Free School Meals
- ❖ Pupil Premium
- ❖ Breakfast & After School Clubs

or alternatively email

admin@cantrell.nottingham.sch.uk

The office is open for telephone calls from 8-4pm but we ask that people only come into the office between the hours of 08:30 – 9:15am and 3:25 -4pm.

If your child is off for any reason, please email with details to attendance@cantrell.nottingham.sch.uk or call 0115 9155770 and chose option 2 **before 9.30am.**

Packed Lunch/Snacks

Please ensure your child is bringing in a healthy packed lunch and playtime snack.

This could be:

- Fruit
- Cereal bars
- Cheese (such as baby-bel)
- Yoghurt

We are a nut free school so please check labels carefully.

Water Bottles

Please make sure your children come into school with a labelled water bottle every day.

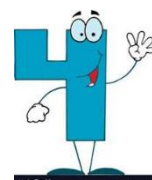
NUMBER DAY

On Friday 7th February we are celebrating Number Day.



Children can come to school in non-uniform, wearing numbers. This can be anything from a football shirt with a number on or you can create your own unique design with numbers on a top, bottoms or a hat, the more creative the better.

We are kindly asking for a £1 donation that will go to the NSPCC Charity.



We really look forward to seeing all your number ideas and creations.

Frequently asked questions (FAQs)

Mobile phones

The use of mobile phones on Cantrell Primary and Nursery School site is strictly forbidden.

What happens if my child is hurt at school?

Our medical room is staffed by experienced, first-aid trained staff. Communication about any head injury or treatment is sent home to inform parents of injuries. We use the 'Medical Tracker' system which enables us to send a letter via email. Parents are telephoned if the concern or injury is serious.

Does the school administer medicines?

As a general rule school are advised not to administer medicines in school.

However, there are special circumstances when parents MUST complete 'authorisation' for administration of medicine/tablets, prescribed by a doctor.

Appointments

All appointments (dental/DR/hospital, opticians etc.) MUST be supported by a letter/appointment email/card. Where possible these should be made outside of school time.

Supervision

ALL younger children MUST be closely supervised by families dropping off and collecting at the correct times. Children must remain with parents.

Playground Equipment

We prefer that children do NOT play on this equipment before or after school. If you allow your children on the equipment at this time they will NOT be supervised by staff; this is at your own risk.

No smoking

Cantrell Primary and Nursery School has a 'no smoking' policy inside and outside in the grounds of the school, including e-cigarettes.

Dogs

Dogs are not allowed on site or near school entrances and should not be tied to railings and left unattended.

When does my child's class have PE?

Each year group has a termly newsletter on the school website which gives details of PE lessons. We are continuing with children coming to school already wearing their (correct) PE kit and wearing this all day. This means that there are fewer bags and clothes in school, so safer for everyone. Practice at home with buttons etc with younger children, and laces with older children still! Please see the uniform policy for correct PE kit.