

Cantrell Primary School Newsletter 18th September 2020



A REMINDER OF TEMPORARY SCHOOL OPENING TIMES & ENTRANCES. Thank you for your co-operation so far this term. To ensure everyone is safe please adhere to the following:

- Arrive promptly at your child's allocated time and leave promptly to allow a smooth transition and social distancing;
- Queue behind the sign at your child's allocated gate;
- If you are late, please join the queue, don't congregate in between as this blocks the path and road;
- Stand 2 metres apart, or 1 metre if this is not possible;
- Wear a mask if you are unable to socially distance;
- If you need to speak to the teacher, call and arrange to do this at a mutually suitable time – not on arrival/pick up;
- Years 1 to 6: if you have children with different drop off times, then drop them all at the latest time.

Previous class	New Year	New Room	New Class	Teacher	Gate	Start and end times:
Nursery	R	7	RA	Mrs McQueen & Miss Snowden	Rising Stars big gate (vehicle entrance)	8:45 – 3:10
Nursery		8	RB	Mrs Davies Balfe & Mrs Knott		
8	1	9	1A	Miss Glossop	Main Gate	9:10 - 3:30
7		10	1B	Miss DeBarr		
9	2	12	2A	Miss E Smith	Bottom drive	9:05 - 3:30
10		13	2B	Miss C Smith		
13	3	4	3A	Mrs Whittlesea	Main gate	9:00 - 3:25
12		11	3B	Miss Warsop & Miss Ellis		
4	4	5	4A	Mrs Eldridge	Main gate	8:45 - 3:20
11		6	4B	Mrs Ganguly & Mr Surman		
5	5	2	5A	Mr White	Bottom drive	8:55 - 3:25
6		3	5B	Miss Stirland		
3	6	1	6A	Miss Langham	Bottom drive	8:45 - 3:10
2		16	6B	Mr Houlgate		

RECEPTION CLASSES RA & RB START TIMES FOR NEXT WEEK. Please be reminded that children in these classes will stay for a full day from next week until further notice. *Arrive at the earlier time of 8:45am* and finish at **3:10pm**. Children can choose a FREE school meal or bring their own packed lunch.

ANNUAL FLU VACCINATION. The proposed date for this to take place is **Thursday 5th November** in school, for all children in Reception to Year 6. NHS are again using an electronic consent form this year, please access using this link: <https://www.nottinghamshireimmunisations.co.uk/Forms/Flu>. You will need to enter the unique code for Cantrell which is **NG122413**. Please fill it in by **30th September 2020** to ensure your child gets vaccinated. *Even if you do not want your child to be vaccinated please complete the form to let the immunisation team know.* The childhood flu programme runs until December 2020.

MIDDAY SUPERVISOR VACANCIES. Do you have some time to spare over lunch? Looking to earn a little extra cash? Enjoy working with children? Then maybe you'd like to join our friendly team of staff supervising children over lunchtime. We have casual positions available; pay is £9.25 per hour (living wage); 1 hour 45 minutes/day, term time only. Interested? Please email admin@cantrell.nottingham.sch.uk for application form, and return by **Monday 5th October**. Alternatively, please telephone school on (0115) 9155770, we can send an application pack home with your child. Interviews likely to be 12th October. We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of our children. Successful applicants will be subject to the following checks: enhanced DBS; identity; health; right to work in the UK; references.

DATA COLLECTION SHEETS. These were sent home with children in years 1 – 6 earlier this week. Please take some time to check your contact details are correct, amend if necessary and return forms to the school office a.s.a.p.

P.E. LESSONS REMINDER. Current safety guidelines mean that children will not be changing clothes in school. On the following days, please ensure your child wears their P.E. kit to school, which they will remain in all day:

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 2	Year 3 & Year 4	Year 1 & Year 6	Year 5

SCHOOL MEALS PRICE INCREASE. From **1st September** the price of a school meal increased to **£2.25** per day/**£11.25** per week. We have a varied, nutritionally balanced menu which meets the government food standards and gives value for money. The menu is available to view on our website: www.cantrell.nottingham.sch.uk. Please be assured that kitchen and school staff adhere to strict guidelines relating to Covid-19 and your child's safety. Could we also remind parents that all children in Foundation Stage 2, Year 1 and Year 2 receive a free school meal, and some children in Years 3 - 6 may be eligible if their parents receive certain benefits.

NUT ALLERGY. We have 3 children in school that have a severe nut allergy. Could we ask parents of children that bring a packed lunch to school, to avoid sending products containing nuts or traces of nuts, in their child's lunch.

READING BOOKS. We are missing a large number of books that have been lent to children. Parents please check at home and return books to school. Thanks for your cooperation.

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPER. The visit for this term is cancelled. We will hopefully take individual photos in the Spring/Summer term at a date to be confirmed.

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Activities at Bulwell St Mary's Church. Sunday 20 September – HARVEST FESTIVAL. 9:30am Bell ringing. 10am Harvest Mass with Preacher/ Celebrant the Rt. Revd. Bishop Paul Williams the Bishop of Southwell & Nottingham. Bible Reading: Matthew 6:25-34. Following the service Bishop Paul will be blessing the tower now the work has been completed. *The service can also be followed on our Facebook Page and church website. Please bring any in-date tins or packets which will be donated to the Bulwell & Bestwood Foodbank. The planned picnic afterwards is cancelled due to the Government 'Rule of Six' restriction.*

Nottingham Wise Owl Walk. Tuesday 1 September - Friday 6 November 2020. Various locations across Nottingham's city centre. A FREE family activity. The Wise Owl Walk is a trail spanning throughout Nottingham's city centre and is perfect for everyone but may be a particularly fun day out for families. The goal is to find all of the statues of the Wise Owls which are placed around the city. To find them you'll be given a map and some hints to help you find them but you'll need a keen eye to discover the exact locations. Every Wise Owl is completely unique and has been designed by a roster of talented artists. There are 10 owls to discover around the city, complete with informative plaques detailing the inspiration behind the artwork. **How to take part:** The Wise Owl Walk is simple, fun and completely free of charge to take part in. To get started all you need is a map and the spirit of adventure! Pick up a free map from any of the venues below or download a copy by clicking here: <https://www.visit-nottinghamshire.co.uk/whats-on/the-wise-owl-walk-p802621>. You can pick up the map at Wildwood Nottingham, Cineworld, Cafe Sobar, Jojo Maman Bebe, Krispy Kreme, Scribbler, Tesco Express (Shakespeare Street), Sharps Bedrooms & Home Office. More venues will be revealed soon! **Can you unravel the mystery of the secret sentence?** Every owl is the proud owner of a single letter. Find them all and crack the code to reveal the secret sentence of Nottingham's Wise Owls. There's a space on the map to take note of your findings.

The Redhill Academy Year 6 Virtual Open Evening. Tuesday 29th September. The event replaces the usual open evening as the Academy cannot host an event on site due to Covid-19 social distancing regulations. For more information, contact the Academy at www.theredhillacademy.org.uk or telephone (0115) 9261481.