

# Cantrell Primary School Newsletter 25<sup>th</sup> 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	<b>RA</b>	Mrs McQueen & Miss Snowden	<b>Rising Stars big gate (vehicle entrance)</b>	<b>8:45 – 3:10</b>
Nursery		8	<b>RB</b>	Mrs Davies Balfe & Mrs Knott		
8	1	9	<b>1A</b>	Miss Glossop	<b>Main Gate</b>	<b>9:10 - 3:30</b>
7		10	<b>1B</b>	Miss DeBarr		
9	2	12	<b>2A</b>	Miss E Smith	<b>Bottom drive</b>	<b>9:05 - 3:30</b>
10		13	<b>2B</b>	Miss C Smith		
13	3	4	<b>3A</b>	Mrs Whittlesea	<b>Main gate</b>	<b>9:00 - 3:25</b>
12		11	<b>3B</b>	Miss Warsop & Miss Ellis		
4	4	5	<b>4A</b>	Mrs Eldridge	<b>Main gate</b>	<b>8:45 - 3:20</b>
11		6	<b>4B</b>	Mrs Ganguly & Mr Surman		
5	5	2	<b>5A</b>	Mr White	<b>Bottom drive</b>	<b>8:55 - 3:25</b>
6		3	<b>5B</b>	Miss Stirland		
3	6	1	<b>6A</b>	Miss Langham	<b>Bottom drive</b>	<b>8:45 - 3:10</b>
2		16	<b>6B</b>	Mr Houlgate		

**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

**DINOSAUR DAY MENU.** Kitchen staff will prepare a special **hot** menu next **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> October.** Children in Reception, 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.



## Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> October

### MENU

Brontosaurus Beef Burgers served with Potato Wedges, Mixed Salad & Sweetcorn

T Rex Veggie Hotdog served with Potato Wedges & Mixed Salad

Stegosaurus Cheese Panini served with Potato Wedges & Mixed Salad

Prehistoric Cookies and Milk

Fresh Fruit Salad

**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.

**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](mailto:admin@cantrell.nottingham.sch.uk) for application form, and return by **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> October**. Alternatively, please telephone school on (0115) 9155770, we can send an application pack home with your child. Interviews likely to be 12<sup>th</sup> 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 last week with children in Years 1 – 6. If you haven't already, 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.

**SEND REVIEWS.** SEND Reviews will begin after the October half-term – beginning with pupils in Year 6. Under the current restrictions, we will need to hold them virtually using Microsoft Teams (a free app if you have access to a smart phone/tablet). As always, your views and insights into your child's needs are so important to us, in order that we are able to offer the best level of support that we can, so your attendance at all meetings is a critical part of the planning cycle. In order for us to set up the meeting we require an email address, which will allow you to enter the meeting with me, your child's teacher and support team. **If this applies to your family, can you email the office with your email address at: [admin@cantrell.nottingham.sch.uk](mailto:admin@cantrell.nottingham.sch.uk).** Many thanks, Miss Ellis (Deputy Head Teacher, DSL and SENDCo).

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

**ANNUAL FLU VACCINATION.** This will take place on **Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> December** 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 **30<sup>th</sup> 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.

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**Message from Fr Andrew, Bulwell St Mary's Church:** "Thankfully, public worship is not affected by the recent tightening of Government restrictions concerning the coronavirus pandemic. St Mary's will be open for services of Holy Communion at 10am on Sunday. Following the Government and Church of England guidance and advice, choirs are allowed to sing again in churches (congregations are not yet allowed to sing). Our organist, Philip Miles, and our Choir have been singing hymns and songs to us each Sunday. In addition to our 10am service this Sunday, I will be leading a Service of Evening Prayer in church at 4pm to which you are warmly invited; a spiritual nightcap before your whisky nightcap! Both of Sunday's services will be streamed/recorded onto our Facebook page and church website: <https://www.facebook.com/St-Mary-The-Virgin-And-All-Souls-Church-294000594473079> <https://www.bulwellchurch.org.uk>"

**The Redhill Academy Year 6 Virtual Open Evening.** Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> 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](http://www.theredhillacademy.org.uk) or telephone (0115) 9261481.