



HEMINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

A Good Start For All

September 2018

Newsletter No. 1

Monday 24th September

Tuesday 2nd October

Thursday 4th October

Saturday 6th October

Friday 12th October

Monday 15th October

Monday 22nd October

Friday 26th October

Monday 5th November

Diary Dates

Library Bus

School Photographer

Harvest Assembly

Jumble Sale

Mufti Day

Parents Evening

Library Bus

End of Term

Start of Term 2

Headteacher's Message

Welcome to our first newsletter of this academic year. It is lovely to see everyone arriving in the morning smart in their uniforms ready to start the school day. The Reception children are doing very well settling in to 'big school' and will be staying all day from next week. Well done everyone for a great start!

Jumble Sale

Our next jumble sale is on

Saturday 6th October 10–12 at Hemington School

Please bring any donations of clean clothes in a good condition, brick-a-brack, books or raffle prizes to the school office by Friday 5th October.

We urgently need volunteers who could run a stall.

Please let the office know if you can help.

Digital Cameras



Do you have an old digital camera you no longer use and would be willing to donate to school? Unfortunately, our current cameras are getting rather old and a little unreliable.

Please remember:-

We are a NUT FREE school



Thank you for your cooperation

Rubbish Bins

If anyone has any rubbish bins or litter pickers that they no longer need please can we have them to help us keep the field, conservation area and playground tidy.



Mufti Day
Friday 12th October



We will be having a non-uniform day on Friday 12th October to raise money for the Somerset Poppies project. Please see the attached letter for more details about this important project.

After School Clubs



Details of our wrap around care for September have been sent home and we encourage as many children as possible to join in with these fun sessions. Please note that from September 2018 we cannot allow a child to take part in a club unless a registration form has been completed.

Social Media and the Internet

Here is a link to a useful guide for parents when talking to children about social media and the internet.



<https://youngminds.org.uk/take20/how-to-talk-to-your-child-about-social-media-and-the-internet/>

St Mary's Church

It is with great sadness I must inform you that St Mary's Church in Hemington has been targeted by vandals causing thousands of pounds worth of damage. Our thoughts go out to the members of the church community who so often support us here at Hemington School. In order to support the fundraising for St Mary's Church we will be having a retiring collection at the end our Harvest Assembly.

Coats



Now that the weather is changing can you please make sure your child brings a named coat with them each day and a pair of named wellies to keep in school.



Harvest Assembly

This year's Harvest Assembly is on Thursday 4th October at 2pm. Tea and coffee will be served after. Everyone welcome.



Hornbeams Pre-School News

We only have a few spaces left. Please enquire as soon as possible if you would like to reserve your space.



Volunteers Needed—If you have a couple of hours a week to spare we would love you to join us.

If you have any spare trousers for boys aged 2-3 years and 3 -4 years that you no longer need we will be very pleased to have them.