

CIPS News

29th April 2022

Lateness

Classes start for all our children at 9.00am. It sets a positive tone for each working day if children are in school on time. There may be occasions when you are unavoidably late but this should be the exception rather than the rule. Many thanks for your cooperation.

Eco-Council

The Eco-Council would be very appreciative of any help that you could offer them as they work to improve the school grounds.

This could include, donations of gardening equipment, gloves, pots seeds or germinating trays.

Thank you.

Time Outside to play

With the better weather and longer evenings drawing in, please remember to encourage your child to spend time outdoors rather than too much 'screen time.'

CHILD PROTECTION PROCEDURES

In accordance with child protection legislation, all schools must inform parents annually of the designated teachers for Child Protection.

The school's designated Child Protection teacher is Mrs Lowry with Mrs Hall as her deputy. These teachers form a safeguarding team along with the designated Governor for Child Protection, Mrs Oonagh Donnelly.

Children or parents with concerns in this area should contact either teacher.

MAY & JUNE BANK HOLIDAYS

As per our 2021-2022 Holiday List, school is closed on Monday 2nd May for the first May Bank Holiday. The school is also closed on Tuesday 3rd May for a Staff Development Day.

At the beginning of June, school is closed for the second Bank Holiday on Thursday 2nd June and we are closed on Friday 3rd June for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee.

Attention P6 parents

AQE registration opens on 4th May for those children sitting AQE tests in Nov/Dec 22. It is your responsibility to ensure that your child is registered. Go to www.aqe.org.uk to download the forms.

Sport's Day

We are planning to hold Sport's Day on Friday 10th June. We are still unsure as to what format this will take as we await further guidance from DE as to whether current restrictions will be relaxed further.