### **HEATHFIELD NEWS**

# 9<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2020 SCOTLAND ROAD CAMPUS



Attendance for the whole school for last week was 95.6 %

If your child is too poorly to attend please let us know on the first day of absence on 0115 9155725

Green is good! – Let's make sure all our classes this academic year are in the green and hit our target of 96.5% or above

Seahorses 86.1%		<b>Dolphins</b> 91.6%	<b>Foxes</b> 96.3%	Badgers 94.2%	<b>Hares</b> 92.7%
Flamingos	Toucans	Parrots	Lions	<b>Tigers</b>	Jaguars
100%	99.1%	94.1%	99%	96.9%	100%

Congratulations to the Flamingos & Jaguars classes who achieved 100% attendance last week and have won £10 for their class money bank!

<u>Classes Currently Self-Isolating:</u> Thank you to all parents/carers who are currently having to support children who are self-isolating at home. A reminder that class teachers are available via their class email addresses, during the school day, if you need any advice with your child's home learning. Please find below the arrangements for when these classes can return to school:

Flamingos, Toucans and Parrots – Return Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> October Tigers, Jaguars and Lions – Return Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> October Seahorses and Dolphins – Return Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November

Children who have been asked to self-isolate because their bubble is closed, should remain at home for the duration of the isolation. Thank you to all the parents/carers who have found alternative childcare arrangements to allow them to bring the siblings of self-isolating pupils to school.

<u>Absence:</u> We are now at the start of cold and flu season which always affects school attendance – if your child has cold or flu symptoms and are still well enough to attend school then they should do. Our office staff are not medically trained so will signpost you to the NHS for advice. If your child has a persistent cough or other Covid-19 symptoms then please ring 111.

<u>Self-Isolation Guidance:</u> A reminder to all parents/carers that should anyone in your house have Covid-19 symptoms or have received a positive test result, **all members of the household should self-isolate for 14 days and not attend school.** Please let school know if anyone in your household is self-isolating.

<u>Friday Afternoon Rainbow Club Signup</u>: Please use this link to sign up your child/children to Rainbow Club on **Friday 16**<sup>th</sup> **October**: <a href="https://bit.ly/3jHfSoX">https://bit.ly/3jHfSoX</a>
This club is only open to single parent/carer working families or families where both parent/carers work on a Friday afternoon. Evidence will be required if it has not already been given. This form must be completed every week by 2pm on



Thursday afternoon if a place is required. You will have the option to collect your child from Rainbow Club at 2pm or 3:30pm only. Please choose the time best suited to your needs. Please do not collect between these times as it disturbs the children's activities and interrupts the office from working.

Reminder, Flu Vaccination: The Immunisation team will be coming to administer the flu vaccination on the morning of Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> November. It is for all children in years Reception, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. You will need to complete an on line consent form for each child which can be found by going to <a href="https://www.nottinghamshireimmunisations.co.uk/Forms/Flu">https://www.nottinghamshireimmunisations.co.uk/Forms/Flu</a> The code for the Scotland Road Campus is NG122442S.

Even if you do not want your child to be vaccinated, please complete the form to let the immunisation team know.



<u>Food Bank Collection</u>: This year we will be donating all of our contributions to the Trussell Trust who operate a food bank to help those around us who are unable to rely on continuing supplies. If you would like to give a contribution of food to the collection, we will be taking your donations from Monday through to Thursday. The foodbank is most in need of tinned tomatoes, pasta sauces, biscuits, tinned fruit, long life milk and long-life fruit juice.



<u>Devices for home learning:</u> If you haven't already, please could you take a minute to answer some very quick questions about the devices that your children have at home that could be used for home learning. Please complete a separate form for each child.

You can find the survey here - <a href="https://bit.ly/2RNqbeK">https://bit.ly/2RNqbeK</a>

Thanks for your help.

# Dates for your diary

- October Half Term we break up for the half term on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> October, school will reopen on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November
- **School Photographs** individual school photographs will take place on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> November, further details will be in the newsletter after October half term

# CHECK IF YOU OR YOUR CHILD HAS CORONAVIRUS SYMPTOMS

If you have any of the main symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19), get a test as soon as possible. Stay at home until you get the result.

#### MAIN SYMPTOMS

The main symptoms of coronavirus are:

- a high temperature this means you feel hot to touch on your chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)
- a new, continuous cough this means coughing a lot for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours (if you usually have a cough, it may be worse than usual)
- a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste this means you've noticed you cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal

Most people with coronavirus have at least 1 of these symptoms.

### WHAT TO DO IF YOU HAVE SYMPTOMS

If you have any of the main symptoms of coronavirus:

- 1. Get a test to check if you have coronavirus as soon as possible.
- 2. Stay at home and do not have visitors until you get your test result only leave your home to have a test.

Anyone you live with, and anyone in your support bubble, must also stay at home until you get your result.

Any child who is sent home from school exhibiting one or more of these symptoms should seek to get a test as soon as possible. The rest of the bubble can remain at school until notification is received of a positive Covid-19 test result. Thank you for your co-operation.