

Remembering Yesterday, Learning from Today, Striving for tomorrow

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Dear Parents, carers and children,

I hope this Autumn newsletter finds you well.

I have had a delightful first few weeks in school getting to know Zetland Primary School, the heart of which is your lovely children. Their behaviour, positivity and hard-working attitude is a credit to yourselves.

You will probably have noted that everything at Zetland Primary school largely remains the same as we have started the Autumn term. The staff and Governors are committed to ensuring that all that is special about Zetland is cherished and conserved, but we will continue to reflect on how we can make sure we are doing everything to ensure your children are well educated, happy and safe.

The children have begun the Autumn term looking really smart in their uniforms, as winter approaches I would encourage you to ensure that the children have everything they need to be warm and ready to learn, play and have fun in the colder weather. We do have some pre-loved items of uniform and coats within school, please let the school office know if you would like any of those items. Equally, if you would like to donate anything – everything is welcome! Over the summer break some of your, or your children's, personal details may have changed. Please make sure that Mrs Richardson is made aware of any changes so that our school records are fully up to date.

The children have had the opportunity to experience lots of learning opportunities within the local community and beyond which will support them in the curriculum they are following this term, but also the wider aspects of school life. Class teachers will make sure you are aware of all events your child is involved in.

The Autumn term welcomes some points of celebration and at school we want to make sure the children are able to enjoy them with their friends as well as at home. We hope we can welcome as many children as possible to the Halloween disco at the end of term. In addition, the Fire Service are coming to speak to the children on the  $27^{th}$  October, focusing on how to keep themselves safe on  $5^{th}$  November. Inevitably at this time of year, our minds turn to Christmas celebrations and at school we have already organised some dates which we would like to share with yourselves. There is a table below which outlines the key dates, exact timings will follow after half term once they are settled.

It has been lovely to meet the children and many of their families already. If you do wish to speak to me on any matter, please do not hesitate to be in touch.

Kindest regards, Sarah Morrison







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Day	Date	am	pm
Monday	11/12		Y5/6 performance
Tuesday	12/12	Y5/6 performance Y3/4 performance	Y1/2 performance
Wednesday	13/12	Y1/2 performance	Y3/4 performance
Thursday	14/12	Reception performance	Reception performance
Friday	15/12	EYFS Christmas Craft day	
Weekend			
Monday	18/12		Y1/2 party
Tuesday	19/12		Y3/4 party
Wednesday	20/12	Christmas lunch day	
Thursday	21/12		Y5/6 party
Friday	22/12		Church Service 2pm

Half Term Starts – Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October 2023 Return to school Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2023







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