



HUNWICK PRIMARY SCHOOL

Wednesday 9th September 2020

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WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL

Welcome back everyone. We would also like to welcome all new pupils and staff and hope all the new children are settling in well and enjoying school life in Hunwick.

We hope you are all well and have had a lovely summer. Covid-19 has seen a different approach to school life this year so far; please could we ask you all to refer to the letter on our school website regarding the new systems in place.

[https://hunwickprimary.org.uk/files/file/2020/September%20Opening%20\(July%2022nd%20v2\).pdf](https://hunwickprimary.org.uk/files/file/2020/September%20Opening%20(July%2022nd%20v2).pdf)

Here is a brief reminder of the key points:

Arrival:

Reception and Year 1: 8:55am - 9:10am

Class 3, 4, 5 and 6: 8:45am - 9:00am

Those with siblings in another year group may come together, but are encouraged to arrive during the later slot. KS2 pupils may walk unaccompanied only if permission has been given via the gateway. Those who use the school transport from Toronto will arrive at the usual time.

Departure:

Reception and Year 1: 3:00pm

Class 3: 3:10pm

Class 4: 3:15pm

Class 5 3:20pm

Class 6: 3:25pm

Uniform

All children will be expected to come to school in their normal school uniform. However, each class will be allocated a PE day and children are encouraged to come to school wearing joggers (or leggings for girls) and trainers. Every child in school should have a pair of indoor plimsoles in their PE bag which will be kept in school. Every child in KS1 should have a Hunwick bookbag (these can be purchased from the school office).

Allocated PE days:

Reception: Thursday

Class 1 (Year 1): Friday

Class 3 (Year 2/3): Monday

Class 4 (Year 3/4): Tuesday

Class 5 (Year 5): Wednesday

Class 6 (Year 6): Thursday

WATER BOTTLES



Please ensure your child brings a water bottle to school every day.

BIRTHDAYS

We love to celebrate birthdays, however due to COVID-19 we are asking parents, if they wish, their child can bring a packet of sealed sweets (e.g. Haribo) instead of a birthday cake.

On the day of your child's birthday they can come to school in their normal clothes.



PACKED LUNCH

Please could we ask that those children on packed lunches avoid sending in food containing nuts.



RECEPTION CLASS

A letter has been emailed to all parents this afternoon, detailing how you access the school gateway in order that you may book wraparound provision and this will also allow access to text messages. If you are unable to access the school gateway, please contact the school office any day after 10 a.m.

THANK YOU

A big THANK YOU to everyone for all the book donations that were given to us at the end of last year.

They will definitely make a difference in the classroom and help to promote the pupils' love of reading.



SCHOOL MILK

Reception children receive free milk until the age of 5. Just a reminder that if your child has turned 5 you still have the option to receive school milk, however please contact Cool Milk directly on www.coolmilk.com and click on "contact us".



Starting School

Will your child turn 5 between 1 September 2020 and 31 August 2021?

If so, you need to complete an application online to tell us which school you would like your child to attend from September 2020.

Visit www.durham.gov.uk/schooladmissions where you can access a useful guide to help with your application. Paper application forms are available on request.

You still need to apply even if your child already has a sibling at the school.

For more information please contact: School Places and Admissions Team
www.durham.gov.uk/schooladmissions