



Moulton Chapel Primary School



Working together, achieving together.

Welcome to Term 1

The start of the new school year has been really relaxed this time around with very few tears from our new Reception Group children. We have been delighted to welcome the 10 children and, after just one day in full time school, they are already settled and part of the family. We have also admitted Ellie into Year 4 and Alex into Year 6. They too have settled well.

The KS1 children are provided with fruit free of charge each day (Government initiative).

Sadly KS2 children do not receive fruit. If your child has just moved on from Y2 Maple Class to Y3 Monkey Puzzle you might like to send a snack to be enjoyed at morning playtime: fruit or another healthy option – not chocolate or sweets!

We are looking forward to another successful and happy year here at Moulton Chapel Primary.

Clubs for Term 1

A Clubs letter is coming home to you today. All clubs will start week commencing 11th September through to the end of Term 1. If anyone has contacts with a local martial arts club that would be willing to run an after school club for us, we would love to hear from them.

School reminders

A few reminders



Exclusion for sickness and/or diarrhoea

Guidance from the Health Protection Agency states that children should stay away from school for **48 hours** after their last instance of diarrhoea or vomiting. We appreciate that when many parents work, and a child appears to have recovered, this is inconvenient but we must insist to prevent the spread of infection. We are still using antiseptic hand gel to try and ensure that viruses are not passed on at school and would appreciate it if you can now follow the "48 hour rule".



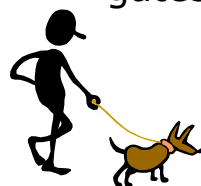
Road Safety outside the school

A few reminders:

- Under normal circumstances the car park is for staff and delivery use only. Please park on the roadside.
- Please use 'superhuman' levels of observation when driving (and walking) as there is a lot of passing

traffic – and unpredictable children around!

- The speed limit outside school and through the village is 30 mph.
- Please do not use the school car park entrance to turn your vehicle around as this can add to the congestion outside school, particularly if a staff member's car is attempting to enter or leave the car park. Please do not use our neighbours' forecourt or driveways to turn round.
- In the interests of safety may we ask that you do not walk on to the premises through the vehicle car park gate; please use one of the two pedestrian gates.



Dogs

For hygiene and safety reasons we ask that you do not bring your dog onto the school site. There is a rail just inside the entrance nearest the village that you may tie your dog to. Small dogs may be carried on site

but please do not encourage other children to stroke it "just in case"!!!!



Smoking

A reminder also that the school is a no smoking site – inside and out!!

Pupil Update details form

In the next few days an update form will come home to you. Please check this through, amend if required, and return it to school so that we may keep our records up to date.

Photographs

On Tuesday 19th September the Wrates' photographer will be with us for the morning to take individual and sibling photographs of all the children. If you have a preschool child who you would like to be photographed too please bring them to school at the start of the school day.

As always, please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions or problems.

Thank you.

**Mrs L. Sexton
6th September 2017**

See attached for some diary dates