



ST PIUS X CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

22nd November 2024

Diary Date

Friday 29th November – Coffee morning & Christmas jumper swap 8:45 am

Thursday 5th December – Panto at Consett Empire

Friday 6th December- Non-Uniform Day donation of Bottles & Bubbles

Monday 9th December – KS2 Carols & Nativity in St Piu Church 4:30pm

Tuesday 10th December – KS1 Nativity in School 2:30pm in School

Thursday 12th December – National Christmas Jumper Day

Monday 16th December – Class 1 & 2 Christmas Party Day

Tuesday 17th December – Class 3 & 4 Christmas Party Day

Wednesday 18th December – Christmas Dinner Day (cost £2.85)

Thursday 19th December – Christmas Raffle 2pm

Friday 20th December – School Closes for Christmas Holidays

Coffee Morning & Christmas Jumper Swap – Please see attached poster

Immunisation Team

The immunisation team have community clinics for any child that did not get their immunisation. These clinics are for any child who was absent, refused or did not have consent for the vaccine when we visited school. Parents can call our team on 0333 3583 397, option 3, option 2 if they've not originally consented for their child to have the flu vaccine.

School Photographer

Please return your photographs if you wish to place an order before Thursday 5th December 24

Panto Consett Empire Theatre

The total cost for your child to attend will be approx. £18, this will be funded by school fund and the friends of the school. We would appreciate it if you could send in a £5 donation towards the cost as this will be a significant amount of money coming out of our pots. Thank you

Medication If your child needs to bring medication or creams into school, please leave in the office and not in your child's bag. Thank you

Winter Coats

Can you please make sure your child comes to school dressed for the winter with a warm coat, hat, gloves etc. it is getting really cold outside, so they need to be well wrapped up.

Uniforms

Class 2 have quite a few cardigans with no name in if your child has lost one. Can you please make sure your child's name is written clearly in all their uniform including hats scarves gloves etc. Thank you

School Meals

You can find our 3-week rolling school meal menu on our school website. Can you please make sure there is enough money on your child's account to cover their lunch thank you. Cost £2.85 per day £14.25 per week

Attendance

A summary of new attendance rules has been added to our website with some links to government websites for you to read about this in more detail. Please take the time to look at this before considering any holidays in term time. You will be aware of the significant changes from the national media. Our new Trust attendance policy will be available in the coming weeks.

School Uniform orders Please remember that you now order school uniform direct from our supplier. The link is <https://studentuniform.co.uk/stpx015/>

Reading Books

Could you please make sure your child brings their reading book and reading record book into school each day.

Glasses/Water Bottles

If your child wears glasses please make sure they bring them to school, also their water bottle thank you.

Parent Support group (Autism support)

Please remember that we have a joint St Pius and Our Lady and St Joseph's support group. Our regular sessions are communicated via our Facebook page. Please ask in the office if you want to learn more about this group or would like to speak to parents who attend already to see if it is, something you would like to attend. Parents / carers and grandparents are welcome to come al

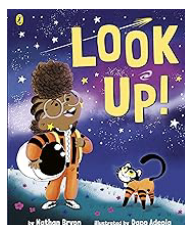
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Class 1 and Class 2 is on a Thursday and Class 3 and class 4 is on a Tuesday. Could you please make sure your child comes to school in their uniform on PE days and brings a kit with them to change into. PE kits should consist of plain black or blue shorts / tracksuit bottoms or leggings, a school T Shirt or pale blue / white t shirt and plimsoles or trainers. Strictly no football kits allowed.

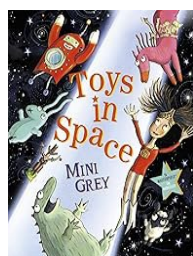
Parking

Thank you to all parents and carers for continuing to park safely around the school entrance. We are very grateful to you for respecting our neighbours' driveways and drop kerbs. **Please DO NOT park over the pedestrian drop kerb.** Our Class Texts are:-

Class 1



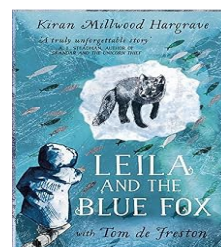
Class 2



Class 3



Class 4





Coffee morning

Friday 29th November

8.45am - 9.30am

School hall

Grab a coffee

Have a chat

Swap a Christmas jumper

