



Kirkby on Bain
Church of England Primary School
'Learning together for life'



Tuesday 4th January, 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to you all! I sincerely hope you have enjoyed the break from school and that your Christmas and new year celebrations were all you wished them to be. I have no doubt we will be hearing all about the fun you have been having over the coming days and hope that your children's return to school might give you a bit of rest.

After a particularly warm spell over Christmas, all kinds of weather could be heading our way over the coming weeks. We will be circulating information regarding our approach where we are unable to open due to adverse winter weather very soon, so that we are fully prepared for any extreme changes.

Please ensure your children come prepared for changeable weather and send wellies in if at all possible on snowy/icy days. We like to get our children outdoors for some fresh air even when the playground is too icy and wellies will help to keep their feet dry if we go to the field.

Please also bear in mind that we will continue to have windows open throughout the day and that break and lunch times offer an opportunity to fully ventilate teaching spaces whilst not in use but quickly counter the heat we are putting in. If you have an additional jumper/cardigan/fleece that can be brought in and used as an additional layer, please encourage your child(ren) to do so. Please also be assured that although there is a continued and very real need for us to keep school as ventilated as possible, we do this with consideration to the detrimental effect of children being too cold. We will not let them freeze!

Application for places in Reception from September 2022

The deadline for applications for places in Reception is Saturday, 15th January. You must apply for a place even if you have a child who attends our school already. Details of how to apply are provided in the booklet available via this link.

<https://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/downloads/file/2597/going-to-primary-school-in-lincolnshire>

Some dates for your diary

Monday 10th January – Additional after school/lunchtime clubs commence – please reserve a space for your child via ParentMail if they wish to attend. (Kirkby Kickstart and Happy Days are in place all term.)

Tuesday 11th January Y6 Transition Online Safety Workshop – run by Stay Safe Partnership

Friday 14th January Oak Five and Six trip to Leicester Space Centre

Friday 11th February Last day of Term Three

Monday 21st February Term Four begins

We will update you regarding any new additions as they are arranged. We are hopeful to hold some sort of Raffle and/or Bake Sale during the Spring term. More details will follow but if you think you might be able to help, please email

admin@kobps.lincs.sch.uk and Mrs Lee or Mrs Revitt will let our Friends of the School team know. They will be very grateful of any support you can offer, especially as additional measures will be necessary.