Friday 18th June 2021



Covid in Cheshire East

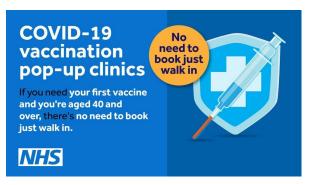
This week, the Government announced that Cheshire East has been identified as a 'Enhanced Resource Area' to help combat the rapid rise of the Delta (Indian) variant across the borough. To find out more click here: https://crowd.in/4LEoXo



Residents in Nantwich, Crewe and Macclesfield have been asked to have a PCR test, even if they don't have symptoms. If you work or have family in those areas, we would strongly advise that you get a test and please share this information.

Those who have tested positive for the Delta variant have reported the main symptoms to be a <u>headache</u>, <u>sore</u> throat and runny nose so please be aware if you have any of these symptoms.

Please see the attached letter explaining the impact of this situation on events in school.



Staffing

You should have received an e-mail outlining our staffing structure for 2021/22. We are currently finalising where Teaching Assistants will be based and we will let you know over the next few weeks.

Amendment to Term Dates Due to Additional Bank Holiday

To celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee there will be an additional bank holiday in June 2022. The Department for Education have advised that if this takes place in half term, schools are to reduce the number of days in school accordingly. As we are on half term, we have chosen to apply the additional day to the end of the school year.

This means pupils will now break up on Wednesday 20th July 2022, with the staffing inset moving to Thursday 21st.

We are not currently aware of any elections in Cheshire in 2022 which would force the school to be used as a polling station, but if this changes and we are required to close, we will use that as the additional holiday and revert back to our original term dates, in order to ensure no loss of learning.

New Starter's Meeting

Regrettably, we have also had to cancel our meeting with New Starter parents on Wednesday 23rd June. A letter has been sent to parents outlining the new plan.







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Little Princess Trust

A big well done to Jasmine who, this week, has chosen to donate her hair to the Little Princess Trust!



Year 6 Leaver's Service

Unfortunately, following the PM's announcement on Monday, we have moved our Y6 Leavers' Service from

Friday 16th July to Monday 19th July, in the hope that we will be able to have parents join us in church. We apologise for the inconvenience caused.



ANY DATE CHANGES HAVE BEEN HIGHLIGHTED IN RED
ON PAGE 4 OF THIS NEWSLETTER.

Reception's Seaside Day

Reception had a fantastic day on Wednesday, celebrating all things costal!



Swimming Sessions for Rec, Y1, Y2, Y5 and Y6

We have had a number of very polite requests from children outside of Y3 and Y4 about using the pool. We have been working with Elite to come up with a plan and we have revised our risk assessments, so that all pupils will have a fun session in the pool.

Y5 and Y6 - Thursday 1st July

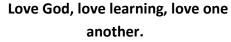
Reception, Y1 and Y2 - Friday 2nd July

An additional letter will be sent out and this should address any questions parents have.

As a result, Y3 and Y4's final day swimming will be on the 30th June.









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Term Dates

It has been brought to our attention that Holmes Chapel Comprehensive have changed their holiday dates for next year. Parents with pupils at the comprehensive may wish to check their

calendars.



New Phone Number

From Thursday 3rd of June we will have a new phone number due to switching our broadband provider. Our new number will be <u>01270 918931</u>

There will be a recorded message on the old line for some time as a reminder.



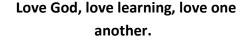
On-Line Safety

National On-Line Safety have created a new guide for parents all about Fifa 2021. To download the guide click on the image below.













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Patron of Reading

A big thank you to Mrs Winward for organising this wonderful competition and for her generous donation of prizes. All children should now have received their certificates. Book reviews can be added at any time, please just email them to school.

PATRON OF READING

Book Review Competition

Well done and thank you to everyone who completed a book review as part of our new competition. We received almost 70 recorded and written reviews and the children loved receiving their certificates and a little treat today.

The book reviews are being uploaded to the school website (link below) and we would encourage children and parents to take a look for ideas and inspiration!

http://www.breretonprimaryschool.org.uk/page/o ur-reading-reviews/105365







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Dates

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Monday 14 th – Friday 25 th June	School assessment period
Tuesday 22nd-Friday 25th June	Sandbach High transition days CANCELLED
Wednesday 23 rd June	New Starter Meeting 6:30pm CANCELLED
Wednesday 23rd and Thursday	Sandbach School transition days CANCELLED
24th June	
Thursday 24th June	Holmes Chapel Comprehensive transition day
Wednesday 30th June	Year 3 and Y4 swimming sessions first
Thursday 1st July	Year 5 and Year 6 swimming sessions
Friday 2nd July	Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 swimming sessions
Thursday 1st July	Holmes Chapel Comprehensive Y5 Open Evening
	Bookings can be made via https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/hccs1978
Saturday 3 rd July	Sandbach High School Open Morning
Tuesday 6th July	Reception and Y6 consultations
Wednesday 7 th July	Y1 and Y2 consultations
Thursday 8 th July	Y3 and Y4 consultations
Thursday 8th July	Holmes Chapel Comprehensive transition day CANCELLED
Thursday 8th July	Sandbach School Open Evening 4-7pm
Friday 9 th July	Y5 consultations
Friday 9 th July	Class Photos
Friday 16 th July	Sports Day
Monday 19 th July	Move up day
Monday 19 th July	Y6 Leavers' Service 2pm
Tuesday 20 th July	Last day of term
Wednesday 21 st July	New Starter visits





