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Thursday 5th September, 2019

Dear Parents,

Welcome

'Croeso' to new and returning pupils. We are very pleased to welcome you all back for another school year. This year, our main school development priorities are as follows:

Priority 1: To further increase opportunities for pupils to develop their reasoning skills meaningfully across the curriculum.

Priority 2: To broaden pupils' Welsh reading skills using a range of text types.

Priority 3: To further enrich the curriculum using expressive arts.

Priority 4: To introduce the Additional Learning Needs Code.

Meet the Teacher

Next week, you are invited to meet your child's teacher. At these informal sessions, the teachers will explain class routines and you will have the opportunity to ask any questions you may have about the class.

The dates and times are as follows:

- Monday 9th September 3.30 to 4 pm – **Reception, Y2 and Y6**
- Tuesday 10th September 3.30 to 4 pm – **Y1, Y3, Y4 and Y5**

Dinnertime/After School Activities

After school activities will start the week commencing Monday 16th September. This term, these are:

- Football Club, straight after school until 4.15 pm on Tuesdays.
- Cross Country Club, straight after school until 4.15 pm on Wednesdays.
- Netball Club Y2 and Y3, lunchtimes (12.30 – 1 pm) on Thursdays.
- Netball Club Y4, Y5 and Y6, straight after school until 4.15 pm on Thursdays.
- Choir, Orchestra, Dance and Art Club are at dinnertimes (to be confirmed).

School Sickness Absence

Reminder for new parents - Please can you contact the school by 9.15 am on the first day of your child's sickness absence.

Important Dates

Tuesday 10th September – Individual photos with Roz and Kirsty

Wednesday 11th September - Individual photos with Roz and Kirsty

Friday 13th September – PC Craig in Y6

Thursday 3rd October – Y4 trip to Big Pit

Friday 4th October – Harvest Festival – donations to Killay Food Bank are welcome.

Monday 7th October – Y6 Cycle training – bike and cycle helmet required

Friday 11th October – Reception to Y6, Flu Nasal immunisation

Thursday 17th October – Y1 to Y6, Food Standards Wales workshops

Friday 18th October – School Dentist

Week commencing Monday 21st October – Individual Parent Consultations

Monday 28th October to Friday 1st November – Half Term

Tuesday 12th November – Y5 Cardiff sleepover at the Millennium Centre

Monday 18th November – PC Craig, Y3

Thursday 28th November – Fluoride Varnish, Nursery to Y2

Friday 6th December – Dress rehearsal for the Christmas Concerts

Monday 9th December, Tuesday 10th December and Wednesday 11th December, Christmas Concerts

Friday 13th December – Christmas Jumper Day

Tuesday 17th December – Nursery party

Wednesday 18th December KS2 party

Thursday 19th December – Foundation Phase party

Friday 20th December – House party and last day of term

INSET days

Monday 2nd September 2019

Tuesday 3rd September 2019

Monday 6th January 2020

Monday 20th April 2020

Monday 20th July 2020

To note: This year, there will be 1 more INSET day (to be confirmed)

Date of next Newsletter, Monday 16th September, 2019

