



# SANDWICH INFANT SCHOOL

*Where everyone is valued and learning is fun*

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## *Newsletter October 2020*

*Dear Parents,*

*Firstly, a huge thank you to you all for continuing to respect the changes to the school and supporting us to make it as safe as possible for your children. Could I just remind you that you can only come into school if you have an appointment and if you are wearing a mask?*

### ***Jeans for Genes Day***

*We raised £115.48 for Jeans for Genes.*

### ***New Entrants***

*If you know someone whose child is due to start school in September 2021 please tell them that we are doing our usual visits to the school. However, we are only showing round one family at a time (a maximum of two adults) and they are required to wear a face mask.*

### ***Office Opening Hours***

*The office is open between 8.30am and 4.00pm to receive telephone calls or visits by parents. Please do not repeatedly phone without leaving a message before that time as non-office staff will not pick it up as they are busy on other essential tasks.*

### ***Rocking Horse***

*We have had a fabric rocking horse donated to the school which we are sadly not able to use. If you are interested in making an offer for it please email the office and they will send you a photograph.*

### ***Parking***

*Just a reminder that the car park is for staff, St Bart's and Fun Club parents only. Please do not park in the school car park if you are picking up at 4.00pm from Team Theme.*

### **Parent Reps**

I will shortly be sending out details of the parent reps for each class. I am just waiting for confirmation of details from one volunteer.

### **FOSIS Non-Uniform Day**

As we are not able to raise money with our usual events, the Friends of Sandwich Infant School are asking you to send your children to school on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October in non-uniform in exchange for a donation to their funds. These donations will help FOSIS pay for treats for your children at Christmas.

### **Parents Evenings**

We are altering our arrangements this year in response to Coronavirus. We will shortly be sending you a link to make an appointment for an on-line 10-minute meeting with your child's teacher. We will be testing the system this coming week.

### **Flu Vaccinations**

You should all have received a letter regarding vaccinating your child against Flu. Please complete the on-line consent form or make an appointment for support from the office if you are not able to do so.

*Libby Wood*

### **Dates for your Diary**

<b>Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2020</b>	Harvest Festival Food Bank Collection
<b>Friday October 23<sup>rd</sup> 2020</b>	Non uniform day and end of Term One
<b>Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November</b>	Beginning of Term Two
<b>Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2020 and Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2020</b>	Parents Meetings
<b>Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2020</b>	Children in Need – details to follow
<b>Monday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2020</b>	Beginning of Anti-Bullying Week
<b>Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2020</b>	Flu Vaccinations
<b>Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2020</b>	Christmas Jumper day in aid of Save the Children
<b>Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2020</b>	End of Term Two
<b>Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2021</b>	Beginning of Term Three for Staff (Staff Development Days)
<b>Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2021</b>	Beginning of Term Three for Children