

Wednesday 17th October 2018.

Dear Parents and Carers, Hello and Assalamu Alaikum

Welcome back to the second half of the Autumn term 2018, I hope that you and your families have enjoyed the half term break.

It is during this half term that the pace of learning in school will increase. By now your children are well settled and their new Teachers have a very good idea of their strengths and areas to work on. Good attendance during this period is vital because it is very easy to fall behind the rest of the class if lessons are missed. Hopefully you will have also met with your children's class Teacher and you will know the sorts of things that your child needs to work hard on and how well the start of the year has gone. It is very important for Parents and families to be encouraging and to ensure that homework, spellings and reading are all worked on at home. All children need encouragement from their families and will benefit from knowing that their families are interested in what happens at school. This partnership between home and school is vital if children are going to be successful in their learning.

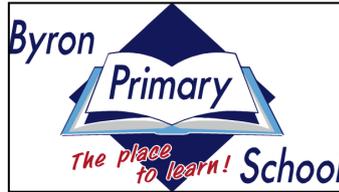
This partnership is a two way street and I welcome parents who have concerns or ideas to come into school and share your thinking. School life is not just about work. We want your children to be happy and confident and to learn how to be considerate and tolerant. We also want your children to have fun and to enjoy their time at school.

Best wishes Mr R O'Sullivan

Next week's dinner menu is:

DAY	HOT	COLD
MONDAY	Halal Sheesh Kebab—Quorn& Veg Enchiladas	Sandwich (Tuna)
TUESDAY	Halal Keema & Peas - Vegetable Lasagne	Sandwich (Cheese)
WEDNESDAY	Halal BBQ Chicken Burrito - Quorn, spinach and potato curry	Sandwich (Cheese)
THURSDAY	Pizza	Sandwich (Egg)
FRIDAY	Fish Fingers - Quorn & Pepper Fajitas	Sandwich (Tuna)





7 Tips to help you and your child with getting to school:

- Help them get their school bag packed the night before
- Make sure their uniform is ready, especially after the holidays or weekends
- Get them to bed at a reasonable time so they get a good night's sleep
- Set the Alarm clock early enough that allows your child to get ready on time
- Make sure they have some breakfast
- Set off on time or slightly earlier to avoid being late. **PUNCTUALITY IS VERY IMPORTANT.**
- Check to make sure they have everything ready beforehand.

Having good attendance plays a key role in ensuring your child is successful in school. Please try to plan holidays outside term time as this has a detrimental affect on your child's learning.

Parents AND Tots (under 3)
Friday afternoon
1-2pm
In Rosen Class,
Byron Primary School

Reminders

- Please ensure that you pay dinner money on time. It is always best to insert more money than less. If you owe more than £25.00 we will ask your child to go home for dinners or bring in a packed lunch until the balance has been cleared.
- Children are only allowed to wear black shoes for school.
- The cold weather is coming so please ensure your child wears appropriate clothing.
- **Keep your children healthy.** Dress them warmly for the cold weather and make sure they've got hats and gloves. Encourage them to wash their hands regularly.

