



Thomas Eaton Primary Academy

5th October 2020



Dear Parents and Carers



Social distancing

We recognize how important it is for you to accompany your child into school and we really do not want to have to ask you to leave your child at the school gates, however, we have to ensure that everyone within our school community is kept as safe as possible so please ensure that you wait in the playground at a 2 metre distance from others. Thank you for your support.

Flu vaccine Please see the following link advocating the children receive the flu vaccination

[.https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/vaccinations/child-flu-vaccine/](https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/vaccinations/child-flu-vaccine/) . The nasal spray flu vaccine can cause a mild fever which should respond to paracetamol. Giving the child a flu vaccine means that the family is less likely to get flu so less likely to need testing and self-isolation. Therefore the key things is that a temperature following the vaccine will respond to paracetamol, whereas Covid won't.

Y6 Secondary School Applications

This week we have celebrated children who have earned a Gold award as well as our star handwriters! They received a Star writer pencil or pen;



Emily B, Leah A, Archie H, Archie. C, Lexi-May, Molly T, Alice I, Ruby S, Charley P, Harry S, Eden W, Betsey P, Fabian DH and Abbie K. Congratulations everyone!

Kahlo class - Oliver A, Elise W, Mimi, Florence, Leon and Isaac - all Gold Learners

Gupta class - Riley P, Charley P, Tallulah, Ruby C, Alfie D and Phoebe M - all Gold Learners

Kandinsky Class - Olivia S, Ethan A, Tessa - all Gold Learners and Luke, Molly T and Max D who earned RESPECT awards

Goldsworthy class - Arthur N was awarded a RESPECT award for being so engaged in his outdoor learning last week!

The process to apply for secondary school for next September 2021 is now open and will close on the 31st October 2020. Parents will receive their offer on the 2nd March 2021. Parents will need to log into the Citizen Portal to make their application. This is the link to the Cambridgeshire online application process:-

<https://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/residents/children-and-families/schools-learning/apply-for-a-school-place/secondary-school>

Free School Meals

In order to check if your child is eligible for a free school dinner and to register please check at

www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals

Reading

Reading is such an important life skill but one that can also bring immeasurable pleasure and we, as a school, encourage all of our pupils to read daily. We are celebrating the number of words read further up the school in KS2 with several of our children reading over 20,000 words this week! In Goldsworthy and Perkins class the children are being encouraged to read every day and talk every day to earn their very own RED TED. Please support your child to read daily



End of the School day

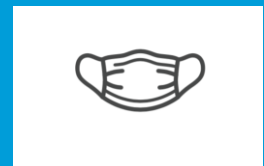
If you are collecting more than one child please can we ask that you collect your youngest child first. Thank you.

PTFA

Our PTFA met on Wednesday last week and have planned some exciting new events which we hope you will all enjoy and join in with. More details will follow **soon!**

BSC/ASC

Our Before and After school club will resume this week. It is going to take place in the school Hall to allow the children more space to play. If you would like to book your child in to these clubs please contact the School Office.



Face coverings

Please can we request that if you have to enter the school building for any reason that you wear a face covering. Thank you.

