



General Information Newsletter 2019-20

Dates for Term 4.

Mon 13/1—Year 1 Trip to Museum.

Wed 15/1 & Thur 16/1—Bike It/ Fix It Workshops—Open to Year 5/6.

Fri 24/1—PTA Film Night.

Thur 30/1—Parent Council.

Wed 12/2—Parents Viewing Work.

Fri 14/2—Final day of Term 3 for the children.

The children return for the start of Term 4 on Tuesday 25th February. (The school is closed on Monday 24th February for an INSET day).

Parents Viewing Work.

The termly informal opportunity for parents to view their children's work will be on Wednesday 12th February at the end of the school day. The work will be available in the classrooms/ shared areas and we hope you will be able to come along and enjoy the chance for the children to share their learning with you.

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy New Year! I hope everyone enjoyed the recent Christmas and New Year break and had an opportunity to spend some quality time with friends and family. I would like to take this opportunity to say a huge well done to all the children and staff for their fantastic Christmas performances and concerts. The children displayed an amazing array of talent in music, drama and dance and performed with confidence and enthusiasm. What an incredibly talented group of children we have at Seaford Primary School!

It is fantastic to see the children back in school and ready for the start of the new term ahead. We are all looking forward to a variety of exciting learning across the curriculum. Please have a look at the latest Class Newsletters which will outline the learning for each year group this term.

Please remember I am always available to discuss any aspect of the care and education we provide for your children. We are looking forward to continuing to ensure our school is the very best it can be as we move into the new decade.

Thank you for your continued support, which is greatly appreciated.
Chris Davey.

Values and Golden Rules.

As we start the new year we will be revisiting our School Values and Golden Rules with the children and talking about how we make our school a safe, happy and enjoyable place to work and learn. Please take some time to discuss these values and golden rules with your children and to talk about how they can ensure these values and rules positively support their attitudes and behaviour in school.

School Values:- Respect, Friendship, Perseverance, Empathy, Ambition and Enjoyment.

Golden Rules:- Always:

*Look after property *Be kind and helpful *Listen to people * Be gentle
*Be honest * Work hard.

Never: * Waste your own or other people's time *Waste or damage things * Hurt people's feelings * Hurt anybody *Hide the truth * Interrupt.

Entrance into the School Building.

In order to ensure the safeguarding of our children can we kindly ask parents to ensure they do not enter the school building at the beginning or end of the school day except through the office entrance. If you need to pass on a message or speak to a teacher urgently please speak to Mr Davey, Mrs Crees or the member of staff on duty who will be pleased to pass your message.

School Uniform.

At Seaford Primary School we pride ourselves on the smartness of our children. We would please ask parents to ensure their children are wearing the correct school uniform. Could I please in particular request that the children are wearing appropriate school shoes. Trainers are not permitted. Thank you for your support.



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New Reception September 2020 Application Deadline.

Please remember that the deadline for applications for the September 2020 Reception intake is Wednesday 15th January 2020. Please apply online at:- www.eastsussex.gov.uk/admissions.

Severe Weather.

Although we have escaped any severe winter weather so far there is always the possibility that we may experience adverse weather conditions as we move through the winter months. Please remember we will always try to keep the school open as normal, as long as we can secure the safety of the site and staff the school appropriately. In the very rare event that we are unable to open the school a message will be sent via our Parent mail system and will also be posted on our school website. You can also visit the East Sussex website to sign up for their alert system.

Attendance and Lateness.

Thank you for your support in helping us to continue to ensure that children are in school whenever possible in order to help maximise their learning. Please remember that children should be in school promptly in the morning in order to start their learning on time. The playground doors are closed at 8.50 am and all children should be in school by this time. Any children who arrive after this time should be brought in through the front office.

Parking/Use of School Car Park.

Thank you for your support in helping us to ensure the smooth running of our Car Park Drop Off system in the mornings. It is greatly appreciated and is helping to maximise the safety of children and visitors at this busy time of the day. Please remember that the Car Park is closed to parent cars at the end of the school day unless a permit for exceptional circumstances has been issued by the school. Thank you.