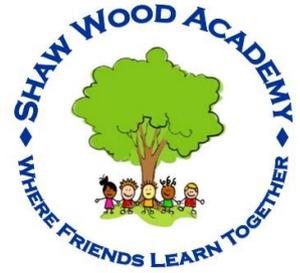


Shaw Wood Academy

Newsletter

October 2017



Premier League Primary Stars

Our mission at Shaw Wood is to ensure our curriculum supports our children to be healthy, happy and successful. We were delighted to work with staff from the Premier League to help achieve this. Please check out our website or facebook page to see just how impressive our children are.

Harvest Festival

A Big thank you to all who donated items to our Harvest Festival, the food was collected by Doncaster Food Bank and we have been informed our donation weighed enough to provide 480 meals. Thank you for your kind and generous efforts. A thank you certificate is displayed in each of the classrooms. A big thank you to the Mayor of Doncaster too for joining us to celebrate Harvest and for inviting our fabulous School Council to hold a meeting in Council Chambers.

End of Term

School closes for half-term on Friday 27th October 2017 and re-opens on Tuesday 7th November 2017. Have a great half term break. Monday 6th November is a Teacher Training Day.

Secondary School Admission Applications

If your child is in Year 6 you should have received a letter from Doncaster Admissions explaining how to apply for your child's Secondary school place. The closing date for applications is 31st October 2017. You can apply online at www.doncaster.gov.uk/admissions

Please contact the school office this week if you require help with the application.

Stay and Play

Reception — Butterflies and Bumble Bees

Please come along and join in the fun and special activities with your child on Friday 10th November at 1:20pm until 2:40pm. We have limited space so we ask that only one adult attends per child please.

New Menu

Please take a look at our brand new school menu's. They can be viewed on the school website and Facebook.



Coats

As the weather has turned much colder please ensure your child brings a coat to school every day. Please ensure your child's name is in all school wear. We already have lost property in school.

Headlice

We have a few cases of head lice in various year groups. Please check your child's hair daily for the next few weeks and on a regular basis thereafter. Lice infestation is much easier to treat if caught early. Lice are largely harmless, but can live in the hair for a long time if not treated and can be irritating and frustrating to deal with.

A pharmacist can advise you about the treatments available if you are not sure which is best for you or your child.

Head lice are a common problem, particularly in school children so please help us to get rid of them effectively.

Thank you in advance.

Dogs on Site

May we please remind you that dogs are not allowed on the school site, we have been notified recently that dogs are being carried around the site and being tied up at the entrance to the school gates.

Wear It Pink

Thank you for the donations towards the 'Wear It Pink' fundraising event held in school. We raised £125.59. Thank you.



All at Shaw Wood hope our children and families have a great half term, stay safe on Bonfire Night and come back rested and ready to learn.