



QUINTON CHURCH PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



13TH OCTOBER 2014

Dear Parents/Guardians

Parent's Evenings:

Parents are invited to Parent's consultation evenings on Tuesday 21st October 3.45-4.45, Wednesday 22nd October 3.45-4.45 and Thursday 23rd October 3.45-6.30 for Year1-6. Reception Parent's Evening will be after half term. Information will follow, with a slip for Parent/Guardians to sign in order to secure a time slot. The meetings will still take place in the hall, but as many of you have requested, you will have an opportunity to see your child's classroom as well.

Questionnaires:

Thank you to those who have already returned their questionnaires. We will start collating the information at the end of this week so that we can feed back to you the general feeling of the school community. For this reason we ask that all questionnaires are returned by Friday 17th October.

Industrial Action:

A reminder that industrial action planned for Tuesday 14th October has now been suspended so school lunches will take place as usual.



Website:

We are hoping that the new Quinton Church Primary School website will be up and running in the next two weeks. Watch this space!

Black History Month:

Next week we are going to be celebrating Black History Month with assemblies and displays.

School Uniform:

Many children are wearing trainers to school. Please remember that school uniform requires that black shoes be worn. If you have any problems, please come and see either Mrs Cosgrove or Mrs Plews.



Morning Routines:

As you may have noticed, we are trialling a new routine for the start of the school day. Teachers will be in their classrooms at 8.45am ready to greet the children and to begin the teaching day. We ask that you leave the children at the classroom door and do not enter the building as we are trying to promote independence for all children. If you do need to speak to the class teacher let the office know and they will arrange a convenient time for this to happen. Thanks for your patience with this – it will work out eventually!

Farewell:

We are going to be saying farewell to two valued members of staff at half term. Miss Stocks is leaving to take up a post nearer to home and Mrs Deakin, after many years of service to the school, is retiring. We wish them good luck with their new ventures and our thoughts and good wishes go with them.

Finally....

We are almost at the end of the first half term of the academic year. Thank you to all children, staff and parents for their support and for giving us a wonderful Quinton welcome. Please remember that if you need to speak to either of us then please call in or telephone.

Mrs Cosgrove (Executive Headteacher) Mrs Plews (Executive Deputy Headteacher)