Savile Town CE(C) Infant and Nursery School

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Dear Parents and Friends

Please can we ask you all to ensure that your children are in school on time each day. It is very disruptive for the children who are on time and have started learning when other children come in late. Your child also doesn't like it when they have to walk through the hall and into the class, and not knowing what everyone has been asked to do.

As the weather turns cooler, please send your child to school in a warm coat and sensible shoes. If there is a slight puddle, children will seek it out to stomp through it!

IMPORTANT!
We have several children in school with severe allergies. Please do not send your children into school with any sweets, nuts or food as this may be dangerous for some children. If you want to bring something for the class to celebrate your child's birthday, please ensure it is in sealed packets and we will pass them out at the end of the day. Please do not send in cakes, muffins etc.



PE

Please remember that your child needs their PE kit in school on their PE day. If your child wears ear rings please make sure that they take them out on PE days.



Year 2/ Nursery

The online applications for those children in Nursery and will be due to start Reception in September 2027 is now open. This is also the same for the children in Year 2 who will be leaving us in July 2027. You need to apply online through the Kirklees parent portal. Please complete these as soon as possible so your child gets a place in the school you wish them to attend. The closing date for doing so is 15th January 2027. If you need some help please come and see Mrs Brook in the office, and please let Mrs Brook know when you have applied for a place.



Nursery

We have places available in our Nursery. If you would like your child to start please pop into the office for an application form, bringing along your child's birth certificate.



Medical Appointments.

If you have a medical appointment for your child, please come to the office with a copy of the letter or show the text on your phone. We have to record the appointments on our attendance records for your child.



School Milk

If your child is over 5 years old and you would like your child to have milk, then you need to register with www.coolmilk.com. The cost of this is subsidised at a cost of around £18 per term.

If you need any help then you can contact the Customer Service Team on 0800 321 3248, or via email at registrations@coolmilk.com.

**Free School Meals**

Your child may be eligible for Free School meals and the holiday food vouchers that have been provided each holiday so far, if you are in receipt of any of the following;

- Income Support
- income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- the guaranteed element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit run-on - paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit - if you apply on or after 1 April 2018 your household income must be less than £7,400 a year (after tax and not including any benefits you get)

You need to apply online with the DFE 'applying for free school meals'. Each child who is in receipt of this funding means that school receives £1,455. This means we can buy more resources, provide additional support in classes and have outside providers come into school to support your child's learning.

**Diary**

The holiday dates for the year are;

Christmas	Friday 18th December school closes and we re-open on Monday 4th January.
Half term	Friday 12th February school closes and we re-open on Monday 22nd February.
Easter	Thursday 25th March schools closes and we re-open on Monday 12th April
Polling Day	**Thursday 6th May – school closed for Voting**
Half term	**Friday 28th May** school closes and we reopen on Monday 7th June

Please note the changes in the holiday dates in bold. School is needed for a Polling station on Thursday 6th May so we have to close for this to take place. We are now open on Friday 28th May instead.

If you have any questions about anything please pop in at any time for a chat.

Thank you for supporting us.
Mrs Douglas