

Autumn 1 2016 Newsletter



Happy half term break from all at Dore Primary School.

BIG THANKS TO:

The **DPA** who have now funded, with your help, 2 sets of laptops and ran the very successful Autumn Fair to start the ball rolling this year.

Please check out their Facebook page or come to the next meeting on Tuesday 15th November...AGM @ 7.30, general meeting at 8pm, the group always welcomes new ideas and there's always a job for someone to do.

The **Road Safety team** continue to plan events in school and the community. Look out for a themed menu at lunch time and other events during Road Safety Week (week beginning 21st November).

The **Communications team** have been key in getting our new system of emails up and running as well as streamlining current systems. If you haven't already done so please download the Xpressions app to keep texting costs to a minimum.

INSET DAYS

We have just one INSET day left, where school is closed to children, Tuesday January 3rd 2017.

Details will follow shortly about the next academic year. If you are booking holidays and want to make sure these fall in outside of school time, these can be found at

https://www.sheffield.gov.uk/educatio n/schools/holidays.html

Uniform feedback

We will be sending you information about a survey about school uniform, so that we can evaluate the new system..

DETAILS TO FOLLOW

KEEPING CHILDREN SAFE Please help us to keep everyone safe

- The school gates are kept closed at specified times during the school day, unless given prior authorisation, parents should not use the car park at this time.
- Parking responsibly around the school and NEVER on the zig zags.
- Please supervise your children if they are using any playground equipment after school.
- If you are a dog owner, following the code of conduct which can be found on the school website.

Attendance news

Attendance continues to be a strength of school; currently it stands at 98.2% which is OUSTANDING. Well done to everyone.

Here is how well each class is doing:

CLASS	ATTENDANCE FROM SEPTEMBER
Miss Bradley	98.0%
Mr Smith	99.2%
Miss Farrell	97.3%
Mrs Wells/Mrs Wyatt	98.9%
Mrs Gill	98.0%
Miss Godfrey	99.7%
Mr Goodwin	98.1%
Miss Turton	99.3%
Miss Weir	97.9%
Mrs Davison/Mrs Drazek	99.1%
Mrs Evans	97.5%
Mr Hanks	98.3%
Mr Mills	98.0%
Mr France	97.6%
Mrs Granville	96.5%

Please remember to ring school if your child is ill and let us know any changes to details in the event of us having to ring you.

Please also note that if your child does need to attend an appointment and you are unable to make this outside the school day, please try and make an early or late so that they miss as little learning as possible.