



# Cotgrave Church of England Primary School



Autumn Term Newsletter 2

## Our Autumn 1 Value Thankfulness

'Be thankful in everything, in all circumstances'  
1 Thessalonians 5:18



### Wellies!



As we approach winter, the school field is becoming wet and muddy. Please send your child with a spare pair of trainers/wellies that they can wear on the field. A spare pair of trousers/leggings would also be a good idea.

Please make sure that your child's things are labelled clearly.



Individual Photographs



Photographs will take place on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> October.

These will be individual and sibling photographs. Younger siblings who are not at school are welcome to have their photo taken with their siblings from 8:45am.

### Useful Contacts

#### School office:

office@cotgrave.snmatt.org.uk  
0115 989 2204

#### Mrs Pearson- Headteacher:

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**Class 1:** class1@cotgrave.snmatt.org.uk

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**Class 3:** class3@cotgrave.snmatt.org.uk

**Class 4:** class4@cotgrave.snmatt.org.uk



## Harvest Reminder

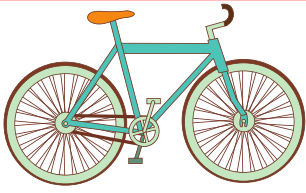


On Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> October at 10:30am, we will be celebrating Harvest Festival at church. We would like as many children as possible to join us as we have been busy preparing songs and readings to share with the church congregation. Children will need to attend with an adult and be in school uniform. The children are also invited to bring gifts of food (long lasting canned or packet goods) for the church to distribute to those in need.

## October Half Term Dates

School will close for half term at 3:30pm on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October. We will reopen on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November.





A reminder that bikes and scooters should be locked up on the bike racks at the front of school. We are unable to store bikes in the bin store due to lack of space.

## Parents' Evening

Parents' evening will take place on Tuesday 7th October (3-5:30) and Wednesday 8th October (5-7:30). Letters for parents' evening have been sent home today. Please return one slip per family by Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> October.



## Jacket Potatoes

A reminder that jacket potatoes must be ordered through the school office by the Monday of the week they are required. There is no guarantee that a jacket potato will be available on the day if not ordered in advance.

## Up to date details

We have sent home a new contact sheet for every child. Please fill it in and return to the office as soon as possible. Please include at least 3 numbers that we can contact in an emergency. It is important that we are able to contact someone in an emergency.

We have sent home a copy of the home-school agreement. Please read this with your child, sign it and send it back to school. We have also sent a copy of our computer/IT policy. Please also sign this and return to school. A copy of our privacy notice is attached.



## Cauliflower Cards

This year we are again taking part in the Cauliflower Cards project to raise additional funds for our PTA. On Friday, the children brought home their card design and information about the products available (Christmas cards, mugs, notebooks, wrapping paper, gift tags etc). After parents have registered and placed any order they wish to place online, the form needs returning to school by Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> October at the very latest. We will then collate the children's artwork for sending off to Cauliflower Cards, ready for the designs to be printed. Any artwork returned after this date will miss the collection and parents will need to make their own arrangements for sending – school will not be able to do this. We realise that it is very early to think about Christmas but please consider supporting the PTA by placing an order.



## Norfolk Residential

Our annual residential for children in Years 4, 5 and 6 is taking place from Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> November until Friday 21<sup>st</sup> November. An information meeting for parents will be held on Monday 13th October at 3:45pm and again at 4:30pm. Kit lists will be given out and more information about the trip will be given. The staff accompanying the children on the trip will be Mrs Pearson, Miss Williams, Mrs Cox and Miss Tyson.