



OLD CLEE PRIMARY ACADEMY

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Newsletter

Monday 30th September 24

Welcome Back!



We have now been back at school for the best part of a month and the children have settled well into their new classes. For regular updates, please check out our Facebook page.

Parents' Evening



Parents' Evening will be held on **14th and 15th October 2024**.

An email and text has been sent to all parents with the booking link: <https://oldclee.schoolcloud.co.uk/>, which will go live at **7.00 pm** this evening.

During Parents' Evenings, the Pastoral Team will be on hand for a chat if you have any concerns or queries regarding your child.

We will also be holding a Bake & Cake Sale in support of Macmillan during Parents' Evening. We would be grateful of any donations of cakes and biscuits, which can be dropped off at the School Office on the morning of the Cake Sale. Many thanks

Harvest Festival



We are holding our Harvest Festival on Friday **11th October 2024**. Donations will be accepted in to school from 30th September.

We will gratefully accept any packets or canned food and all donations will be passed on to Rock Foundation. Thank you in advance.

Parking



At Old Clee Primary Academy we are trying to combat the issue of poor parking by some of our parents during school drop off and pick up times. Particularly in the Old Clee village area, where we have received a large volume of complaints from residents.

Traffic Wardens and local PCSO's will continue to monitor the area and CCTV has been fitted in the vicinity for fines to be issued. We would like to remind all parents to be respectful and considerate when parking, especially over resident's driveways. **No parking on zig zag lines between 8-9am and 3-4pm. Pupils safety is paramount!**

School Photographs



This year, the school photographers will be in school on, **Monday 4th November 2024**, for individual and family photographs and **Tuesday 19th November 2024**, for class photographs. We will send out reminders closer to the time.

Year 6 PGL

On Friday **25th September**, our Year 6 children arrived back from their residential visit to PGL Caythorpe. The children, although very tired, had a fantastic 3 days and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. If you haven't already taken a look, please visit the Year 6 page on the website to see all of the fun they got up to.

<https://www.oldcleeprimaryacademy.co.uk/pgl-2024/>



Breakfast and After-school Club Payments



Due to increasing numbers of children accessing our breakfast and afterschool childcare clubs, children should be booked on to clubs at **least 1 week in advance as stated in our Club Policy**. Those in need of childcare due to unforeseen circumstances, can book on through Parentpay a minimum of **24 hours in advance**, subject to place availability.

Places for both breakfast club and afterschool childcare club are strictly limited, so please ensure you book early to avoid disappointment. **Children WILL NOT be admitted in if they are not booked on in advance and payment has not been received**. Once clubs are full, Parentpay will not allow further bookings.

Bookings must be made through your Parentpay account and paid for in advance of the booking

These changes are to ensure that we have the correct staff/pupil ratios as pupil safety is paramount.

If your Parentpay account has any outstanding debt/arrears, this MUST be cleared before any future bookings are made. If you do not have sufficient funds in your account prior to booking, your booking will not register on our system.

If you require Breakfast and After-school Childcare Club for your child and if you are not already registered, please contact the School Office to register.

Coats & PE Kit



We would like to remind all parents to send your child to school with their coat and warm/outdoor PE kits, especially as the weather is now turning much colder.

We try to keep the children active and enjoying the outdoors as much as possible, so appropriate warm outdoor wear would be appreciated.

Diary Dates

- Flu Vaccinations
 - **2nd October**
- Parents' Evening
 - **14th and 15th October**
- Harvest Festival
 - **11th October**
- October Half-Term
 - **18th October**

