## September 2020 Newsletter 2

# Moon's Moat First School

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### **Dear Parents**

Moon's Moat Nursery and First School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people – all staff and volunteers share this commitment. We trust parents also share this commitment.

Our children all appear to have settled well back into school life, however, should you have anything you would like to discuss about your child please use the year group email address or phone the school office to arrange to speak to their teacher.

Thank you for all your support,

Mrs. S. Fisher

Headteacher

#### **Year 4 Transfer Forms**

Children in Year 4 were each given a letter containing a user name and password to log on to the Worcestershire County Council website to register your Middle School choice. May I suggest that you complete this online as soon as you have made a choice of school. If you have lost your letter, please ring Pupil Admissions at Worcestershire County Council on 01905 822700. Application deadline is 15<sup>th</sup> January 2021.

## **Starting Reception in September 2021**

Please make sure you go online to complete your application by 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2021. If you have any problems you can ring W.C.C. on 01905 822700 for help. If you wish your child to come to Moon's Moat First School you must still apply even if your child is already in our Nursery as places are not allocated automatically.



## **Upcoming Events**

September 28

Family Support Worker Available – please contact the school office for an appointment

October 6

**Individual School Photos** 

October 7 - 22

**Parent Evenings** 

October 23

Own clothes day for Harvest Festival

# In The Community Harvest Festival



This year we are planning to hold a Non-Uniform Day on Friday, 23<sup>rd</sup> October. Children can wear their own clothes in exchange for a £1 online donation which will be donated to Redditch Food Bank. Reception and Nursery children can dress up as scarecrows or farmers.

We will send you a text nearer the time for you to donate via our Eduspot
SchoolMoney system.

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## **Parent Evenings**

A letter has been sent home with our revised Parent Evening details. Please return your slip as soon as possible so that teachers can allocate time slots for your phone call. The revised letter is also available on the Newsletters page of our website if you haven't seen it.

## **Parental Responsibility**

Adults with Parental Responsibility are entitled to a copy of school reports, school photos and invitations to Parent Evenings. Please ensure the office has all relevant contact details relating to your child.

## **Jewellery**

At present, no jewellery is permitted in school including earrings. Thank you for your co-operation.



We are very grateful to all the parents who have been wearing face coverings in the playgrounds. This really helps to keep everyone, including our children, as safe as possible and we are determined to do all we can to help prevent the spread of Coronavirus. If you haven't been wearing a face covering we ask that you do so unless you have a medical reason not to. We would also like to remind you that only 1 parent should drop off or collect children at this time and you should stick to the 2 metre social distancing rule. Children should not be allowed to play on the tyres or outside play equipment. Bikes and scooters should not be ridden on the paths or playgrounds around school.

We have to keep classrooms ventilated as much as possible at the moment so if you would like to send your child to school with an extra hoodie or jumper to wear during the day, please do so. Please remember to label it with your child's name!



Our Value for October is Respect