HIGHAMPTON PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



3/2020-2021

Thank you to parents and carers for attending the parent consultations recently. I am pleased to say that we had 100% of families join the teachers to discuss how well the children have returned to school and set targets to ensure that any gaps in learning following lockdown are addressed.

SECONDARY SCHOOL - YEAR 6

The deadline for secondary school applications is 31st October. There are some copies of the prospectus for Holsworthy College in school and you can see the one for Okehampton College on their website <u>click here</u>. Today, we have sent home a copy of the Okehampton College prospectus with each Y6 student.

Congratulations to:

Riley Reynolds and Maisy Cleave who are both celebrating birthdays later this month.

We hope you have a great day!

Happy Birthday!



SCHOOL LUNCHES

As you know, from 19th October (next week) we are able to offer hot meals via our School Gateway system again. There is a slight change in that Jacket Potato options will be limited to one choice per day.

Therefore, the meal options for jacket potatoes will be:

Monday: Cheese

Tuesday: Baked Beans,

Wednesday: Tuna Thursday: Cheese

Friday: Baked Beans and Cheese

PICKING UP TIME

We would like parents to come onto the playground and follow social distancing, especially in the entrance, which should be one family at a time.

If parents are at one side of the playground and the teachers and children are at the other, staff will then release the children to their families.

If you would prefer not to mix in the playground, then please wait in your car until the other parents and children have left. You should then come up the steps.

We will not release any child without seeing their responsible adult.

Dates for the Diary

Term 2



We will be welcoming a specialist PE teacher who is part of the Dartmoor MAT family.

Term 3



A specialist music teacher (also part of the Dartmoor MAT family) will be visiting the school on a regular basis.

PTFA VIRTUAL MEETING

Unfortunately, this meeting had to be postponed. We'll let you know when we are able to rearrange it.