

Middleton-on-the-Wolds School Newsletter

Our Christian value for this half term is 'Love'
"You shall love your neighbour as yourself"

John 4:8

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Office Opening Hours

Mon – Fri - 8:15am – 4:00pm

Dinner Money

Dinner money (Nursery & KS2 only) Autumn 1st half term is **£103.35** (39 days x £2.65). (8 week half term) All payments to be made on ParentPay.

Parents' Meetings

You should have received your letter regarding parents' evenings/afternoons. Please return the reply slip as soon as possible. Thank you.

Reception	15 th October
Year 1 & 2	15 th & 17 th October
Years 3 & 4	14 th & 15 th October
Years 5 & 6	14 th & 15 th October

Harvest Festival

Harvest Festival will be held in the school hall **2.45pm on Wednesday 16th October**. We are collecting donations for Driffield Wolds Food Bank. Please send your donations in before Wednesday morning. We appreciate your support with this.

Congratulations to our Year 5 and Year 6 students who passed their Bikeability Course at the beginning of the school year. Happy cycling!

Flu Immunisation Reception to Year 6 pupils



October.

The date for the immunisation team to visit school is the morning of **Monday 14th**

Morning Drop-off

A polite reminder that all children must be accompanied by an adult if they are on the school grounds prior to the bell ringing at 8:40am. Any unaccompanied pupils arriving before 8:40am must go to breakfast club. Thank you for your continuing support.

Individual School Photographs

You should have received your proof for the school photos. Orders are all made via the Tempest Website.

Golden Assembly

Thank you to the parents who have been able to join us at the Golden Assemblies on a Friday afternoon. We feel the awards are having a positive impact on the children. We realise not everyone can take the time off to join us so we share photos on the school Facebook page (where permitted).

Data Collection Sheets

If you haven't already returned the data collection sheet for your child, please do so ASAP. If you require a further copy, please contact the office. **Please sign and return the sheets to the office, even if there are no alterations.** Thank you.

Half Term Break

Last day of school is **Friday 25th October**. We return to school on **Monday 4th November**.

Forrest School

The children are all enjoying Forrest school each Tuesday with Mr Lapworth. Please ensure the children have their wellies with them and now the weather is changing a waterproof coat. They are all learning new skills and about the environment.

Personal Items Permitted in School

- Book Bags
- Water Bottles
- PE Kit
- Reading Books
- Fidget Items Permitted via SENCO only
- Watches (not smart watch)
- Stud earrings only - these must be covered by tape for PE lessons

Personal Items Not Permitted in School

- Mobile phones
- Electronic devices
- Fidget items
- Jewellery - eg bracelets, necklaces, rings, hooped earrings
- Novelty tattoos
- Toys

Bridlington Spa - Science & Music

KS2 Children have been taking part in music activities within school. They enjoyed the day at Bridlington Spa on 25th September. The children have two further visits on 23rd & 24th October to Bridlington Spa. Parents will be invited to watch the performance on the night of 24th October - a letter will be sent home with all the details.

Uniform

Uniform is available to purchase from Drury Sports in Driffield. Please ensure all uniform and P.E. kit is clearly labelled. We already have an enormous amount of unnamed lost property in the office. Replacement book bags are still available to purchase from school at a cost of £6.50. We have a selection of second hand uniform available if anyone is needing some spare clothes.

Website

Our website has had a lot of content added recently and is as up to date as it can be. The website address is <https://middletononthewoldsprimary.co.uk>

X & Facebook

For those of you who access social media, be sure to follow our accounts on Twitter. Our usernames are below - please follow us!

@beswickwatton

@middletonsch

@bishopwiltontsch

Please follow us on Facebook to see what has been happening in school. Search for Middleton on the Wolds CE Primary School

MOWSA Events

Saturday 30th November 2024 12:30pm Christmas Wreath Making

at St Andrews Church, Middleton

Limited places available don't miss out! £45 per person Includes all materials to make a wreath plus a glass of mulled wine and a mince pie.

To book - Call Rachel Brent on 07900 675441

Sunday 1st December 10.00am-3.00pm

Our popular Christmas Fair at Middleton School.

Lots of craft and food stalls, tea & cakes, facepainting, tombola and raffle stalls. Free entry - come along and do some early Christmas shopping.

Father Christmas is making a special appearance this year at the fair. He is setting his grotto up for the day so the children can pop along and have chat with him and put in any special requests for what they would like for Christmas.

Dates for Diary	
11 th October	Christmas card orders to school
W.C. 14 th October	Parent meetings
14 th October	Flu vaccines - AM
15 th October	Middleton minis
16 th October	Harvest Festival 2.30pm in the school Hall
25 th October	3:30pm End of half term
4 th November	School re-opens
11 th November	Remembrance Day service in the school playground at 10:50am
15 th November	Children In Need Day
18 th November	Reception & Year 6 - height & weight
22 nd November	Non-uniform day for MOWSA tombola prizes
30 th November	Christmas wreath workshop 12:30pm at Church
1 st December	MOWSA Christmas fair
3 rd December	Middleton minis
5 th December	Christmas Experience at St Andrews Church
9 th December	Panto – Jack & The Beanstalk at Middleton school
11 th December	Christmas plays EYFS & KS1 and KS2
13 th December	Christmas dinner & Christmas jumper day
16 th December	Surprise fair – am
17 th December	Christmas crafts - PM
18 th December	Christmas Carol Service at St Andrews Church at 11.00am
20 th December	Last day of term & Christmas party day
6 th January	Staff training day
7 th January	School re-opens

After School Activity Clubs

KS1 Children will continue with Forrest School on a Tuesday 3:30-4:30 up until half term. KS2 Children will then change to Forrest School on a Friday and KS1 children will still have a club on a Tuesday but this will be a sports club.

Outdoor P.E.

Until the weather changes, most of the P.E. lessons will be outside. Please can you ensure that your child has outdoor trainers left in school for their P.E lesson. A tracksuit is also needed. Once we change to indoor P.E., indoor plimsolls must be worn. Thank you for your continuing support.

Wellies

Please provide your child with wellington boots, to either leave in school or remember to bring in each Monday for outdoor activities and break times. Many thanks for your support.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club runs every morning from 8:00-8:40am in the dining hall. A healthy breakfast is served and the club costs £3.00 per session. Children may attend from 8:25 onwards at a cost of £1.00 but no breakfast will be served at that time. Any children arriving prior to 8:25 will be charged £3.00.

After School Care Club

After School Care Club runs every school day from 3:30-5:30pm in the dining hall. A snack is provided and the club costs £2.50 per ½ hour session. Please book in advance with Mrs Stone and Mrs Johnson in the school office.