CUMBRIA EDUCATION SERVICE



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Monday 8th March, 2021

Dear Parents, Carers and Guardians,

It has been absolutely wonderful to welcome all children back to school this morning. We've had a great first day back with everyone getting back into the swing of our Covid routines and ways of working. For your information, all of our day to day routines and procedures can be found on our website in the letter dated 2nd March 2021:

https://www.stbeesvillage.cumbria.sch.uk/parents/newsletters-and-letters.

Apart from the weather, children and staff alike have had a lovely day seeing each other again and catching up after what seems like an age. As always, within a couple of hours it's like we've never been away from school. We will be spending this term consolidating learning from lockdown and ensuring the key knowledge and skills children need are embedded ready for the Summer term. If you have any queries about your child's learning please do not hesitate to contact us. This is a first for us all and we are working hard as a team within school and with local schools to ensure we provide your children with a quality education that will help them catch up with any lost learning during lockdown.

Although we won't be holding any whole school events this term we will be taking part in Red Nose Day which is on Friday 19th March. Children can come into school in non-uniform and we would ask they bring in a donation to support this fabulous fundraising event. Any monies donated will be collected in a jar and left with the office for 72 hours before counting and forwarding to the charity.

Payments

Please note that we will no longer be accepting cash at school <u>under any circumstances</u>. Payments will now only be accepted via cheque, bank transfers, eezee trip or the childcare voucher schemes (for Pre School and Out of School Club). Please do not hand cash to *any* member of staff or leave in the post box.

To make direct payments to our bank accounts*:

Sort Code: 16-52-21 (for all below accounts)

54001243 – Pre School payments 53832239 – Out of School Club

53674428 - Milk money

* Please identify any direct bank payments so that we can allocate accordingly, e.g. child's name, milk money

For eeZee trip information, please contact Miss McCabe amelia@stbeesvillage.cumbria.sch.uk

In the event that we are able to offer trips and after school activities, as restrictions lift over the coming months, we will advise you of payment options when the time comes.

We do hope your children have enjoyed today as much as we have and we're looking forward to seeing them again tomorrow.

Thank you for your continued support.

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Mrs Sharp