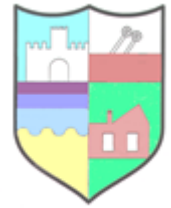




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Dear Parents/Carers,

Although a newsletter was sent out last week, I just wanted to remind you of some upcoming events:

Walk to School Month

It has been great to see more children walking to school this week and fewer cars parked outside of school. Can I please remind you not to park on the keep clear markings.

Next week is wheels to school week. Children are encouraged to travel to school on wheels (or by foot) and will be able to use their wheels at playtimes, only if they have a helmet with them.

TT Rockstars Day

Next Friday, October 15th, we are having a TT Rockstars day in school. All children can come to school dressed as a rock star. We will be holding times tables competitions throughout the day with lots of prizes up for grabs. Children will spend the whole day working on times tables through a variety of activities.



TT Rockstars is a great online programme which we subscribe to for all children. Just five minutes a day at home would make a huge difference with times table knowledge across the school.

We will be holding regular TT Rockstars assemblies in school and giving out prizes throughout the year.

Your support with times tables at home would be greatly appreciated.

Punctuality

Can I just remind everyone that the school now opens at 8.50 every morning with registration at 8.55. Please make sure your child is on time for school every day.

EVERY MINUTE COUNTS

MINUTES LATE PER DAY	EQUIVALENT OF MISSING	HOW MANY LESSONS THIS IS MISSED
5 MINUTES	3.4 SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR	17 LESSONS
10 MINUTES	6.9 SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR	35 LESSONS
15 MINUTES	10.3 SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR	51 LESSONS
20 MINUTES	13.8 SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR	69 LESSONS
30 MINUTES	20.7 SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR	104 LESSONS

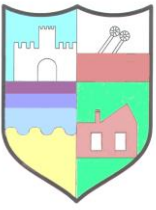
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Halloween Disco

The Ellington Primary School PTA are holding this year's Halloween disco on Thursday 21st October between 6pm and 8pm.

Entry is £2.50 per ticket. **Tickets will be on sale from Monday 11th October.**

Tickets can be purchased from the school office. The number of tickets is limited due to the restrictions on the number of people allowed in the school hall. Please be aware that tickets usually sell out so please buy early to avoid disappointment.

Pie and Peas is an additional £2.50 and must be ordered in advance so we can buy stock in. The deadline for orders is Monday 18th October.

At the disco we will play a variety of games with lots of prizes up for grabs. There will be hotdogs, snacks and drinks available as well as a sweet stall.

All children need to be accompanied by an adult who will be responsible for their child at the disco. Parents and carers are welcome to bring alcoholic beverages to drink as they will not be on sale.

Best Wishes,

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