

**Ombersley Endowed First School and Pre-School**  
**E-Newsletter Issue 3**  
**16<sup>th</sup> October 2020**

**Diary Dates**

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<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> October 2020	Flu spray YR-Y4
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> October 2020	KS2 Halloween Disco/Dress Up
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October 2020	KS1/Reception/Nursery Halloween Disco/Dress Up
	Break up for half-term
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October 2020	TED Day – school closed to pupils
Saturday 24 <sup>th</sup> October 2020	Open Morning 9-12 noon
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November 2020	School re-opens

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**News & Events**

**Flu Spray YR-4 Monday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2020**

The flu spray team will be in school on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2020 to administer flu sprays to all children with signed consent forms. Please could all consent forms be returned to school as soon as possible. Thank you.

**KS2 Halloween Disco/Dressing Up Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2020**

KS2 will be having their Halloween disco on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2020. KS2 children may dress up on this day.

**KS1/Reception/Nursery Halloween Disco/Dressing Up Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2020**

KS1/Reception/Nursery will be having their Halloween disco on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2020. KS1/Reception/Nursery children may dress up on this day.

**Open Morning Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2020**

We are having an open morning on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2020 from 9am to 12 noon for parents of Pre-School children and of Reception children starting in September 2021. Due to COVID restrictions it is **strictly by appointment only**. Appointments will last for no more than 15 minutes, we ask that you wear a face covering during this time and unfortunately children will not be able to come with you to look round. Thank you for your understanding.

**Reminders**

**Parking**

Please could we ask parents not to park on the grass blocking the view of oncoming traffic as this is dangerous and could lead to an accident. Please park considerately and do not block the entrance/exit to the lay-by. Thank you.

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If you are parking in the disabled parking spaces outside school, please display your blue badge at all times. We do have a number of people in school who need to use these spaces so we ask that you only use them if you need to. Thank you for your co-operation.

### **Lay-by**

In a morning please could we ask parents not to let their children cross the lay-by on their own as it is very busy with moving vehicles and we have already had one near miss. Thank you for your help in this matter.

### **PE Lessons**

Please send your child to school in their PE kits on the day that they have PE. Due to Covid regulations children are not able to change during the school day.

### **KS2 Games Lessons on Thursdays**

After half term Key Stage 2 will be doing football in their Games lessons on a Thursday afternoon. Please could your child bring in a pair of shoes in a bag to change into after the lesson and to put their muddy trainers in afterwards. Thank you.

### **School Milk**

We are registered with the milk scheme, Cool Milk. If your child is under 5 they are entitled to free school milk. We have registered all Reception Class children for this. When your child turns 5, you have the option to pay for their milk to continue. Milk is approximately £14 per term and **parents are responsible for registering their child/ren for milk on the Cool Milk website**. Visit [www.coolmilk.com](http://www.coolmilk.com) and select "Register your child for milk here", then follow the on-screen instructions to register and pay.

### **Reminders**

All children should have a water bottle available in the classroom. It is important that they drink regularly. Water bottles are for sale at a cost of £1.50 from the school office. Please do not send squash in the water bottles thank you.

### **Contact Details**

Please could you ensure that school has up to date and correct contact details for all emergency contacts: email, postal address and phone numbers. Thank you.

## **General Information**

### **School Social Media**

Please follow us @Ombersley School. Please follow our school Facebook page too to see all the exciting events and activities that are happening in school.

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**Baileys**

If you need to contact Baileys about school meals their number is 01527 85713