

Weekly News

10th January 2022

A note from Mrs Farren....

It has been an absolute pleasure to start 2022 with Norton children; they really are wonderful in every way!

Attendance

Out attendance last term was 93.45%. We understand that the majority of absence was illness related but the following government announcement is important to remember:

'COVID-19 continues to be a virus that we learn to live with and the imperative to reduce the disruption to children and young people's education remains. Our priority is for schools to deliver face-to-face, high-quality education to all pupils. The evidence is clear that being out of education causes significant harm to educational attainment, life chances, mental and physical health'

- From 14 December 2021, adults who are fully vaccinated and all children and young people aged between 5 and 18 years identified as a contact of someone with COVID-19 are strongly advised to take a LFD test every day for 7 days and continue to attend their setting as normal.
- If a child has tested positive for COVID-19, they can return to school after day 7 if they've had two negative LFD tests.

If your child is going to be off school for any reason, you $\ensuremath{\textit{must}}$ contact the

school as soon as possible in the morning of that day.

If your child has COVID-19, please email <u>admin@norton.gloucs.sch.uk</u> in-

cluding the following information:

- Dates of symptoms and confirmed positive test.
- The date when your child is due back to school.

We prioritise keeping everyone safe but now it is time to get all of our children back into school in order to give them the best education possible.

Have a wonderful weekend Mrs Farren and Team Norton

The calendar for this term will be uploaded onto the school website next week.

Hot Dinner Menu week 2

Monday

- Cheese & tomato pizza
- Vegetable tagine
- Jacket Potato & Tuna (or cheese)

Tuesday

- Sausages
- Cauliflower curry
- Jacket Potato with Baked Beans

Wednesday

- Roast Pork
- Roasted Quorn
- Jacket Potato with Cheese

Thursday

- Mediterranean chicken
- Vegetable lasagna
- Jacket Potato with Tuna (or cheese)

Friday

- Fish
- Vegetable pasty
- Jacket Potato with Baked Beans

Please remember to keep your dinner money accounts in credit

The teacher led after school club booking form is available to download from the school website or a paper copy is available from the office.