



# Driffield Northfield Infant School

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## Dear Parents

Welcome to the Autumn term and particularly to the new children and parents. Everyone has settled in well and the children are adjusting quickly to the school routine.

### Uniform

Please ensure that all items of clothing etc are named.

### Pocket Toys

In Year 1 and 2 children are allowed to bring one small toy that will fit in their pocket to use at play times. Please do not let them bring something that is special or valuable as we cannot be responsible for their loss or damage.

### Emergency Contact Numbers

We are trialling 'Teachers2Parents' a mobile phone messaging service. This will enable us to contact you quickly at any time, for example if the after school football club that starts tomorrow was cancelled we would be able to send you a message. We will be using this for one way information, please contact the school on the landline.

Please therefore remember to advise school if any contact telephone numbers change e.g. mobile numbers. We will shortly be sending out the details we have on file for you to check and amend if necessary. Thank you.

It is essential that you inform the school if someone other than yourself is collecting your child at the end of the day.

## Essential Dates

### Last day of term

Thursday 22nd October

### Return to school

Monday 2nd November

### Friends Events

### Chocolate and Pink

### Party

30th September 7 p.m.

### AGM

7th October

### Rainbow Walk



Our first fundraising event will be held on 13th October which is a sponsored walk around school grounds. Some money raised from this will help to subsidise your child's school trips. More details will be sent out nearer the time.

## School Dinners



Just a reminder that school dinners cost £1.90 per day. This should be sent to school on a Monday for the week if possible, in a sealed envelope with your child's name and class clearly marked. Please make cheques payable to ERYC. Please can we remind you that we cannot provide dinner without payment. Small printed envelopes can be purchased at the school 50 for £1.20.

### Harvest Festival 20th October 2.30 p.m.



Join us to celebrate—we would like to ask you to support this by either decorating a shoe box and bringing it to school on the day with produce for us to distribute to the local citizens, or a donation to our sponsor child 'Davison'. Davison was born on 2/7/2004 and lives in Zambia. The children write letters and cards at Christmas and birthdays and receive letters from Davison.

We will nearer the time have coloured paper available at the office to cover your box—hopefully you might still have a box at home that you can use.



### Photographs

The photographer will be here on Friday 6th

November to take individual photographs or family groups. Family groups (including babies and toddlers) will be taken from 9 to 10 am.

Small proofs will be sent for you to place orders. You will be able to choose from a variety of packs and prices. All children will have their photo taken for our