

## The Christian Value This Term is: Trust

## Message from the Head Teacher

What a year! Thank you to all of you for your support, wishes and prayers that have helped us to get through this terrible pandemic together. We are not over the pandemic but we will continue to be strong together. The sunshine is here and we are planning to make memories with loved ones once again. Good times are ahead. Thank you to everyone that makes our school feel like a family. I wish everyone a blissful Summer.

Warmest wishes, Miss Craig



Can I respectfully remind parents that staff will only reply to messages during normal school hours as they are not contracted to answer messages at night or the weekend. Thank you for your support.

#### One-way system

Please remember to follow our one-way system whilst on the school grounds. Enter via the gate leading to the field and exit using the playground gate. Many thanks in your help in keeping everyone save!



#### **School Day**

Thank you for the positive feedback. From September the times of our school day will be changing:

Doors open: 8.40am until 8.55am.
All children will finish at 3.15pm.

We will continue with the oneway system around school. Drop off/Collection points have changed slightly for Class 3:

Class 1: EYFS playground. Class 2: Hall entrance.

Class 3: Rear classroom door

Until we are given further advice from the Government we ask that all adults on the school site remember to socially distance and wear a face mask until further updates are made.

#### **School Website**

All information about our school can be found on our school website:

https://www.tittensor.staffs.sch.uk/



All of our school lunches are planned by the children and cooked with fresh local ingredients on site by our fantastic cook Mrs Chell. Please see our school Menu on our website and external doors for more details. The cost of a school lunch will remain at £2.40

## Dates for your diary!

Please note that these dates may change for unforeseen reasons or added to – to keep up to date with changes and additions please download the school app (Tittensor first school) where you can access the parent diary and news updates.

| 1 <sup>st</sup> September                  | INSET Day                   |
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| 2 <sup>nd</sup> September                  | School open                 |
| 14 <sup>th</sup> October –                 | Parents Maths/English       |
| 2pm -3pm                                   | Update                      |
| 21 <sup>st</sup> October –                 | Nursery Newtake Open        |
| 10am -11.30am                              | Morning                     |
| 21 <sup>st</sup> October                   | Parent's Evening            |
| 22 <sup>nd</sup> October                   | INSET Day                   |
| 25 <sup>th</sup> -29 <sup>th</sup> October | School Closed for Half-term |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> November                   | School Open                 |

## Your PTFA needs you!

Come and join our wonderful PTFA.

There is so much we couldn't do without their support.

Lots of events to get involved with.

Something for everyone. Even during these testing times the PTFA are still looking at fundraising ideas. Please remember to use Amazon Smile. Select Tittensor First school as your designated charity:

smile.amazon.co.uk

### **September Staffing**

Class 1: Miss Peddie/Mrs Acton/Mrs Glen

Class 2: Mrs Avann/Miss Laws/Mrs Moorcroft

Class 3: Mr Allen/Mrs Simpson

Forest Schools: Mrs Broad/Mrs Simpson

**SENDCO:** Miss Craig

**SENDCO Assistant:** Mrs Barrows

Mrs Barrows is our newly appointed SENDCO assistant. She will be working mornings to support special needs across the school with her specialist knowledge and experience.

### Could you foster?

Nexus Fostering is a well- established and highly regarded fostering agency, based in Telford, who are urgently seeking full-time & respite foster carers throughout the area. The agency is rated Ofsted 'Outstanding' in all areas and place a high premium on the quality of support and care that they provide to every one of the foster carers and, in turn, the children and young people placed with them. To find out more about becoming a foster carer or a respite carer in and around Staffordshire please call 0800 389 0143 or email foster@nexusfostering.co.uk

#### **Covid Protocols**

In light of the rises in positive Covid cases across Staffordshire, we request that people continue to follow guidelines around social distancing, our one-way system and face coverings to keep our whole school community safe

# Have a fabulous Summer, stay safe and have fun!

