

# The Good Shepherd Catholic Primary School

# Dear Parents and Carers,



#### **Reminder!**

Please remember that we are a nut free school which means you should be sure not to include any products with nuts in your child's packed lunch for the wellbeing of other students.

## Find us here:

Newsletter no. 6

5<sup>th</sup> November 2021

# Meet the staff

## **Miss Claire**

## **School Office**



Hello, I am Miss Claire and I am new to the school this week. You will find me mostly in the school office. I look forward to meeting the children and families at The Good Shepherd. My first week has been amazing and very busy. Thank you to everyone who has made me so welcome.

#### We also welcome....

This week we welcome five fantastic teachers who are with us on placement from The University of Northampton. We continue with our fantastic working partnership with the university and wish all five of them much happiness in their placements with us.

#### And....

**Caroline** has joined our wonderful kitchen team this week. Caroline has been a chef for 27 years and worked in many school kitchens providing delicious school meals. She has had a fantastic first week. Welcome Caroline.

We wish all our new staff much happiness – welcome to The Good Shepherd Family!

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#### **After School Clubs**

#### Our afterschool clubs start back this week: Tuesday – Gymnastics 3.15 to 4.15pm Wednesday – Football 3.15 to 4.15pm Thursday – Dodgeball 3.15 to 4.15pm

#### **Rhino Sports and Dance Academy**

Rhino Sports Academy are a sports and dance coaching company that run extra-curricular sports clubs in schools. We welcome our coaches Sam, Jay and Tom.

**Dance Club** will start **on Friday next week 3.15 to 4.15pm** with **Ella** our fantastic new dance teacher. (*Classes are by appointment only via Rhino*)

The team will also be working with the children during Monday and Friday lunchtimes. There will be lots of sporty fun and games for them to join in with.



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Wishing you a very Happy Birthday



Parents, please come and join us for the maths workshop



Congratulations to 2C for getting 99.6% attendance this week! Our whole school attendance for this week is 96.17%. Well done everyone! Keep it up.



# Blast off to awesome attendance!

This week we have had:

- 1. 12 students arriving late on 16 occasions.
- This equates to 45 minutes of learning LOST!
- 17 students with unauthorised absences.

# Important Notice

Please remember, if your child is absent from school, you **MUST** contact the school <u>each day</u> of their absence.

Thank you

#### SAFEGUARDING IS EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY

If you have a safeguarding or welfare concern our Family Support Worker Mrs Auburn can be contacted by email on Familysupport@thegoodshepherd.northants.sch.uk or by phone on 01604 714399.

You can also speak to our other Safeguarding Officers – Mrs Dodds (Head Teacher), Mrs Bonner (EYFS Lead) and Miss Green (SENDCO).

If you are concerned about a child's safety or welfare please call MASH (Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub) on 0300 126 7000. In an emergency, or if you believe a child is in immediate danger, left alone or missing, call 999.





If your child is diagnosed with either measles, shingles or chicken pox please notify the school immediately. We currently have children in school that have suppressed immune systems and cannot be exposed to these illnesses. Thank you for your co-operation.