



Family Newsletter



Friday 25th September 2020

Dates for your Diary

Census Day—Special Menu

Thursday 1st October

Non-Pupil Day

Friday 2nd October 2020

Half Term

W/C Monday 26th October 2020

Message from the Headteacher

It certainly feels like autumn has arrived this week, bringing with it a big change in temperature. Please ensure you child has suitable outdoor PE kit and a coat with them as we will continue to use the outdoor areas as much as possible.

Please ensure that you are continuing to socially distance when on school site, particularly during collection times in the afternoon. It is also important that you do not stay on site to chat to other parents and that you vacate the playground promptly after collecting your child. If parents/carers would like to wear a mask when collecting, as we know this is a busy time of the day, please do so if this makes you feel more comfortable.

I hope you all have a great weekend.

Mrs Jones

Non-Pupil Day

Please be reminded that **Friday 2nd October is a non-pupil day** for all our children. We will return to school on Monday 5th October. During this time, the office will not be open but please do email or leave a message if you would like to speak to someone or have any queries. The new office email is office.gtclacton@dcvst.org

Data Collection Forms

Next week, the office will be sending home the personal details form that we hold on file for your child. This includes contact details, medical information etc. Please ensure you check the details and if any corrections need to be made, either return the form to us by **Friday 16th October** or email the office with the up to date details. Forms can be returned in the black post box outside the front entrance

Any children who do not have at least 3 emergency contact details will receive a phone call to their parent/carer for these as it is imperative that we have a list of people who can be contacted should there be an emergency.

Please also ensure we have your most up to date email and mobile numbers.

After School Club

At Great Clacton we are very fortunate to be able to provide after school club until 4pm, 5pm and 6pm every day. Currently our numbers are not at the level that they were before lockdown. We understand that the current situation may have altered parents working patterns. However if you would like to take advantage of this service, children are arranged into bubbles within the club and all our usual hygiene and safety protocol is followed. If you would like to find out more, please contact the school office, visit our website or book online via School Money.

Photo Permissions

We will be sending home photo permission forms next week with the data collection information. Please return these **by Friday 16th October** so that we have the most up to date permissions for your child.

Dojo Points



30—328

3W— 133

4B— 27

4C— 196

4D— 238

5H—36

5N— 204

5W-31

6I— 30

6W-120

Well done 30 for the most Dojos this week!

FAITH

FORGIVENESS

HOPE

INTEGRITY

LOVE

RESPECT