



ROBY PARK  
PRIMARY SCHOOL

# Mr. Hatton's Newsletter

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## WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL

We have lots to look forward to over the coming weeks in the run up to Christmas. I have attached the diary dates for November and we will be sending home details of our Christmas plans and celebrations by the end of next week.

### Is your child ready to learn?

We have made a wonderful start to the school year but as we start a new half term, I would like to remind pupils and parents of the equipment that is needed to help your child with their learning in school each day. Before you leave home, ask yourself the following questions:

- Have I got my reading book and planner? Has my planner been signed?
- Do I have my PE kit in school?
- Have I completed my homework? If not, have I asked my teacher for help?
- Do I have a water bottle? Drinks of water throughout the day are very important!
- Have I returned any letters or reply slips to my teacher or the school office?
- Is all of my uniform and equipment clearly labelled with my name?
- Am I showing everyone that my attitudes and behaviours to learning are 'green'?



*Having the correct equipment each day and arriving to school on time every day will make a huge difference to your child's progress.*

### Parents' Evening:

Thank you very to all of our parents/carers who attended our Autumn Term Parents' Evening. School staff appreciate the time parents gave to come and discuss their child's targets and progress so far this year. We will be sharing the outcomes of our annual parents' survey in due course and sharing the lovely feedback we received and the actions we will take in response to comments and points for development that were raised by our families.



### After School Clubs:

Our new range of after school clubs begin next week. You will be notified by letter by tomorrow from the member of staff who will run the club if your child has a place at the club. We apologise if anyone misses out on a place at a club but places can only be allocated on a first come, first served basis.



### Poppy Appeal:

Poppies are now available in school for a donation of 20p as part of our Remembrance celebrations. All monies raised will be donated to the Royal British Legion. The Royal British Legion provides help and welfare to the serving and ex-Service community and their families.



### Years 1, 2 and 3 Flu Vaccinations: Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November

Parents of pupils in Years 1, 2 and 3 will have received information that their child will receive the flu vaccination in the form of a nasal spray on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November from 1pm. Thank you for the consent forms we have received so far but if you wish to include your child in the vaccination process, please see Mrs Rothwell in the school office.



### Everton in the Community:

We are very fortunate to have coaches from Everton in the Community coming to work with us for the next half term. The coaches will be providing coaching sessions every Monday afternoon for Years 1 and 5. The coaches are also running an after school club for Years 5 and 6.

### Early Years and KS1 Craft Session:

Ann Curley will be running a mask making session in the school Hall for dads, brothers, uncles or grandads of our Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and 2 pupils on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November at 9am. This provides the chance for the male relatives in our children's lives to come into school and work on something fun with their child. Information has been sent home this week and reply slips need to be returned by tomorrow. We look forward to seeing you all on Monday morning!



### Class Cinema Trips:

During November, each class from Y1 - Y6 will be visiting a local cinema as an extra special treat! The children will be watching age appropriate films which are being used as a stimulus for writing once the children are back in school. As improving writing standards remains a school target this year and the success of last year's visits, school will be covering the cost of the transport for each class and admission to the cinema is free. We hope the children enjoy sharing a cinema experience together and it provides lots of writing opportunities!



### Diary Dates for November:



1 <sup>st</sup> November 2016	School opens at 8.45am
3 <sup>rd</sup> November 2016	Year 5 Swimming continues at 9.15am
3 <sup>rd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup> November 2016	Nursery Phonics Workshops with Mrs Lyon
4 <sup>th</sup> November 2016	Knee High Club 9.00-10.30am in school hall
7 <sup>th</sup> November 2016	Everton in the Community begin working in school
9 <sup>th</sup> November 2016	Years 1,2 and 3 flu vaccinations
9 <sup>th</sup> November 2016	Year 4 Cinema trip to Cineworld, St Helen's
14 <sup>th</sup> November 2016	Anti Bullying Week
15 <sup>th</sup> November 2016	Year 5 Cinema trip to Odeon, Liverpool One
15 <sup>th</sup> November 2016	Year 2 Class Assembly at 2.30pm
15 <sup>th</sup> November 2016	Full Governing Body Meeting at 4.30pm
16 <sup>th</sup> November 2016	Year 3 Cinema trip to Showcase Cinema
18 <sup>th</sup> November 2016	Year 6 Cinema trip to Showcase Cinema
18 <sup>th</sup> November 2016	Children in Need Activities - more information to follow
22 <sup>nd</sup> November 2016	Year 2 Cinema trip to Odeon, Switch Island
23 <sup>rd</sup> November 2016	Year 1 Cinema trip to Cineworld, St Helen's

*Best wishes,  
Mr Hatton*