

Rudham Church of England Primary Academy Newsletter

October 2020



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Dates for the Calendar

Week commencing 28th September: Wellbeing Week. Raffle tickets on sale to win a sweet hamper.

Week commencing 5th October: Art week.

Monday 5th October: Year 1 vision screening. See letter sent via email.

Week commencing 12th October: Harvest Festival week. See details below.

Monday 19th October: School photographer in school during the morning.

Thursday 22nd October: Half term holiday commences.

Monday 2nd November: Return to school after half term.

Week commencing 9th November: Remembrance week. Details to follow.

Thursday 10th December: Flu immunisations in school.

We are delighted to welcome you all back to school. An especially warm welcome to the new children and families who have started in Reception and also some new families who have joined our school in other year groups. Term has started exceptionally well and we are very proud of all our children in their attitude and approach to returning to school. It is lovely to see the children so happy and keen to impress their new teachers with their behaviour and learning attitudes. The children have enjoyed a variety of activities as part of the Recovery Curriculum and we hope to share the work they have been doing with you soon.



Message from our PSA (Parent Support Advisor)

Hello my name is Julie Rose and I am your Parent Support Adviser for; Weasenham, Rudham and Brisley Hope Federation Primary Academy Schools. My role is to support you as parents and carers to help you and your children gain as much as possible from their school life.

Parenting isn't an easy job and at times things can get tough. I will be available to help you deal with any worries or concerns that you may have about your child and to help you tackle any home issues that are making school life really difficult for you and your family. If I cannot help you, I can refer you to specialist agencies or support services if you wish.

I am a registered Occupational Therapist (HCPC) and I also work at Verbatim Therapy based at Pensthorpe near Fakenham. My previous work experience has been involved in supporting children who have additional needs and supporting them to overcome specific barriers to learning within mainstream education. I have supported children and adolescents who have had emotional and traumatic histories and behavioural difficulties.

I will be available each week on Monday mornings and all day Friday during term-time. In the first instance please speak to your Head of School, if you would like any further support and advice from myself.

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**Raffle Tickets are on sale all week.
Winner to be announced on Monday 5th October.**

<https://nelsonsjourney.org.uk/purple-picnic/>

Harvest

As part of our harvest celebrations this year, we will unfortunately be unable to have our annual church service. Instead, each class bubble will record a harvest service showcasing their work which will be shared with parents and families. We will be also collecting food donations for the Trussell Trust foodbank w.b. 12.10.20.

