

THE DANESHOLME DIGEST

27th September
2019

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Message from the Principal



We are having our harvest festival next Friday 4th October and will be collecting donations for Corby foodbank. The foodbank supports individuals and families in crisis by providing a parcel

of food sufficient for three days. The foodbank is particularly asking for the following items this year: UHT milk and tinned meat. Other items they are collecting are breakfast cereals, soup, rice, tinned vegetables, tinned fruit, tea, coffee, sugar, biscuits and snacks. Thank you for your support.

Mrs Rolf

Space centre trip

On Wednesday, Year 5 visited the Space Centre in Leicester. When asked, one of the children quoted "This trip is out of this world".



Triathlon

On Friday 20th September, Year 5 took part in the Tata steel Triathlon. They swam, biked and ran and earned themselves a t-shirt and a medal.

We would like to thank all the parents/carers who came out to support us.



Library Plus

Corby Library are doing a number of craft sessions in the half term holiday. Booking is required at corlib@firstforwellbeing.co.uk

Saturday 26th October – Halloween craft
Wednesday 30th October - Halloween craft

Library Plus are also running after school & weekend clubs:

Drawing Club – Tuesdays 4-5pm

Lego Mindstorm Club – Saturdays – 10am - 11:30am

Lego Storybook – Saturdays 10am – 11:30am
(Booking is required - corlib@firstforwellbeing.co.uk)



LibraryPlus



Family Learning Sessions

Family learning sessions are starting again on a Tuesday from 9am til 11am. For further information, please contact the school office.

ATTENDANCE

Whole school attendance 16th–20th Sept:

Class	Attendance
Delling	98.6%
Asbru	90.7%
Nicor	98.3%
Elli	97.3%
Sol	98.9%
Hermoth	96.5%
Oller	100.0%
Loki	95.0%
Mani	98.7%
Embla	95.9%
Jotnar	94.7%
Asgard	92.5%

Weekly Attendance Update

Our whole school attendance figure for last week was **96.1%**.

The class with the best attendance last week was **Oller** class. Well done!



Our whole school attendance target for 2019-20 is **96%**, in line with the Government's recommendation. Absence in term time can only be authorised in exceptional circumstances and head teachers are not expected to class any term time exceptional. Penalty notices (fines) can be issued as a result of periods of unauthorised or repeated absence.

Welcome



We would like to welcome Miss Sam to Danesholme Junior Academy. Miss Sam is our new teaching assistant working in Year 6.

Lunches

We have had a number of children telling the lunchtime supervisors that they do not like their hot meals

Please remember to order your hot meals before the deadline. Tuesday - in school, or Wednesday - online.

If your child is receiving Free school meals, they are entitled to Free school milk. Please contact the school office for more information or go to the cool milk website;

<https://customers.coolmilk.com/V2/register/>

Reminders

Please ensure your child has their correct PE kit in school.

Year group	PE Day
Year 3	Wednesday, Friday
Year 4	Tuesday, Thursday
Year 5	Tuesday, Thursday
Year 6	Wednesday, Friday

Our uniform supplier is Price Buckland. To order new academy uniform:

www.pbparentsonline.co.uk/danesholmenior

Call: 0115 964 0827

webenquiry@price-buckland.co.uk

Important dates for your diary

27th September – Times table rock star dress up day.

1st October – School photos (All years)

2nd October – Year 5 & 6 Parent pop in – 9am til 9:30am

4th October – Harvest Festival

16th October – Flu vaccinations (All year groups)

24th October – Halloween disco – Year 3 & 4 – 4:30pm til 6pm

24th October – Halloween disco – Year 5 & 6 – 6:15pm til 7:45pm

25th October - Last day of term

4th November – School opens