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Friday 6th October 2023

Parking in China Red

Once again, we find ourselves writing about parents and carers using China Red to park. As everyone is made fully aware when they start at Dunswell, this car park should not be used for drop off and pick up. There are a very small number of people who do use the car park due to different needs and this is agreed. Often people who genuinely need to use the car park find themselves unable to get into the car park as there are so many other users.

We have once again made contact with the Road Safety team at East Riding who are going to look into this matter for us and support us in helping parents understand our great concerns around the use of this car park. In the meantime, please use the Sports Hall car park as we have permission to use this car park and it is much safer for all.



Governors

Dunswell Academy are looking for two Trust governors to fill current positions on the governing board. We currently have a full complement of parent governors, so these positions need to be filled by people who are not currently parents at Dunswell.

If you have any family members or friends who have an interest in the school or the local community and would like to be involved in supporting the school, then please ask them to contact the school office.

Although not a necessity people with a financial, human resources or health and safety background would be really helpful to help complement our current Local Governing Board.



Harvest Festival

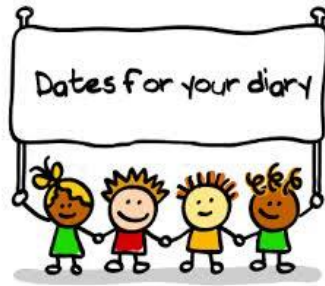
Our school Harvest Festival will take place on Friday 27th October at 9.15am in the Sports Hall. All parents are welcome. We will once again be donating our Harvest Festival collection to the East Yorkshire Foodbank. Please see the attached poster for details of items which are most needed. The foodbank will collect the school donations on the day of the Harvest Festival, so we ask that children only bring them in that day.

Open Evening for September 2024

Please see attached an invite for parents and carers of children who are due to start school in September 2024. Please pass this on to any friends or family who have children that will be starting school in September 2024.

Free School Meals (FSM)

The government are continuing to support families with children who are entitled to FSM during the school holidays. Children in receipt of FSM and who reside in the East Riding will receive an e-Voucher which will be arranged by school. Families who reside in any other local authority will need to contact them directly.



AUTUMN TERM 2023

Wednesday 18th and Thursday 19th October – Autumn Parents' Evening (separate letter sent)

Thursday 26th October – PTA Halloween Disco 5.30pm- 7.00pm at the Sports Hall. **PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF TIME**

Friday 27th October – Harvest Festival at the Sports Hall 9.15am

We strongly recognise the part which parents play in their child's education. We can work together as a partnership to ensure that we all promote high standards of learning, behaviour and attitudes towards school so that all children can be the very best.

Yours sincerely

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Catherine Burrell
Head of School

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Alison Oxtoby
Executive Head Teacher