



Holbrook News



Welcome Back.

Welcome Back! I hope you have had an enjoyable summer. The children have certainly had lots of exciting stories to share! It is lovely to see so many children returning to school, looking so smart in their school uniform. Make sure every item of clothing is named so when your child is changing for PE, any item they misplace can be returned to them easily.

We would like to say a big welcome to our new Reception pupils and their families. Pupils are settling in really well and on Thursday they will be in school for the whole day. We wish all our new families a special Holbrook's welcome, and we hope all enjoy their time at Holbrook School. We look forward to working with you.

Last year we had some excellent feed back about many of the workshops so we have asked staff to offer more this term, covering different aspects of the curriculum. This will give parents a clear idea of what is taught in school and how you can continue to help and support your children at home. I know you will continue to work with us, so your child can grow in confidence, have a love of learning and a determination to be the best person they can be.

Mrs Mc Carthy



Forthcoming Events

Assembly theme—Reading

Monday 9th September	Reception Classes —Until 1pm
Tuesday 10th	Reception —1pm—Remember PE Kits
Wednesday 11th	Reception 1pm
Thursday 12th	Reception—all day 5pm Year 6 Dol-y-Moch Meeting
Friday 13th	Reception—all day

Your week of grace will have passed on Monday so please make sure you have your PE kits in school!

Newsletter Date: 6 September 2019

After School Club.

The sign up for after school clubs has gone online on our school Facebook account, twitter feed, and the school website - www.holbrookprimary.com

Places will be allocated by Mr Connolly and letters to all applicants will be sent home to inform you which clubs your child has got on.



THE NUMBER ONE BESTSELLING AUTHOR GRESSIDA COWELL

Coventry Cathedral is hosting an evening to meet How to Train Your Dragon creator and Cressida Cowell on September 17th at 6pm.

Tickets are available online for £5 or £15 which includes a signed first edition copy of her book!

<https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/cressidacowellincoventry>





Indoor Shoes.

We expect all pupils to remove outdoor shoes as they enter the school. This keeps the floors clean and means that money is spent on buying resources to support learning rather than replacing worn and dirty carpets.

We expect all children to have a pair of indoor shoes. This protects their feet and if we ever do have to evacuate the building for any reason, they have protection for their feet!

Year 6 Secondary School Applications

The deadline for all applications is

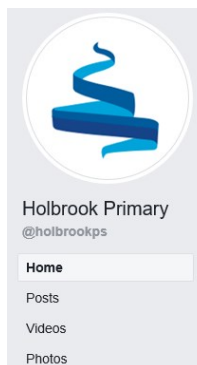
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Over the next few weeks secondary schools will be holding open days so you can visit before making your online application.

School	Date	Time
Eden Girls' School	Tuesday 1 October 2019	4.30pm – 7pm
Foxford Community School	Monday 23 September 2019	6pm – 8pm
Grace Academy Coventry	Monday 23 September 2019	4pm – 6pm
Lyng Hall School and Specialist Sports College	Tuesday 17 September 2019	6pm – 8pm
President Kennedy School	Tuesday 24 September 2019	4pm – 8pm
Sidney Stringer Academy	Thursday 19 September 2019	5.30pm – 7:30pm

On the council website it says, '... we are expecting a higher number of applicants...' so make sure you get your application in. Mrs Lama and Miss Smith are around if you need any help.

https://www.coventry.gov.uk/info/148/school_admissions/120/secondary_school_admissions/3



School Facebook

Over the last year, Mr Connolly and Mrs Henry have been posting on the school Facebook page - Newsletters, Information and helpful links. A few parents and careers have found and like our page so will get these post in their news feeds. After a year of getting ready we are now ready to share this with the wider school community.

<https://www.facebook.com/holbrookps/>

So if you are on Facebook please find our page and like us and you too can get our posts automatically.

Breakfast Club



It is great that we have so many pupils coming to our breakfast club, in fact it is close to being full!



If you need your child to attend please see Mrs McGregor so we can make sure we have space for them and don't just send them in!

Attendance

Next week the learning mentors will be using the blue paper to send out letters about poor attendance. Don't ignore it! if you need help please come into school and see Mr Potter, Mrs McGregor or Miss Smith as ignoring these letters could ultimately result in a fine.

