



Anderston Primary School

October 2022

Safe

Honesty

Respect

Healthy

Teamwork



Dear Parents/Carers,

I cannot believe that we only have one week until we finish for the October week - I think there is definitely some truth that 'Time speeds up with Age!!!!' It has been a busy and productive term. We have had a number of new families join us at Anderston Primary and I am very proud of our children who have made the young people who have come to our school feel very welcomed. You should be very proud of your children too.

I am very aware that Seesaw has changed communication between school and home. We are using class and school blogs to communicate what is happening in individual classes as well as whole school events. Instead of putting out monthly newsletters, I will send out periodic newsletters to keep you updated of forthcoming events as well as any specific points that need to be addressed. There are a few general points that I would like to raise below.

HEAD LICE



Once again, these little bugs have returned to Anderston Primary. We need **everyone** to take time each week to do a thorough head lice check and treat hair accordingly. If you require any information, please contact the nurse at your registered doctor's surgery or speak with the local pharmacy.

WE ARE A NUT FREE SCHOOL.

As we have a number of children in school with severe food allergies, please could we remind all parents that school premises are NUT FREE and no products containing nuts should be brought into school grounds?

If children are bringing a packed lunch to school it is important that there are no products in the lunch box that contain nuts.



PRE LOVED UNIFORM

If your child has outgrown their uniform and it is still in good condition, we would appreciate it if you could donate this to the school. Thank you.

Communication

A reminder that if you need any information about the school, please look at our thinglink which hopefully should have all the information. However, please contact the school if you want anything clarified.

<https://www.thinglink.com/scene/1583237649584357379>



Thank you to everyone who supported the Fun Day on Saturday. It was very well attended and we were very lucky with the weather. It was great to be able to see so many families coming together after such a long time - it was September 2019 when we had our last Fun Day!! We raised over £1100 which will all go back to the children. We already have plans in place for our Christmas fun events. Thank you again.

The following dates are up to the Christmas break. However, there may very well be additional last-minute events which are not included. I will let you know if this happens.

Day and Date	Event	Venue	Information
Tues 11 th October	P5B visit	People's Palace - AM	Visit to reinforce what has been learned in class
Friday 14 th October	In Service Day		Only teachers in school
Frid 14 th Oct - Frid 21 st Oct (Inclusive)	October Break		Children return Monday 24 th October
Mon 31 st October	Fancy Dress Parade and Parties	School Hall / Classrooms	More information to follow
11 th November	Non Uniform Day	School	Children bring in a tin/packet for our Tombola at Christmas Market
14 th - 20 th November	Book Week		
18 th November	Non Uniform Day	School	Children bring in a bottle for our Tombola at Christmas Market
25 th November	Non Uniform Day	School	Children bring in sweets for our Sweet Stall at Christmas Market
2 nd December	Non-uniform day	School	Children bring in wrapped gift for our Lucky dip stall at Christmas Market
9 th December	Christmas Market	School Playground/Hall	More Information to follow
9 th December	Childsmile Programme	School	P1 - 4 only

15 th December	Flu Vaccination Programme	School	All pupils who have returned consent form will be given flu vaccination.
16 th December AM	Christmas Café	School Hall	More information to follow
16 th December PM	Nativity	School Hall	More information to follow
w/b 19 th December	School Parties	Hall / Class	More information to follow
22 nd December	Whole school event	AM	More information to follow
22 nd December	School closes 2.30pm		Return to school Wednesday 4 th January 2023