

## Llantilio Pertholey Church in Wales Primary

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am sure that you have concerns about the unprecedented hot weather on Monday and Tuesday next week. It is essential that we keep the children safe. This morning I was in discussions with the Chief Officer and headteachers across Wales. We discussed the possibility of home-learning but all took the decision that this was not necessary. Rest-assured children's safety is paramount and they will not be in the sun for long periods at school. We will let them have a short playtime and then 5-10 minutes at lunchtime. We will keep them in for the rest of the day. Children can wear shorts with their school tops. Please ensure that they come to

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school with sun cream applied. Also, children should bring a sun hat and a full water bottle. We have cooled water available for them to replenish their water bottles. Most of the classrooms are shaded during the day. I have purchased cooling fans for the classrooms.

Please see our Sun Safe Policy: 671c34 fe59c688214a464b9a8cebf1c17f5b3d.pdf (llantiliopertholeycv.monmouthshire.sch.uk)

### **RSE**

We have had a number of parents enquiring about the new Relationships and Sex Education (RSE) Code. I understand that this can cause some anxieties for some parents. Please be assured that conversations and questions are dealt with sensitively and lessons and topics are age-appropriate. Please have a look at the guidance on these pages. On our school website. RELATIONSHIPS AND SEX EDUCATION | Lpps (llantiliopertholeycv.monmouthshire.sch.uk)

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

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### Universal Free School Meals

From September 2022 children in Reception, Year one and Year two in this school will automatically get free school meals.

By 2024 all primary school children in state schools in Wales will get free school meals.

If you receive any of the benefits outlined below, you should register for a free school meal through your school or Local Authority as you may be entitled to *grants such as school uniform and PE kits*.

# It is so important that you register, we may also get additional money which can be spent on supporting learning in our school.

Qualifying benefits include:

Income Support

income-based Jobseeker's Allowance

income-related Employment and Support Allowance

support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999

the guaranteed element of Pension Credit

Child Tax Credit (provided not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)

Working Tax Credit run-on - paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit

Universal Credit - if you apply on or after 1 April 2018 your household income must be less than £7,400 a year (after tax and not including any benefits you get)

Children who get paid these benefits directly, instead of through a parent or guardian, can also get free school meals.

#### How to register

If you are in receipt of any of the benefits listed above, you can register for free school meals <a href="Free School Meals">Free School Meals</a> & Uniform Grant - Monmouthshire

If you have an older child in primary school who already receives a free school meal, they will continue to do so.

If you have already applied for Free School Meals you do not need to reapply.

There is more information on our school website. SCHOOL MEALS AND FREE SCHOOL MEALS (llantiliopertholeycv.monmouthshire.sch.uk)

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A big thank you to the PTFA for organising the end of term disco. A great time was had by all!

### Shhhhh!!!!!

Mrs Pugh is sadly leaving us next week. Mrs Pugh has worked at our school for many years. If you would like to make a small donation by end of the day on Wednesday 20th July please do so via ParentPay and we will buy her some flowers and a gift on your behalf.

As always thank you for your continuing support.

**God Bless** 



Helen King (Headteacher)

### **Dates for Your Diary**

18th July: Year 4 & Y5 Swimming

20th July: 2pm Year 6 Leavers' Assembly & Afternoon Tea (Year 6 Parents invited)

20th July: Year 6 5pm-7pm Fun on the

Field!!

21st July: Uniform Swap—From 2pm In School Hall (Donations in by the morning of 21st July please)

22nd July: End of Summer Term

2nd September: Training Day

5th September: Reception & Year 6 only

(Y1-Y5 online learning)

6th September: All children in school

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