



'Start children off on the way they should go, and even when they are old they will not turn from it.' Proverbs 22:6

12th September 2024

Next Week

Tomorrow – No Celebration Assembly
Junior PE lessons

Tues 17th Sep - Infant PE lessons
Young Voices (3.30 – 4.30pm)
Lincoln Castle Academy Open Evening
Full Governors Meeting

Wed 18th Sep – Secondary Transfer Information Meeting for parents (6.30pm – virtual)

Thur 19th Sep – Piano and Guitar lessons
Junior PE lessons

Fri 20th Sep - No Celebration Assembly
Junior PE lessons

Secondary School Transfer

A letter will be sent home tomorrow ([copy available by clicking here](#)) regarding applications for places in Year 7 at Secondary schools for children currently in Year 6.

Parents of pupils in Years 5 and 6 may be interested in Open Evening events being held at local secondary schools. The following are ones that we have been made aware of – there will no doubt be others that you might like to investigate.

Lincoln Castle Academy – 17th September (5-7pm)
William Farr School – 26th September (6-8pm)
De Aston School – 25th September (6–8pm)

To help parents navigate the system for applying for a secondary school place, there will be a virtual presentation on Wednesday 18th September at 6.30pm when we will share our experience of the process.

[Please click here to join the meeting using Google Meet.](#)

Letters, Permissions and Communications with School

Most communications will be sent to you by email or text. We also use online forms where possible for consents and surveys. All recent letters and our weekly newsletter will be available on the school website as well as forms that usually would have been sent to you in paper form.

We would be grateful if you could complete our [data protection and global permission form](#) confirming your agreement for how your details are used and to allow your child to use the internet and take part in local activities for example walking to the church. Please [click here](#) to complete yours. A separate form is required for each of your children. The school's privacy notice can be viewed by [clicking here](#).

Last week, in a named envelope, we have sent student update forms for you to check, edit and return to us. Please ensure you check this carefully – it is these details that will **overwrite** all other systems (including email and text) when forms are returned. Please return the forms by tomorrow (13th September) even if there are no changes to make.

Residential Visit to Boggle Hole

On 24th September after school there is a meeting for Year 5/6 pupils and parents about the forthcoming visit to Boggle Hole. We'll be writing to you with full details of the final arrangements very soon. In the meantime, please have a look at the kit list in case there is anything you may need to source/borrow before we go ([click here](#)). A case with wheels will be an essential.

Scamps Club

Scamps continues to offer a vital childcare service to families at the school. This is a safe and fun environment, before school from 7.15am and after school until 5.30pm.

Scamps operates an online registration, booking and payment system. We strongly suggest that you get your child registered and bookmark the site for when you need it. [Click here](#) to access the site and register

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your child. Please note that the only way to cancel a booking is by contacting Scamps to do so (scamps@scampton.lincs.sch.uk or send a text to 07821134400). As the amount of staffing is determined based on the number of children booked in, you may be charged should your child not attend and your booking not cancelled.

School Meals

Menus and orders for this term can be made by [clicking here](#). The cut off for meal ordering is 10am on the Thursday of the week before meals are required. All infant pupils are eligible for a free meal each day. Please be aware that if you order a meal yet choose to send a pack up on that day without cancelling, [the school](#) is paying for a meal that goes to waste – money that could be better used elsewhere.

Keeping in touch

Our weekly newsletters will continue to be emailed to you every Thursday (and available on the school website). Any letters that have been sent home can always be found on the 'recent letters' section of the website too. Please feel free to phone or email us when you need to. We'll be holding parent teacher consultations later this term. More details to follow.

Young Voices

Our first Young Voices practice will be on Tuesday 17th September after school. Please see below about how junior pupils can join in.

The Young Voices Concert that we are registered for is on Friday 10th January 2025 in the evening.

[Click here](#) for full details of the event and how to buy audience tickets and T Shirts. These orders must be placed by 23rd September.

Children who are going to be in the Young Voices choir need to regularly attend the weekly choir practice so that they know the songs and dances for the show.

VERY IMPORTANT – If you would like your child to be in the choir and also require audience tickets – order form, payment and consent must be received by 23rd September. **PLEASE READ THIS LETTER** ([CLICK HERE](#)) FOR DETAILS.

CAR WINDOW STICKERS



Have you displayed your window sticker yet?

We have a wonderful school but not everyone knows we are here! We want to raise awareness that Scampton has an amazing school that is here for everyone and we would love to get this message around. Just think... if everyone displayed their sticker in their car – as we all drive around the area, park on the street and in car parks, just how much attention that will get. Spread the word and your school will flourish!

For best results, stick to the inside of your rear window, applying the red side of the sticker to the glass.

The stickers are designed not to damage the glass or leave any sticky residue. If they don't stick at first, dampen them very slightly and reapply.

We have plenty more stickers in school – just ask!

Church Services and events

Please [click here](#) to see the rota of services for this month in the Springline Parish.

Trophies

If your child was awarded a trophy at the Leavers' Service at the end of last term, we hope it has been enjoyed with pride. We ask however that it is now returned so that it can be displayed in school to motivate and inspire potential recipients for next year.

Data Protection Officer

The Governing Body is seeking someone who could be our named Data Protection Officer. This is a voluntary role that requires the appointed person to monitor how the school manages personal information. Please speak with Mr Hebborn if this is something you feel you could help with.

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FOSS

The first FOSS meeting for this year will be held at 6pm on 23rd September. This is a great opportunity for any parent or friend to get involved with the life of the school. FOSS is an informal and friendly group of adults who together arrange events and fundraisers that bring together our families and benefit all our children.

Our first meeting of the year will discuss ideas for events to take place over the course of this year. New ideas always welcome!

Dates for your diary

14th September – 11+ Tests at QEHS
18th Sep – Secondary Transfer Mtg (6.30pm virtual)
21st September – Second 11+ tests at QEHS
24th Sep - Res Visit meeting (3.30pm)
30th September – Little Bear Cubs
2nd – 4th Oct - Y5/6 Residential Visit
9th October - Fluenz Vaccine
16th October - Individual School Photos
17th October - Harvest Festival (9.30am)
18th October - Break up for Half Term
29th October - Children return to school
Wb4th Nov - Parent/Teacher Consultations (TBC)
30th November - Scampton Christmas Fair
16th December – Nativity (afternoon performance)
17th December – Nativity (morning performance)
18th December – Pantomime Visit
19th December - Children break up for Christmas

Fluenz Vaccine

The school nursing team will be coming to school on Wednesday 9th October to administer the fluenz vaccine. This will be for all pupils (including those joining us in September).

Currently, only 46% of parents have completed the consent form.

This vaccination is recommended to help protect your child against flu. Flu can be an unpleasant illness and sometimes causes serious complications. Vaccinating your child will also help protect more vulnerable family and friends by preventing the spread of flu.

Please click on the following link to complete this online consent form ([click here](#)) for your child(ren):

Please complete at your earliest convenience as the online system for your school will be closed prior to the visit to allow for essential administration to take place.

You will need to enter the following code to ensure the completed form can be correctly allocated to the school (SCAMPTON CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL): EE120585

All schools will be visited on two occasions prior to the end of term in December.

Should we not be able to vaccinate your child(ren) in school alternative arrangements will be made and communicated to you.

The vaccination is free and is a quick and simple spray up the nose. This vaccine is a yearly vaccine.

If you have any queries, please contact the School Aged Immunisation Service on 01522 572950 (8.30am – 4.30pm Mon – Fri)

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