



'Together, with the love and joy of God, we will discover, develop & maximise our unique potential.'

Dear Parents,

Thursday 16th May 2024

Information Letter 3–Summer Term 2024

New Library

What a wonderful morning Friday 3rd May was! One our pupils and school community will not forget. Staff, pupils and special guests enjoyed a visit from MP Nigel Huddleston. He toured the school, met the children and officially opened the library. Many thanks to Ms Szabo for taking beautiful photographs of the event, including the magnificent celebration cake made by Mrs Fincher and the cutting of the grand opening ribbon. Please see the *latest news* section on the school website. Today, I was pleased to receive correspondence from Nigel Huddleston and this can be seen at the end of this letter.

Library Opening Times

A reminder that the library is open daily 8.45-9am for pupils and parents. Mondays for Reception, Tuesdays Year 1, Wednesdays Year 2, Thursdays Year 3 & 4 and Fridays Year 5 & 6 pupils.

Curriculum Enrichment

Once again, the enhancements to the NJK curriculum have been very much enjoyed by our pupils. On Wednesday, our Year 4 Class took to the river and enjoyed a day of bell-boating. Last week, Oak Class experienced life in the past with their visit to the Black Country Museum. This weekend, our Year 6 pupils are travelling to France to stay in a château. They will visit the Bayeux Tapestry, the town of Honfleur and Falaise Castle plus many other exciting places.

Pupil Leaders

We will be beginning the process of selecting our Head Pupils very soon. These pupils will represent the school when they are in Year 6, visiting other schools and taking part in meetings with the trust. The staff will use the set criteria to make a shortlist from our current Year 5 class and in July Mrs Barnett our Chair of Governors will formally interview these pupils. We are aiming to recruit up to 4 pupils to be Head Pupils and Deputy Head Pupils.

Kind regards

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Mrs J Dean
Headteacher





Nigel Huddleston MP

Member of Parliament for Mid Worcestershire



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Mrs Julia Dean
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15 May 2024

Dear Julia

I wanted to extend my very warm thanks to both you and Sarah for hosting me and my team during the visit to Norton Juxta Kempsey Church of England school on 3rd May. It was an honour to officially open your wonderful new library, and to have the opportunity of seeing so many classes in progress and meeting such a wide range of students, teachers, and other staff and governors.

The school is a really impressive example of a thriving primary school and it's very clear to see the happy children learning in a light and bright environment, enhanced by the provision of a comprehensive and growing library, as well as your inspiring new sensory garden.

Could you please extend my thanks to all of the class teachers who welcomed me in to their classrooms, as well as your wonderful supporters, governors and PTFA who took the time and trouble to join the morning and provide hospitality, and in particular the lady who made the outstanding cake.

I would be grateful if you could also kindly pass on the letters enclosed to Willow who wrote the letter to the Prime Minister, and to Adam who drew the beautiful picture of me opening the library.

I hope to have the opportunity to visit you again in the not-too-distant future.

With warm regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Nigel Huddleston'.

