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Dear Parent

PARENTPAY & ONLINE LUNCH ORDERING

Please can we remind parents that they have just before midnight **TONIGHT** to order their child's lunches for next week, (week commencing 3 February). Please note, if you have not booked your child's lunches for the following week, you will have to provide them with a packed lunch. Many thanks for your cooperation.

LUNCHTIME ASSISTANT VACANCY

Can we thank everyone for the interest they have shown in this vacancy. We have been inundated with requests and we simply cannot invite all of you for an interview so please find below essential and desirable criteria for the role, if you fulfil the criteria and still want an application form please contact the office.

- 1) Excellent spoken & written English - **ESSENTIAL**
- 2) Excellent communication skills - desirable
- 3) Previous experience of working in a school environment - desirable
- 4) First Aid certificate – desirable
- 5) Proven experience of working as part of a team - desirable

READING BUDDIES

Do you want to help your child to improve their reading skills?

We are holding a parents/carers meeting regarding a new online reading programme called *Reading Buddies*. Please come along to a quick meeting this Friday 31 January at 2.45pm in the school hall.

LATE COLLECTION OF CHILDREN

We have a few children whose parents are consistently late in collecting them from school so we are giving fair warning to parents that this is not acceptable and we are to start sending children to a classroom with a member of staff who will be paid to stay

behind, the cost to parents will be £5. This will be implemented for those parents who are late more than 3 times in any one term. Of course we do accept that parents are held up in traffic etc on occasions which is why we will be lenient for the first couple of occasions. We hope we never have to resort to charging, 99% of children are collected on time but the number of children collected late is creeping up and we have no choice but to address it. We thank you for your cooperation with this matter.

RECEPTION CLASSES SPARE BOYS UNIFORM

If you have any spare boys' trousers ages 5-6, please could you bring it into school. Thank you.

SING TOGETHER CONCERT

Please note that for those children who are taking part in the sing together concert this is taking place on Monday 9 March 2020 and not Monday 7 March as stated in the original letter. The children will have a rehearsal at King Georges Hall at 2pm and will stay at the venue until the concert. The concert starts at 6pm and will end at 7.10pm. Children can bring a packed lunch for tea or a snack if they wish. If parents are not coming to watch, they can collect their children at 7.10pm from King Georges Hall. Tickets are now available to buy from King Georges Hall. Please log on to ParentPay to give your consent. Thank you.

CHILDREN'S UNIVERSITY MUSEUM ACTIVITY

Please note this is taking place THIS Saturday 1 February. If your child has signed up, please ensure you know what time they should arrive. Do not forget to bring their Children's University passport. If you have any questions, please contact Sara Burton on 07805929965.



CHILDREN'S UNIVERSITY CADBURY WORLD TRIP

For those who have signed up for this a final details letter will be going out next week (the week before the trip). Please make sure you look out for this.

HALF TERM ACTIVITIES

Letters will be going out today via the School App and email detailing the activities available during half term. Please note places are limited and will be offered on a first come first serve basis. Activities will go live on ParentPay at 8am tomorrow (Wednesday 29 January).

HEALTH HUB LAUNCH AT BLACKBURN LIBRARY – FAMILY DAY

On Saturday 8 February Blackburn Library are offering a range of activities for all ages including simulations suits, Wii games, treasure hunts, quizzes, balance testing and much more. Pop in anytime between 10am and 1.45pm. If your child attends and is a member of Children's University, please remember to pick up a slip and hand this into school with their CU passport to collect a stamp.

CREDIT UNION

This is a non-profit organisation controlled by its own members and offers great rates of interest and low cost loans. A member of Credit Union is in school every Friday morning from 8.30am – 8.50am for anyone who wants to open an account and of course for existing members. Application forms are available to collect from the main office.