



*Finchingfield St John the Baptist C of E  
Primary Academy  
Newsletter* Date: 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2020

**We grow healthy bodies, loving hearts and inquisitive minds at  
Finchingfield: living 'life in all its fullness' John 10:10**

**Our Christian Values: Reverence Compassion Friendship Peace  
Koinonia Endurance**

Dear Parents/Carers,

Attached to this Newsletter are the information booklets I mentioned last week. They should provide you with an insight into how different areas are currently working and provide some information on topics being covered. Thank you to the teachers for their hard work creating the information handbooks.

Thank you to everyone who has been wearing a mask for collection and drop off, it all helps with keeping the school open and the children learning.

I am hoping to be able to offer Parents Consultations this term, the week commencing 9<sup>th</sup> November. I am unsure exactly what these will look like and may need to adapt plans closer to the week to reflect the circumstances and guidance at the time. I will keep you informed over the next few weeks.

A couple of reminders this week;

You will have received information about registering for Flu Vaccinations. Please make sure you follow the information provided. It is all electronic, wherever possible, this year. If you require any assistance please get in contact via [office@finchingfield.essex.sch.uk](mailto:office@finchingfield.essex.sch.uk) or 01371 810423.

At school, we are develop our procedures and systems and will be making some changes to our communication and payment systems. After October Half term, from 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2020, we will be using a system called ParentPay. Some of you may be familiar with this system from children at other schools. We will provide further information over the next few weeks to ensure you have all the details before we go live in November.

Wishing you a lovely weekend.

*Miss M Raymond*

**Attendance:**

This week: 98%

School Target: 95%

**Key Dates:**

Mon 12<sup>th</sup> Oct – Flu vaccines

Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> Oct – INSET day

Mon 9<sup>th</sup> Nov-Fri 13<sup>th</sup> Nov Provisional dates  
for Parent Consultations

**Half Term:**

Mon 26<sup>th</sup> Oct – Fri 30<sup>th</sup> Oct

**Christmas Break:**

Mon 21<sup>st</sup> Dec – Fri 1<sup>st</sup> Jan (Mon  
4<sup>th</sup> Jan – INSET day)

This week's Proud Cloud: Class 1



Star of the week



House Points

This week's house points across the school:

Ruby: 82  
Sapphire: 79  
Emerald: 72

House points so far this term:

Ruby: 340  
Sapphire: 285  
Emerald: 250

Class Champions

