

15th January 2016 – Weekly Newsletter – We are a Rights Respecting School

Dear parents and carers

In 1989 world leaders agreed a set of promises to ensure all children are fed, vaccinated, educated and protected. This is known as the Convention of the Rights of the Child (CRC). It has inspired amendments in laws to protect children and has changed the way organisations work around the world especially during times of conflict and emergencies.

At Cockton Hill Infants' School we are helping children learn about their Rights and how to respect the Rights of all children. They do this by thinking about their own behaviour and actions and how they affect others.

What are we doing at the moment?

As we are working towards re-accreditation of the UNICEF Rights Respecting School level 1 Award, the children are learning about some of the Articles (Rights) from the CRC. They do this as part of the curriculum in their classes, through whole school assemblies and it forms part of daily life in school. Children from our Rights Respecting School Council have also chosen a Right for each year group to focus on:

- Yr 2 are working on the Right to be safe.
- Yr1 are working on the Right to come to school.
- Early Years are working on the Right to Play.

Each class is busy creating their own Class Charter to highlight some of the Rights and how both children and adults will respect them.

Posters have been displayed around school to remind us about the rights.

Our Rights Respecting School Council help to ensure classes are learning about the Rights and that the Articles are on displays.

What else is going to be happening to support our work on Children's Rights?

Each class is going to have a Rights Respecting teddy bear for children to take turns to bring home for the night. Your child will be able to help the bear enjoy a Right eg to play or to have a healthy meal. Drawings, writing or photos could be sent back into school to be shared with others.

We are taking part in UNICEF's Day for Change where we are collecting small change. Our challenge is to collect as much money as possible by the middle of May when it will be sent off to UNICEF to be used to help children across the world who may not be enjoying their Rights due to war or disasters. If you would like to contribute, you can send in any loose change starting next <u>Monday 18th</u> <u>January</u>.

If you are interested to find out more about the work UNICEF does please visit www.UNICEF.org

Thank you for your continued support.

Congratulations to this week's achievers:		Attendance			. ,
Class 1 - Annalise - C'jay - Callum Class 3 - Lilly - Olivia-Grace	Class 2 - Blake - Grace - Olivia Class 4 - Olly-Ray - Briar-Rose	Week ending 08.01.2016 Class with best attendance: Class 4 – 98% 150 out of 161 pupils had 100% attendance that week! This is excellent – sticker for you all!			
- Kieran - Kaitlyn Class 5 - Maddison Class 6 - Charlie - Cole - Tegan - Molly - Emily Eco-award goes to: Class 6		Mathletics - Bronze AwardsKahlan - Cl 1Lilly - Cl 3Lola - Cl 3Scarlett - Cl 3Luca - Cl 3Libby - Cl 4Alicia - Cl 5Charlie -Cl 5Lydia - Cl 5			
Walking award goes to: Class 6		Jessica - Cl 6	Tegan - Cl 6		

Anne Graham (Headteacher) and Deborah Reeve (Rights Respecting School Co-ordinator)

Actogether better	FRIDAY	Salmon Fish Fingers Chips Peas S Baked Beans	Tomato and Basil Pasta AV Garlic Bread Peas S Salad Selection S	Chocolate Brownie A Fruit S Yoghurt	
arn Well	THURSDAY	Spaghetti Bolognese △ Green Beans S Sweetcorn S	Macaroni Cheese AV Green Beans S Salad Selection S	Peach Cornflake Tart A with Custard Fruit S Yoghurt	ADDATE ADDATE ADDATE Seafood with this mark comes from a fishery that has been independently certified to the MSC's standard for a well-managed and sustainable fishery
Eat Well, Learn Well	WEDNESDAY	Roast Turkey with Gravy A Creamed Potatoes S Creamed Swede and Carrot S Broccoli S	Vegemince and Spinach Lasagne AV Broccoli S	Iced Marble Sponge A Fruit S Yoghurt	CENTIFIC BRONZE SUSTAINABLE SUSTAINABLE SUSTAINABLE SUSTAINABLE SUSTAINABLE SUSTAINABLE MUSC MUSC MUSC MUSC MUSC MUSC MUSC MUSC
Toulor Show Seeing Food differently	THESDAY	Minced Pork Cobbler A Creamed Potatoes S Carrots S Cauliflower S	Cheese Omelette V New Potatoes S Carrots S Salad Selection S	Custard Cream A and Milk Fruit S Yoghurt	 A - Homemade / S - Seasonal / Y Vegetarian Drinking water will be served with every meal. A selection of bread will be available on a daily basis. Fmail: caterers@taylorshaw.com Web: www.taylorshaw.com
Tou	MONDAY	Corned Beef Pie with Gravy Creamed Potatoes S Broccoli S Sweetcorn S	Butternut Squash and Cauliflower Curry AV Wholegrain Rice Broccoli S Sweetcorn S	Oaty Fruit Crunch A with Custard Fruit S Yoghurt	 A - Homemade / S - Seasonal / Y Vegetarian A - Homemade / S - Seasonal / Y Vegetarian Drinking water will be served with every meal. A selection of b will be available on a daily basis. Fmail: caterers@taylorshaw.com Web: www.taylorshaw.com