

Governors voluntarily working on your behalf to ensure all aspects of the school's work are effective and compliant.

Chair: Mrs C Barclay

Vice Chair: Mr T Watson

Local Authority: Mrs P Spoors

Co-opted: Mrs J Winn, Mr M Grinstead, Mrs W Fickling

Parent: Mrs K Bailey, Mrs A Spencer, Mrs C Williams

Staff: Mrs J Henry, Mrs A M Boyd

You may contact any governor via the school. **Complaints in the first instance are to be communicated to the headteacher Mrs Boyd.**

Autumn Term 1a

News

25.09.20

News is through e mail, facebook and website – please make sure we have your e mail address.

ATTENDANCE 25.09.20

WHOLE SCHOOL

96.42 %

Well done!

Shotton Hall Primary School

Working together to

SHINE

**Successful, Happy, Inspired
and Nurtured towards
Excellence**

Headteacher: Mrs A.M. Boyd

Deputy Headteacher: Mrs J Bowmaker

Assistant Headteachers: Mrs S. Sands, Ms E. Metcalfe

Behaviour, Attendance and Safeguarding

Officer: Mr K. Morgan

SENCO/Pastoral: Mrs J. Bowmaker

Site Manager: Mrs W. Fickling

School Business Manager: Mrs J. Johnson



SAFEGUARDING: FIRST CONTACT: If you have a concern about a child or young person First Contact has made it easy for you to get in touch with them. You can contact them using the following: Telephone: 03000 26 79 79, E-mail: scd@durham.gov.uk. Website: www.durham.gov.uk/.../firstcontact

Dear Parents and Carers,

Please can you remember to keep 2 metres apart on the school premises when waiting for your children. Also keep your children by you so they don't run around others. Thank you. Staff have politely requested that when you speak with them you maintain a 2 metre distance. You may find some staff wearing masks as a personal preference. Feel free to wear your masks on site.

Please remember that if you are bringing your dog up to the Passfield Way concourse to collect your children they **must** be on a lead. Dogs are not allowed on the school site this includes being carried, inside coats or in bags. Thank you.

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS: Tempest Photography will be in school on Monday 28th September to take single photographs. There will not be any family photos this year. This is a decision made by the company not the school.

SCHOOL MEALS: Just a reminder you need to contact the office to give **2 WEEKS NOTICE** if you wish to change your child's meal arrangements from school meals to packed lunch or vice versa.

PHONICS SCREENING CHECK Year 1 and 2: Cancellation of the phonics screening check in June 2020 means all current Year 2 pupils will sit the test in December 2020.

Year 2 pupils who meet the expected standard in phonics in the Autumn check will not be required to complete any further statutory assessments in Phonics. Year 2 pupils who do not meet the expected standard in the Autumn check will be expected to take the statutory check in June 2021, alongside Year 1 pupils. All children are receiving daily phonics lessons and intervention where needed. Please contact your child's class teacher via Class Dojo if you require any further information.

VACANCY: There will be two vacancies for Parent Governors from 21st March 2021. All parents other than those employed at the school for more than 500 hours per year or who are elected members of the Local Authority (LA) are eligible to stand for election.

This includes:

- Parents of children attending nursery either full or part time
- Any person who is not the natural parent but has parental responsibility for or who has care of a pupil registered at the school (Education Act 1996, Section 576)

If you are interested in becoming a Governor, please contact our Business Manager Mrs. Johnson for a nomination form.

The completed and duly signed nomination form should be returned to school by 2.10.20.

CONTACT DETAILS: Please ensure we have your up to date contact details. In the event that your child becomes ill, we need to be able to contact you immediately. Also please provide the office with your email address if we do not already have it. Thank you.

Dates For Your Diary

This diary is given in good faith to enable you to set your own diaries. There may be some changes beyond our control and we will communicate this through text or via the newsletter. There may also be additional events which we will inform you of as they occur. Please make sure we have your up to date phone number and e mail.

Date	Day	Class/year	Event	Information
28.09.20	MONDAY	WHOLE SCHOOL	SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS	INDIVIDUAL, NO SIBLINGS
19.10.20	MONDAY	YR – Y6	NASAL FLU IMMUNISATIONS	FOR THOSE WHO HAVE GIVEN CONSENT

Holiday dates for the school year

Friday 23rd October 2020	Last day of school before half term
Monday 2 nd November 2020	School reopens for term 1b
Thursday 17th December 2020	Last day of school before Christmas holidays
Friday 18 th December 2020	School closed for PD day
Tuesday 5th January 2021	School reopens for term 2a
Friday 12 th February 2021	Last day of school before half term
Monday 22nd February 2021	School closed for PD day
Tuesday 23 rd February 2021	School reopens for term 2b
Friday 26th March 2021	Last day of school before Easter holidays
Monday 12 th April 2021	School reopens for term 3a
Monday 3rd May 2021	School closed for Bank Holiday Monday
Friday 28 th May 2021	Last day of school before half term week
Monday 7th June 2021	School reopens for term 3b
Tuesday 20 th July 2021	Last day of school before Summer holidays



Attendance
 Yellow – STM 97.80%
 Green – SDA 96.98%
 Red – QEII 96.73
 Blue – NA 92.38%

CLASS 1	CLASS 2	CLASS 3	CLASS 4	CLASS 5	CLASS 6	CLASS 7	CLASS 8	CLASS 10	CLASS 11	CLASS 12
100%	98.15%	99.05%	97.04%	87.63%	98.96%	94.29%	95.33%	96.68%	94.71%	98.80%
WINNERS!										WINNERS!

Certificates

RESILIENT: Galen W C1, Thomas P C3

REFLECTIVE: Oliver S C4, Heidi S C5, Olivia W C8, Charlie G C10

RESOURCEFUL: Charlie E C6, Millie D C12

RESPECTFUL: Grace A C2, Tilly E C7, Zoe W C11

BIRTHDAYS: Ella T C2 age 5, Sophia N C5 age 7, Logan T C5 age 7, HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

