



Newsletter

Monday 25th September 2023



Harvest Service: Friday 29th September

Families and Friends are welcome to join us this Friday in Church at 9.15am for our Harvest Thanksgiving Service.

Donations of Harvest Gifts would be gratefully received. This year, Harvest Gifts will be donated to the YMCA, North Staffordshire <https://ymcans.org.uk/>
The YMCA would particularly welcome:

- * Fresh fruit & vegetables
- * Tinned & packaged food
- * Toiletries

Donations can be brought into school with your child on Friday morning. Children will carry any gifts to Church and hand them to Rev Irene, who will gratefully receive them.

Thank you for your support.
We look forward to seeing you.

Jeans for Genes Day

Thank you for supporting this year's Jeans for Genes Day; the annual fundraising campaign for Genetic Disorders UK, the national charity that supports individuals and families affected by a genetic disorder, including cystic fibrosis. The money raised will go towards providing grants to organisations for projects that aim to transform the lives of children with genetic disorders.

Thank you!

Reporting Absence

Should your child be absent from school, please notify the school office by 9.00am
office@hutchinson.staffs.sch.uk

Please notify us **each day** your child is absent.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Social Media

Please follow us, like and share our posts on Instagram and Facebook! We are increasing our presence on these—it's a great way to share with you snippets of school life and celebrate some of the amazing work and achievements of our school.

Instagram: @hutchinsonmemorial_school

Facebook: Hutchinson Memorial C.E. First School



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PTFA Christmas Card Orders

This year the PTFA are running a Christmas card project to raise money for our school.

The children have spent time in class creating their own Christmas-themed designs which have now been sent home. If you would like to place an order please follow the instructions attached to the design carefully as this is all done online, including your payment.

If you do choose to place an order, please be aware that the **designs need to be returned to school no later than Friday 29th September** to be sent off in the post for printing. Designs can be handed back in to your child's class teacher or at the school office.

Dates for the Term

Please see the below upcoming dates for this half term. More will be added as the term progresses.

September

29th **Harvest Service** in Church @ 9.15am. All welcome to attend.

October

2nd School Nurse Team—**Flu immunisations**

Local Governing Body Meeting @5.00pm

11th **School Photographer**; Siblings/Families/Individual Photographs

13th **PTFA Bags2School**

Jordan Lambert to lead Worship

16th Year 3 & 4 visit to Standon Bowers to take part in their **Stone Age Workshop Day** (details to follow).

17th **The National Child Measurement Programme (NCMP)**; the NHS measurement of height and weight of children in Reception class

18th Mrs Molson (Windsor Park) to visit Year 3 & 4 as part of their **Transition Programme**.

20th **Rev Irene Smith** to lead school worship.

23rd & 24th **Parent /Teacher Meetings** (information will be sent to Parents from Class teachers).

26th School closes for the **Half Term Break**.

27th **INSET Day**—school closed to pupils.

School re-opens for the second half of the autumn term on **Monday 6th November**.