



WEEKLY BULLETIN

22nd November 2021



WEEKLY FRUIT DELIVERY

As part of our healthy eating programme and to encourage healthier snacking we are offering all pupils free fruit in class.



Healthy School

OUR SCHOOL PLEDGE

We take pride in ourselves
We wear full school uniform
We wear our PE kits for PE lessons.
We treat each other with respect
We look after each other
We are kind to each other
We are polite and use kind language
We have good manners and we do not swear
We make healthy choices
We do not smoke
We do not have fizzy or sugary drinks in school
Chewing gum is not permitted in school.
We make good choices
We use our strategies to help us
We respect the personal space of others
We hand our mobile phones in on arrival
We respect our school
We do not damage anything in school
We do not damage other people's things
We take care of our environment

ATTENDANCE

Years 5, 6, 7 & 8 have improved this week
Attendance is important.
Well done to our pupils in the Top 5 forms



Year groups
attendance
percentage.

Year 5 & 6 - 98%
Year 7 - 84%
Year 8 - 85%
Year 9 - 65%
Year 10 - 58%
Year 11 - 32%

Top 5 Form groups
attendance
percentage.

Daley - 100%
Parks - 96%
Curie - 94%
Newton - 80%
MacArthur - 80%

100% ATTENDANCE

Huge congratulations to Miss Storey
& the pupils in Daley for
100% attendance this week.

If your child is going to be absent please notify
the school on the day by 9am.

Christmas Jumper Exchange



Each year 1 in 4
Christmas jumpers ends up
thrown away or never worn again.
We can change this.



Bring in your old unloved Christmas
Jumpers for our Swap Shop



Jumpers to be handed
into school by
Friday 10th
December



We will be collecting any unwanted /unloved Christmas
jumpers again this year for our Swap Shop
If you have any, please pass them in to the school

This is also part of our eco school projects
RECYCLING CLOTHES
REDUCE WASTE

It is estimated that 1 in 4 Christmas jumpers are thrown away
each year, or or never worn more than once. So this year,
instead of throwing that jumper away, why not give it a new
lease of life with someone else? Christmas jumpers are often
made from man-made, plastic based fibres such as polyester
so they will never really breakdown in landfill.

All pupils & staff are able to wear a Christmas jumper on
Wednesday 15th December. Don't worry if your child does
not have one, as we are hoping to collect some in our
Jumper Exchange.

School Uniform is to be worn with Jumpers.
If Pupils do not wish to wear a Festive Jumper they must
be in full uniform.

Christmas Dinner will also be served
This will be Free of Charge for all Pupils
Please let your form teachers know if your child
does not want a dinner on this day.

Christmas Jumper Day



Wednesday 15th December



PUPIL ONLY

CHRISTMAS FAIR

FRIDAY 17TH DECEMBER

We are collecting for our Christmas Fair which will
be held at school on Friday 17th December, for
pupils only.

If you have any of the following items you would
like to donate to the school please drop them in to
the reception.

- * Unopened gift sets
- * Smaller ornaments and trinkets,
- * Stand-up pictures or photo frames
- * Unopened Toiletries
- * Unwanted teddies / soft toys
- * Board Games
- * Pencil / Pen sets



ATTENDANCE REMINDER

Please can we ask if your child is off school that you leave a message on the Absence Voicemail on 0151 652 7093 as soon as possible to let us know the reason for absence.

You can also advise via our **Parentapp** with just a few clicks.

100% Perfection

98% Impressive

Equates to 4 school days off each year.

97% Good

Equates to 7 school days off each year.

95% Nearly there

Equates to 9 school days off each year.

94% Coasting

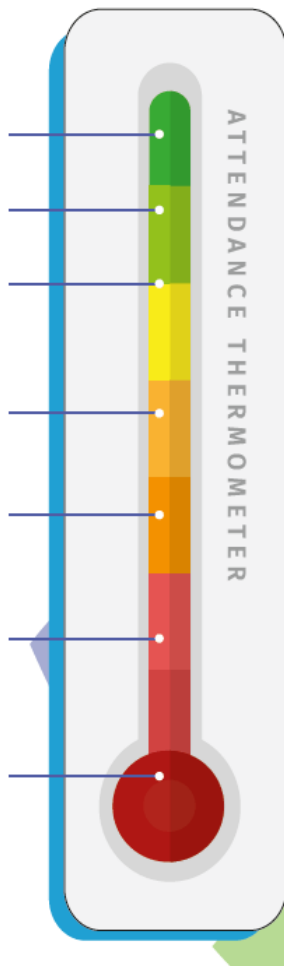
Needs to improve
Equates to 11 school days off each year.

90% Danger Zone

Equates to 1 month off each year.

80% Danger Zone

Equates to 2 months off each year.



- When your child is unwell please notify the school as soon as possible on the same day that your child will not be at school.
- If your child has not been marked for morning registration, the school will contact parents/carers by call/text by 10am. If you do receive a message or text it would be appreciated if you could reply by text or by phone as soon as possible.
- If the illness lasts longer than two days please keep the school informed as to what is happening and we can, if appropriate provide work or suggest ways that your child can learn whilst they are not at school.
- Please note that if the authenticity of an illness is in doubt the school can request parents to provide medical evidence to support the illness, this evidence can take the form of copies of prescriptions, appointment cards etc.
- School starts at 8.55am, all pupils are expected to be in school and ready for registration at this time.
- If your child arrives late for school, please ensure that the Reception staff are made aware as to why your child is late.

Sometimes messages to teachers go unread as they are so busy so it is important that you notify us via the Absence Line or ParentApp.

If we have not heard from you, the absence will be followed up and if we cannot establish a reason for absence then it will be recorded as unauthorised absence.

MOBILE PHONES

Sadly Mobile phones are becoming a cause for concern within the school.

Can we remind you that in line with our school policy, mobile phones are banned from being used within the school.

Pupils will be asked to hand in their phones when they arrive on-site and are encouraged to handphones into staff, who will store them safely and return them at the end of the day.

If pupils refuse to hand over their phones Parents/carers will be contacted to collect the phone.

Mobile phones are not allowed for safeguarding reasons

We thank you for your cooperation & support.



We are pleased to inform you that we are changing how we communicate with you and have launched a brand-new School App from Parentapps.

Our new App is free to download and is available for both Apple and Android devices. Many of you have already signed up and are using the App, and we thank you for your continued support.

For those of you not yet using the App, you will have received a text or e-mail with further instructions on how to download and access the app. Please do download as it is free and takes up little memory on your Phone. But means you have instant access to school information

It will provide you with instant access to our term dates, event information, newsletters, social media, website, and much more. Additionally, you will be able to view and submit consent forms easily and receive secure documents.

The app will also enable you to invite additional family members, ensuring that the right people have access to important information. We will use the app to send targeted messages via push notifications so you aren't bombarded with messages that are not relevant.

Lastly, the app is fully secure and GDPR compliant, and to access it, you will need to be invited via email or SMS message.

Please see the Parent Guide below



Dear Parent

Please follow these steps to **ACTIVATE** your account when using Parentapp connect for the first time.

Start by Clicking "Accept Invitation" on the invitation you receive from the school.

Connect by parentapps User Invitation

Hello, Harry Huntington

You have been invited by Becca School Demo to set up a Parentapps Connect account. Once you have registered your account you will be prompted to download the Parentapps Connect App. Type in the name or postcode of your organisation and enter your email and password to log in.

The app will give you access to important information such as messages, term dates, events, letters, consent forms, latest news and much more.

Simply click the Accept Invitation button to register

Accept Invitation

If the button above doesn't work, copy and paste the following link into your browser

https://beccaschooldemo.parentapps-connect.co.uk/web/activate?email=harry%40parentapps.co.uk&unique_id=jz8Ljk5s

Should you need to enter it, your personal invite code is: **jz8Ljk5s**

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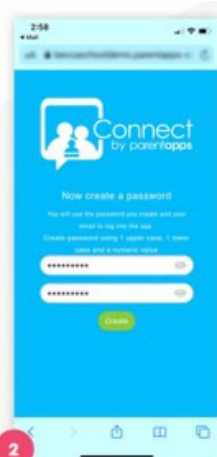
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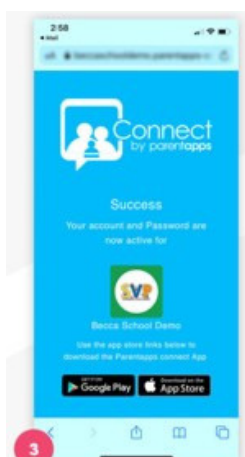
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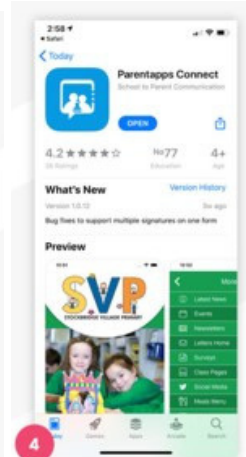
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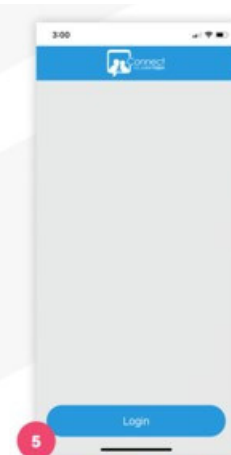
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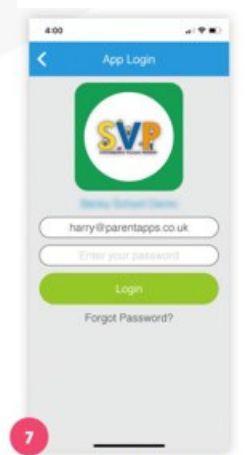
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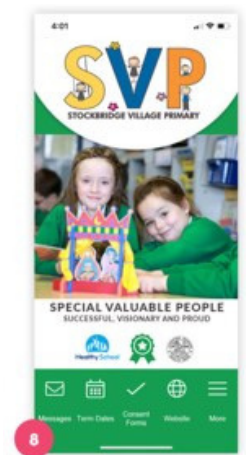
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