



Autumn Term 1st half newsletter

It's been lovely to see all the children back in school, so many smiley faces in the classrooms and on the playground. From when we've been around school we've seen the children have all settled in brilliantly into their new classrooms and have really been enjoying the work set by their new teachers.

Office Staff Update

Mrs Lakhani has retired from the school office after many years of service. We wish her all the very best with her future endeavours and we are pleased to announce that Mrs Bev Wildman will be joining the team.

Messages/Updates

Message from Monsieur Hicks:

Monsieur Hicks has asked us to pass on the letter attached. Please return any slips to your child's class teacher and they will pass them onto Monsieur Hicks

Message from Mrs Gray:

Sensory garden update

Year 2 have done a great job of weeding the Sensory Garden on the KS1 playground. They also collected as many sunflower seeds as they possibly could!

We would like to add a mirror to our garden. Please get in touch if you have a child safe mirror that you would be happy to donate (e.g. made from acrylic).

Thank you

Message from Mrs Houghton:

A massive well done to the Year 6 girls that attended the SCSSP Girls Football tournament on Monday. They won their 3 qualifier matches, leading them into the semi-final. They then won against Linton in the semi-finals and proceeded to play against Cottenham in the final. It was a nail-biting match ending 1-1 and concluding in penalties. After 3 great penalties and a fab save from Elsa in goal, the girls won! Well done to all

involved and thank you to Mrs Halksworth who came along and organised and supported the team. Thank you also to all the parents who took the children to and from the event and all that came along and supported.



We will continue with both indoor and outdoor PE after half term so please ensure that you send the children in with appropriate clothing for this. They will need long trousers and a jumper for outdoor PE, as we will be outside despite the cold, and then shorts for indoors.

Message from our new Family Worker:

Hello

My name is Rachel Stearn and I am the new Family Support Worker in School. My role is to support both pupils and parents/ carers around any issues or worries you may be facing. I am also here as someone to talk with if you need a friendly ear. I may not have all the answers but together we can work out how to find them.

We can look at new ways of managing common family issues such as, Sibling rivalry, anxiety, wellbeing, sleep and challenging behaviours.

I will also be able to provide information, advice and guidance to other services that may be able to help more.

I am in school to support pupils and can promote self-esteem and confidence, good attendance, wellbeing and positive attitudes through 1:1 support.

If you would like to meet for some advice and support you can speak with the class teacher or school office and they will put you in touch with me. Alternatively you can contact me directly by email rstearn@ivc.tmet.org.uk

I will be in school on Wednesdays between 08:30 and 12:30

Looking forward to meeting you Rachel Stearn.

Messages from the Office Team:

Child Absence Reporting

A polite reminder to please contact the school office by phone or email every day your child is absent. Messages do not always reach the office from class teachers in time for the absence report process and we do need daily communication to ensure all is well with your child.

Thanking you in advance.

CONGRATULATIONS to Joseph and Luca Rowland for completing the Cambridgeshire libraries summer reading challenge!

Joseph and Luca completed the challenge of both reading six library books over the summer holidays. They received certificates and medals from the Cambridgeshire Libraries to celebrate their achievements!



Dates for your diary

Monday 1st November - child Flu vaccinations taking place in school

Wednesday 3rd November - School photographers

Friday 5th November - MSA Fireworks night

15th - 19th November - Anti-Bullying week - Theme = One kind word

Friday 19th November - Odd sock day - (for Anti-Bullying week)

Have a restful half term and we look forward to seeing you all back on Monday 1st
November

Kind regards

N Haycraft and J Fraser

20 Oct 2021

Dear Parents / Carers



I am 'Monsieur Hicks', and teach your son / daughter French at Milton Primary School.

I have been involved at a national level since 1999 in the development of the provision of French language teaching in primary schools.

Through this work I have developed resources that are currently being used in primary schools throughout the UK:

- 1) My CD of songs that are used weekly with all pupils from years 3 to 6. (Some of these songs are also now being used by secondary colleagues with years 7 & 8)
- 2) A pupil's text book that is used weekly with pupils in years 5 & 6.

I can offer these to you at a reduced price in order to encourage and support home learning with your son / daughter.

If you would like to order any of the above resources please return the slip below.

Yours sincerely,

Monsieur Hicks.

Pupil's name Form.....

Please supply a copy of the Monsieur X CD

Usual price £12

Milton price£9

Pupil text book (for use in year 5 & 6)

Usual price £16

Milton price.....£11

Cheques to be made payable to David Hicks

Signed

Parent / carer