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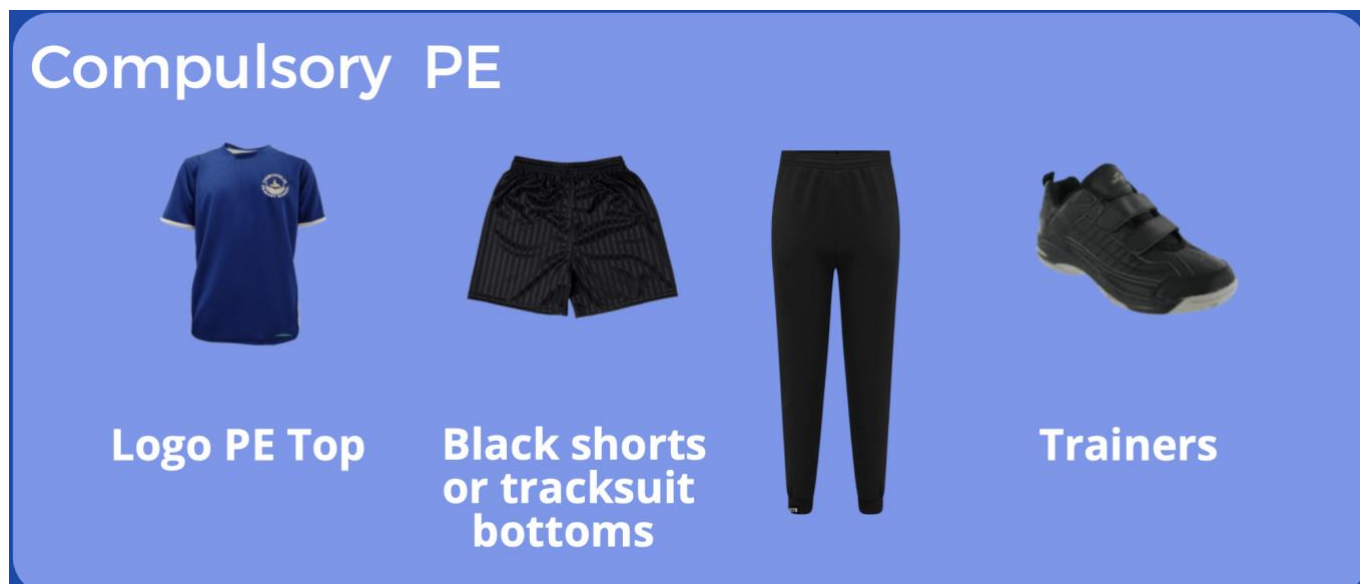
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Dear parents and carers,

Welcome back to a new academic year and a big welcome to our new parents. We have had a lovely return to school and the children have settled quickly into their new classes, they all look very smart and are ready to start their new learning with their new teacher.

You should have received a text message and a MarvellousMe informing you on which days your child has PE. A reminder on their PE days the children are to come to school in their PE kit. A reminder of this is below. If your child does not have a school PE top, they should wear a white or blue plain polo shirt. They should not wear anything with logos or patterns. Thank you for your support with this.



### Some reminders

#### Start and end of day

The school doors open at 8:20. Your children should come into school on their own and there will be year 6 children and staff who will support with this. Children should be in their classrooms by 8:30.

At the end of the school day, our staff are always happy to say hello and are available for a chat however can we ask for you to wait until they have dismissed the other children to ensure everyone's safety. Also, with this in mind can I ask that parents do not stand too close to the exits as this can hinder staff seeing other parents. A reminder Reception Mrs Locker leave at 2:50, Year 1 at 3:10 and everyone else at 3:00 to help stagger the end of the day.

## **Facebook**

As I mentioned in a newsletter in the Autumn Term, we have set up a Facebook group which will be run by the school. It will have information about school events, will give information and will celebrate successes. If you follow the link to join

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1511214573164994>.

Please be aware that you must answer the question about the child you are linked to and this will be checked on the school contacts before approval. During the week, a Microsoft form will be sent out with two questions

1. Do you agree for your child's image to appear on the school's private Facebook group?
2. Do you agree for your child's name to appear on the school's private Facebook group?

Any parents who do not complete the form - we will assume that you do not give permission.

## **First aid**

During break and lunch time, like all schools, we have incidents of bumps, falls etc and children do enjoy coming in for first aid. To ensure that the important information gets back to the class teachers and parents, we are reviewing how and when we send home bump notes. Please be reassured, if it is a bump to the head or a significant cut/bruise you **will be** contacted.

## **Dinners**

A reminder that school dinners need to be booked in advance. Mondays needs to be ordered by Friday, Tuesday – Friday need to be booked the previous day. If a dinner has not been ordered a child will be given a sandwich. Mrs Darlington will email the most recent menus out to everyone this week.

## **Volunteers**

We are always happy to have volunteers to support us in school. This could be listening to readers, helping in classrooms, walking to events / swimming, fundraising events. Please contact [headteacher@cfp.school](mailto:headteacher@cfp.school) if you feel there is something you could do to help.

## **Lost Property**

Please can you ensure all your child's uniform, coats etc are labelled clearly with their names as we spend a lot of time getting uniform back to children and it is easier if it is named. On a Friday, (weather permitting) any lost property will be placed on a table outside and if it is still not claimed after two weeks it will be removed.

## **Important dates**

Dates so far this month:

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September Year 6 at CCSC – High School experience day

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September – Immunisation Reception – Year 6

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September – Individual and family group photos

## **School Terms and Holiday Dates**

### **Autumn Term 2024**

**Inset day:** Monday 2 September / Tuesday 3 September

**Term starts:** Wednesday 4 September

**Term ends:** Friday 25 October

**Holiday:** Monday 28 October – Friday 1 November

**Term Starts:** Monday 4 November

**Term ends:** Friday 20 December

**Holiday:** Monday 23 December – Friday 3 January

### **Spring Term 2025**

**Term starts:** Monday 6 January

**Term ends:** Friday 14 February

**Holiday:** Monday 17 February – Friday 21 February

**Term ends:** Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> April

**Inset day:** Friday 11 April

**Holiday:** Monday 14 April – Friday 25 April

**Easter Sunday:** Sunday 20 April

### **Summer Term 2025**

**Term starts:** Monday 28 April

**May Day:** Monday 5 May

**Term ends:** Friday 23 May

**Holiday:** Monday 26 May – Friday 30 May

**Inset day:** Monday 2 June

**Term starts:** Tuesday 3 June

**Term ends:** Thursday 17 July

**Inset day:** Friday 18 July

Any general queries or if you are unsure who to contact – [office@cfp.school](mailto:office@cfp.school) or [headteacher@cfp.school](mailto:headteacher@cfp.school)

Thank you for your continued support,

Diane Beardsmore

Headteacher