

HALLATON C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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FRIENDS UPDATE: AN UPDATE FROM THE FRIENDS IS ATTACHED SEPARATELY

SCHOOL PHOTOS: Don't forget the 25% Earlybird discount expires today if you wish to order a school photo – full details were sent out on Parentmail yesterday.

FLU VACCINATIONS: Thank you to everyone who has registered their child to receive the flu vaccination on 3rd December – 45% so far! Please remember that if you want your child to receive the vaccination you must register in advance. Your child will not receive the vaccination on the day if they haven't been registered. Registration details below:

To be given the vaccination in school you need to complete an ONLINE consent form by visiting:

www.leicsandrutlandimms.co.uk/Forms/Flu

You will need a code for your child's school. For **Hallaton Church of England Primary School** the code is **LE120176**

If you want to opt for the flu injection, please complete the consent form as normal. On the consent page, select 'No' to the nasal flu and you will be given the option of the flu injection.

Top tip: Ensure that the email addresses match and that there are no spaces or punctuation before or after the email address and the school code. You will need to fully complete the consent form as soon as possible after receiving this letter.

If you are unable to complete this online, please ring us to complete this online, please ring us to this over the phone on 0300 300 0007 (select option 1 then option 4).

TERM DATES: We are attaching the term dates for 2021/22. We are following the Leicestershire holiday pattern and some of the holidays at odds with the Rutland holiday pattern. Please also be aware that with yesterday's announcement of a special two day Bank Holiday on Thursday 2nd and Friday 3rd June 2022, Leicestershire may make some amendments to the May half-term. We will let you know when we hear more.

FREE SCHOOL MEAL ELIGIBILITY: With the pandemic still continuing, we are all aware of the unforeseen financial impact it is having on many families. Please see below the eligibility criteria published by Leicestershire County Council. If you qualify and would like to apply, there is an application form on their website (search Leicestershire County Council Free School Meals).

Free School Meal (FSM) Vouchers

For information on summer free school meal vouchers, please visit [Summer Food Fund Opens another website in new window](#) guidance on the GOV.UK website.

Your child may be able to get free school meals if you get any of the following:

- Income Support
- income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999

- the guaranteed element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit run-on - paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit - if you apply on or after 1 April 2018 your household income must be less than £7,400 a year (after tax and not including any benefits you get)

Children who get paid these benefits directly, instead of through a parent or guardian, can also get free school meals.

Your child may also get free school meals if you get any of these benefits and your child is both:

- younger than the [compulsory age for starting school](#)[Opens another website in new window](#)
- in full-time education.

If your child is eligible for free school meals, they'll remain eligible until they finish the phase of schooling (primary or secondary) they're in on 31 March 2022.