

# Cornbank Primary School

where everyone works together to inspire learners to be their best now and in the future

Hope you all had a lovely October break. We have had a great first week back and have been enjoying the excitement of being one big nursery again.

#### Welcome

This term we are looking forward to welcoming our new learners Jesse and Freddie.

We are also welcoming each other as we get to know the children and the staff from the other cohort. So far the resilience and adaptability your children continue to show is outstanding and really does make us all so proud.

#### Our Learning

Our learning and current interests will continue to be documented and posted on the twitter page weekly for parents to see and support learning at home if they wish. We really appreciate your input and love when you send pictures of your child engaging in any home learning or just general photos. Children enjoy sharing these with their keyworker and peers and it helps to support home links and working in partnership with you wherever possible. This term, so far, we have learned about Hallowe'en. We are moving onto fireworks this week which often sparks an interest in science/ forces or the dark. We will see where the children's interests lie before deciding what we will be doing next. We continue to learn about seasons throughout the year and currently we are learning about autumnal animals. We also continue to focus on wellbeing and nurture through our wellbeing floor book to support children with the ongoing changes to rules and restrictions. Our learners have really been excited by the change of rules regarding group and indoor singing. They have been learning lots of new songs and rhymes and have thoroughly enjoyed engaging in song time which provides multiple opportunities for learning.

#### Tissues

We kindly ask that all families donate one box of tissues per term. Thanks.

## Dates for the Diary

22.11.21 New P1 Enrolment starts (info from Midlothian council to follow)

20.12.21 ELC Christmas Party

21.12.21 Virtual Christmas sing along videos posted to ELC Twitter Page.

22.12.21 Last day of term PJ and Movie day. Usual pick up and drop off times.

# Play on Pedals

Thank you for completing the Play on Pedals survey. Emma, Diane and Fiona are our insetting trained Play on Pedals instructors and will be starting sessions from next week. You will get details of your child's 4 week block over the next week or so. We are looking forward to having some bike fun.

### Comments & Feedback

Please remember we always welcome comments on what we do well and any areas for improvement. These can be twitter messaged or emailed to the school Cornbank\_PS@midlothian.gov.uk