

'Let your light shine'

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Dear Families,

What an amazing half term we have had here at Tritlington School. We have had a successful start to the year and the children have settled back into school routines. We will look forward to welcoming you back to school after a restful half term break on **Monday 1st of November**.

Outdoor Learning Day

The children have had a fantastic outdoor learning morning. We planted spring bulbs, which were kindly donated by the Wansbeck Garden Centre, prepared the vegetable patches for winter and planted snowdrops and tete-a-tete bulbs ready for the spring, which have kindly been donated by Tritlington and West Chevington Parish Council.

We also had a delivery of topsoil to top up our vegetable patches as we are planning to grow lots of our own vegetables next year! If you are a keen gardener or you know of someone who is, perhaps a grandparent, we are looking for volunteers to help with the weeding / maintenance of our beautiful grounds. Please get in touch with us if you can spare an hour a couple of times a half term.



Parental Consultations

Thank you to all our parents who met with their child's teacher for a parental consultation. At Tritlington we believe it is vital that we work together to support the children to enable them to be the best they can be and **let their light shine**. The children's targets for the next half term will be put in their bags the first week back after half term.

Poppy Appeal

Tritlington school is very proud to support the Poppy Appeal. This year we have in school metal pin badges, if your child would like to make a donation to support the Royal British Legion. We would like to suggest a minimum donation of £2 for the badge. There will still be an opportunity after the half term break to donate to the appeal and get a pin badge to wear.

Family Harvest Festival

You are invited to the annual Harvest Festival Service which will be held at Dungait's West Barn in Hebron Village on Sunday 24th October at 11am. This is always a very well attended event and is a real joy to take part in. Another chance to meet neighbours and friends after the difficult times - and give thanks for a bountiful harvest. We hope to see you there.

Tritlington PTA - Tritlington Friends

The annual general meeting for Tritlington Friends, our PTA, will be held on Friday the 5th November at 2.30pm. Everyone is welcome to attend and we would love to see as many of you there as possible. The PTA is a fantastic way to build the whole school community and make a real contribution to the quality of school life for all.

Tritlington Open Day

We are delighted to announce the date for our Open Day for Tritlington School. If you have any family or friends who are looking for a small, rural church school for their child or you know someone with a child due to start Reception in September 2022, please let them know our Open Day is being held on: **Wednesday 10th of November**.

Dates for your Diary Autumn Term	
School closes for half term holiday	Friday 22nd October
Harvest at Hebron Barn	Sunday 24th October
School Reopens	Monday 1st November
School Open Day	Wednesday 10th November
Anti-Bullying Week Odd Socks Day	Monday 15th November
Children in Need Non-School Uniform	Friday 19th November
Nasal Flu Vaccinations (Reception to Year 4)	Tuesday 23rd November
Tritlington Friends PTA Annual General Meeting	Friday 5th November 2.30pm

We hope you have an enjoyable and well deserved half term break and everyone returns to school fit and refreshed.

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Mrs Stephenson & Mrs O'Dell Joint Acting Headteachers