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# September 2013

## The Golden Rules

- We are kind and gentle  
We are prepared for the school day  
We work hard  
We look after property  
We listen to people  
We are honest

**Last year's 100% attendance hall of fame.**

## Who can join this year?

A big well done to all those children who maintained 100% attendance throughout the last school year. It is a wonderful achievement. We look forward to welcoming many more 100% 'hall of famers' this year.

2012/2013 100% Attendance

Alana Rowbotham	Ella Bradwell
Araj Zaidi	Hannah Boswell
Rija Zaidi	Katie Holt
Brooke Dervin	Matthew Elkington
Caitlin Dervin	Daniel Bradwell
Carlo Alveranga	Cody Reilly
Chloe Riley	

### Dinner Money

The cost of dinners for the 2nd half term 4/11/2013-20/12/2013 will be £70.00. Dinner money is priced at £2.00 per day. You can pay by cash in a named, sealed envelope. By cheque made payable to TMBC or online at [www.tameside.gov.uk](http://www.tameside.gov.uk). If you are experiencing difficulties with paying for school dinners please call into school to discuss this to avoid the debt being referred on.

Message from the head

Welcome back to the new term at Corrie, it's lovely to see lots of new faces around school and in our Nursery. Everyone is still looking really smart in their uniforms and we have seen a great improvement in our attendance and punctuality, currently at our target of 97%, let's try our best to keep this up. The children have been very excited at winning £10 if they have the best attendance or punctuality for that week. We are making a big effort in every class to present our work to the best of our ability, all the children have been working hard to make sure that every piece of work reflects the high standards we expect here at Corrie. Teachers are marking books in pink and green pen, the pink pen is for 'tickled pink' when the children have worked well and green pen is for growth, things to help them move on in their learning. We are really proud of our new website and hope that you will have a look and let us know your thoughts, we are adding to the site all the time to keep you informed of what's happening in school.

Mrs Cartledge

### Dates for your diary

Tuesday 1st October  
Friday 4th October  
Monday 7th October  
Tuesday 8th October  
Wednesday 9th October  
Friday 18th October  
Friday 18th October  
Tuesday 22nd October  
Thursday 24th October  
Thursday 24th October  
Friday 25th October  
Monday 4th November

Year 5&6 Residential Meeting  
3R Assembly  
Harvest Assembly at St Mary's Church  
Foundation Harvest Assembly at School  
Year 6 Crucial Crew  
PTA Autumn Hot Pot Supper  
3G Assembly  
Individual photographs  
Excellent Citizen Assembly  
School Closes for half term  
INSET DAY  
School Re-opens

**A huge welcome to all of our new nursery children.**

The children are currently; exploring the setting, making new friends and beginning to get to grips with the Nursery rules and routines. We will be talking more about Corrie's Golden Rules during group sessions. Carers: Don't forget to label all clothes and please inform us if your child has any medical needs. Please keep an eye on the Nursery page of the new Corrie website, we will be adding photographs of your children over the coming months. Thank you for your support,  
Mrs Palfreyman

## Dogs & Smoking

May we remind you that dogs are NOT allowed on the premises at any time. This includes dogs which are being carried.  
It is illegal to smoke anywhere on school grounds at any time.  
Both are subject to prosecution & fines of up to a £1000.

## New look Corrie Website

If you haven't already, please check out our new look Corrie website at <http://www.corrie.tameside.sch.uk> There are lots of new features including blogs by year 3, Class information, together with lots of pictures of your children hard at work.

You can follow us or tweet us on twitter  @CorriePrimary.

We look forward to reading all your tweets.

### Attendance

A big well done to those classes who have already won in our weekly Attendance & Punctuality Competitions. £10.00 is given to the winning classes in each key stage each week. Our current whole school attendance is 97% which is in line with our whole school target. Keep up the good work.

### Spare dinky cars

Mrs Rafferty would gratefully receive any spare/old dinky cars in good working order for use in Year 1. If you have any that you could donate to the school please hand them in to your class teacher or either office.

### PE Kit

Well done to all those children who have started the New School Year with their P.E. kits. May we remind you that P.E. kit is white or Corrie tshirt, black shorts & pumps. For health & safety reasons P.E. skirts with shorts underneath are not permitted.

### Collecting your child from school

Children in Key Stage 1 can only be picked up by someone who is over 16. If you are sending a minor to pick up your child we require written permission. If you have any difficulty in picking up your child or you are going to be late please inform school as soon as possible.

### Breakfast club

Our Breakfast Club is proving very popular once again. With many children enjoying the benefits it has to offer.

For a voluntary contribution of 60p per day your child can have their breakfast with their friends, play games and have lots of fun before arriving to class on time ready to start the school day.



### Eco News

Mrs Rafferty has had her first meeting with our new Eco Warriors. The meeting was very positive, the children had several great ideas which they all discussed enthusiastically. This term the Eco team will be focusing on replanting & bird feeders in readiness for the winter.

We are also collecting Let's Grow vouchers from Morrisons. The Let's Grow Programme aims to help school's capture the imagination of the Nation's Children by showing them where food comes from. Over the years we have benefitted greatly from the Let's Grow scheme redeeming hundreds of vouchers against gardening equipment, plants, trees, bird nesting boxes etc... Here's hoping for another bumper year of vouchers. You can hand in your vouchers at either office.

### After School Clubs

All after school clubs have now started in both KS1 & KS2. It's great to see so many children taking part & having fun.

### Baby News

Congratulations to Mr Griffin who had a baby boy 'Jack' in the summer holidays.

