



TETNEY PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Lunches

The new hot dinner menu has been well received by the children. One pupil said to me today, "Mr Rayner, don't change the food again - this is the best!"

We have been trying out pupils in Years 3 to 6 eating their lunch in classrooms, to create a more pleasant (and quieter) lunchtime experience for all!

Online Safety

As part of our September image sharing campaign and to further support parents and carers, I have attached the next parent guide. This week we are highlighting Snapchat. In recent years, it has been evidenced that young people are experiencing several online harms on this particular platform such as grooming and child-on-child abuse.

The third and final parent webinar, organised by the local authority, is due to take place on Wednesday 24th September, poster is attached with a blurb below.

New Starters 2026

Open afternoons for starters in Reception 2026 will be on Wednesday 19th November and Thursday 20th November, both from 1-3pm. If you or someone you know is looking for a school place, it would be great to see you in school.

Contact Information

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Attendance

Thank you for helping us get this year off to a fantastic start with attendance!

Our whole school attendance for the week commencing 8th September was 97% - exactly in line with the national target.

Here's how each class did last week:



- Cedar - 100% 🌸
- Oak - 96.3%
- Elm - 93.1%
- Sycamore - 100% 🌸
- Willow - 98%

A huge well done to Cedar and Sycamore for achieving a perfect 100%! Let's keep working together to reach and maintain that target across the whole school.

World Mental Health Day - Wear it Yellow!

On Friday 10th October, children are invited to wear yellow to help raise awareness for World Mental Health Day.

Throughout the day, children will also take part in a range of activities and classroom discussions designed to support and promote positive mental health and well-being.

Thank you for your support in helping us shine a light on this important cause.

Upcoming Events

Individual Photos - Tuesday 23rd September

Harvest Festival Week - w/c 29th September

SEND Reviews - w/c 6th October

World Mental Health Day - 10th October

Parents Evenings - 15th and 16th October

End of term 1 - 23rd October

Snapchat



What is Snapchat?

Snapchat is a messaging app where users (13+) can send and receive messages, videos and pictures

Disappearing messages

Snapchat's servers are designed to automatically delete all Snaps after they've been viewed. These disappearing messages create the perfect conditions for cyberbullying, online predators, and secretive behaviour that's hard to track. Just because the messages 'disappear' from the chat, screenshots still allow them to be saved.

Location Sharing

Sharing your location Potential Dangers:

- Safety Concerns
- Stalking and Harassment
- Unwanted Attention
- Privacy Violations
- Account Compromise
- Obsessive Behaviour

"Ghost Mode" allows you to hide your location on the Snap Map, making it invisible to other users, and can be turned on and off or set with a timer.

Potential risks

- sharing of harmful content
- contact with strangers
- grooming
- cyber bullying
- image sharing

Reporting and Blocking

On Snapchat, you can report concerning content or accounts by pressing and holding on the content or the Snapchatter's name and selecting "Report". Blocking a user prevents them from viewing your Story, sending you Snaps, or chatting with you.

Family Centre

Family Centre helps parents get more insight into who their teens are friends with on Snapchat, and who they have been communicating with, while still respecting their teens' privacy and autonomy.

Parents can -

- View their child's friends list
- See which profiles have been newly added
- See who their teens have recently interacted with
- Limit their child's exposure to sensitive content
- Report any concerning profiles to Snapchat

Further information



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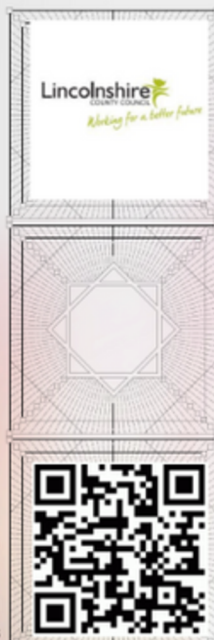
PARENT WEBINAR



**WEDNESDAY 24TH
SEPTEMBER
6-7PM
MICROSOFT TEAMS**

**HELP MY CHILD
HAS SHARED A
NUDE?? NEXT
STEPS AS A
PARENT
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STAY SAFE TEAM**

Help, my child has shared a nude! Would you know how to respond? Internet Matters research into image based abuse found that 13- to 17-year-olds were most likely to turn to a parent if they received an unwanted nude image or video. Join Lincolnshire County Council Stay Safe Team as they discuss what you might experience as a parent if your child has shared a nude, how to guide your child and the support services that can help.



<https://www.tickettailor.com/events/staysafepartnership/1816378>



**Is your child starting
school in September
2026?**

**Come and have a look around
our wonderful school and meet
the Early Years team!**

OPEN EVENT

Wed 19th November 1-3 pm

Thurs 20th November 1-3pm

Ring 01472 812074 or email

**Admin@tetney.lincs.sch.uk for more
information.**

