



Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are always trying to find better ways of communicating with our whole school community and have now launched a smartphone app. The app is free to download for iPhones and Android Phones.

You can download the app by either searching in the relevant app store for “Winterton Junior School” or by using the following link:

Apple App Store: <https://itunes.apple.com/gb/app/winterton-junior-school/id1201217842?mt=8>

Android Google Play Store:

[https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=uk.co.piota.wintertonjuniorschool&hl=en\\_GB](https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=uk.co.piota.wintertonjuniorschool&hl=en_GB)

When opening the app for the first time, remember to allow “Push Notifications” when you install the app, so you get a notice each time we add something or wish to notify parents about something important.

Please note that the app is compatible with iPads, but to download it you have to search the store in “iPhone Only” mode.

The new app will replace the current text messaging system for whole school messages. Our text messaging system will only be used to notify parents/carers of specific matters relevant to only their child if all other methods of communication have been attempted.

Feel free to explore and visit each tab from the drop down menu located in the left hand corner of the screen. There is a short survey on the app asking for your views on the new system and we would appreciate any feedback given.

Yours sincerely,

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