



Newsletter

Friday 24th January 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been another busy week! There is some really amazing learning happening in school and I hope the curriculum newsletters were useful to explain more. We have been thinking about what we can do in school and the wider community to make a difference. Ask your children what their year group is doing!

We are really proud to announce we have our very own brass band who are learning instruments after school. Year 4 and 6 are doing a great job and we hope to be able to extend this to other year groups.

We have had positive feedback about the new morning arrangements for waiting for school to open. Read more about our Junior Road Safety Officers and how to apply later on.

Remember to wrap up warm as the weather is so variable at the moment and label all hats, scarfs, and gloves.

Kind regards,

Sara Allen

Headteacher (Interim)

After School Clubs

We are delighted to have such a high uptake for our after school clubs which begin on Monday 29th January. Information will have been sent to you about timings, pick up arrangements and any additional information. If you are still interested in signing up, please email the office to be added to waiting lists.

Spring Dates for your Diary...

Tuesday 6th February 2024

Internet Safety Day

Year 3 Egyptian Day

Friday 9th February 2024

INSET day

Monday 12th February- Friday 16th February 2024

Half Term

Monday 19th February- Wednesday 21st February 2024

Year 4 residential

Wednesday 28th February 2024

Class Photos and World Science Day

Thursday 7th March 2024

World Book Day

Tuesday 19th March 2024

Parents Evening

Wednesday 20th March 2024

Parents Evening

Tuesday 26th March 2024

Easter Service at St Mary's Church 1.30pm

Thursday 28th March 2024

INSET day

Friday 29th March- Friday 12th April 2024

Easter Holidays



**Junior Road Safety Officers-
APPLY NOW!**

If you are in Year 5 or 6 and would like to apply to become our new JRSO's please remember to send in your application to Mrs Morrell. Training for this very special job is in February.

Breakfast Club

Our Breakfast Club is in need of jigsaw puzzles, ideally 50 – 100 pieces. If you have any complete puzzles at home that you would be willing to donate, please drop them off at the School Office.

PE kits

Children must have a PE kit with safe footwear to take part in PE. There are lots of children each week who do not have PE kit to change in to. Please can we ask you to send this in on a Monday. If you need support with providing this, please speak with Mrs Lindfield or Mrs Tickle.

Absence

If your child is unwell please remember to telephone school to let us know the reason/nature of the illness.

If your child has been physically sick they should remain at home for 48 hours from the last time they were sick. This timeframe also applies if they have had diarrhoea.

Thank you.

Parent Contact Information

Please don't forget to advise school of any changes to contact details, especially mobile phone numbers which you may have changed. We must be able to contact you during the day in case of emergency or to follow up any absence queries.

Wraparound Care

Book your space with Youth Options at The Scott Centre. Youth Options collect children from school and take them, with an escort, to The Scott Centre at Mead Hedges, SP10 2LB. If you would like to book a place please contact Paige Richards at scottcentre@youthoptions.org.uk or 01264 332188.

Breakfast Club continues on site. Please book and pay via Scopay.

Office Chairs

If you would like an office chair for your home, we have a selection available for free. Please come and take a look on Monday 29th January. The chairs will be outside the front of school from the morning onwards for you to collect. We will be unable to reserve any chairs due to storage and they will be disposed at the end of the day on Tuesday 30th January.



Our prayer this week is about our Christian Value of Love which we are learning about in worship this half term. We have been thinking about how we can make a difference in the community and be courageous advocates. Year R, 1 and 2 children are starting litter picking in the school grounds and along the paths outside school regularly to do their part in making our wider community look smart.

