

SPRING TERM 2 DATES

15.03.19

Monday 18th March: SCHOOL CLOSED: PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY

Tuesday 19th March: SCHOOL OPEN

Tuesday 2nd April: PARENT CONSULTATIONS/ PUPIL REPORTS

Wednesday 3rd April: PARENT CONSULTATIONS/ PUPIL REPORTS

Friday 5th April: SCHOOL CLOSES end of term

SUMMER TERM 1 DATES

Tuesday 23rd April: SCHOOL OPENS for Summer Term

Monday 6th May: MAY BANK HOLIDAY: School closed

Monday 13th May – Friday 17th May: **KEY STAGE 2 STATUTORY ASSESSMENTS (SATS) – Year 6**

Monday 13th May – Friday 24th May: **KEY STAGE 1 STATUTORY ASSESSMENTS (SATS) – Year 2**

Friday 24th May: SCHOOL CLOSES for half term

Monday 3rd June: SCHOOL OPENS for Summer Term 2

Friday 19th July: SCHOOL CLOSES for Summer break.

Monday 22nd July: SCHOOL CLOSED – Professional Development Day

Tuesday 23rd July: SCHOOL CLOSED – Professional Development Day

AUTUMN TERM 1 DATES

Monday 2nd September 2019: SCHOOL CLOSED – Professional Development Day

Tuesday 3rd September: SCHOOL CLOSED – Professional Development Day

Wednesday 4th September: SCHOOL OPEN - Autumn term starts

Dear Parents and Carers,

We had our Science week in school to coincide with National British Science week. There were so many activities taking place including the firm favourite of our older students teaching the younger children to experiment and investigate. The children thoroughly enjoyed it!

Some of our Year 5 children participated in Bikeability this week. Learning how to stay safe out in the local community. Well done to you all of the children who took part!

YEAR 1 PARENTS MEETING: PHONICS

Thank you to those parents who were able to attend the Phonics meeting on Thursday this week. The meeting provided an opportunity to find out about the children's Year 1 Statutory Phonics tests which take place in June and staff demonstrated 'top tips' to enable you to support your child.

RED NOSE DAY

Many children wore red and white today to support Red Nose Day. Thanks to your support we managed to raise a fantastic £216.00 for Comic Relief!

PARENT CONSULTATIONS

Letters came out this week for our Parent Consultation events which will be taking place on Tuesday 2nd April and Wednesday 3rd April. At this parents evening you will be receiving your child's annual report. The report will inform you of your child's current progress towards end of year age related expectations.

ATTENDANCE

Unfortunately yet again.....our school attendance figures have dropped further due to the number of unauthorised holidays taken during school term time. As a Local Authority (LA) School we follow LA policy - **may I remind you that holidays in term time cannot be authorised and are therefore categorised as unauthorised holidays – which may incur a fine!**

Every day missed from school is a learning opportunity lost and the LA are actively issuing fines to parents who take their children on term-time holidays. The fixed penalty is initially £60 per parent/per child and this may rise, or go to court, if left unpaid. Our school attendance policy is available to view on our website.

Our school doors open at 8.40am. Please ensure your children arrive at school on time **before 9.00am.**

If your child is absent due to illness - please inform the school office on the first day of absence. If we do not hear from you, you will receive a call from school or a home visit if we are unable to contact you directly.

DINNER MONEY

Dinner Money for next week - Tuesday 19.03.19 will be £7.60 as the school is closed to pupils on Monday for a Professional Development Day.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS

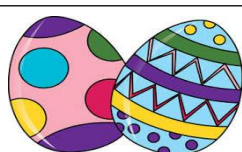
Monday 18th March is our next Professional Development Day and our school will be closed to pupils on Monday.

The further and final Professional Development Days are Monday 22nd July and Tuesday 23rd July 2019.

We hope you have a great weekend!

Regards

B Hewitt-Best



EASTER RAFFLE

Our Easter Raffle will be drawn on Thursday 4th April
Tickets are currently on sale from 8.40am for 20p