



Newsletter

Moss Bury Primary School & Nursery
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Welcome back to the summer term, which always promises to be busy and fun!

SATs Week

SATs start next week, on Monday 13th May for our Year 6 children. It is important that no children take time off during this week.

Activity Clubs

The children have been given their allocated clubs.

Most clubs started from 7th May; however, Football Club will start on Tuesday 14th May and Musical Theatre will not start until the following week, on Wednesday 22nd May.

Please be reminded that the after school activity clubs finish promptly at 4:15pm and the children will need to be collected from the bottom playground doors.

Closed for Election Days

The school will be closed to the children **Thursday 23rd May** for the European Parliamentary Elections, as it will be used as a Polling Station.

We are always reluctant to close the school as we know how disruptive this can be for the children's learning and their parents, and especially working parents. However, because we cannot guarantee the safeguarding of the children whilst the public have free access to the school grounds, we feel it is necessary to keep the school closed when it is being used as a Polling Station.

Facebook

Our old 'Moss Bury School' and 'Moss Bury Nursery' Facebook pages have now been deleted.

Please 'like' our new 'Moss Bury Primary School' Facebook page.

Friends of Moss Bury – Your school needs you!

We are looking to recruit volunteers to help run our 'Fund Raising' events. If you would like to help in this capacity, please contact the school office.

Year 4 – Verulamium Trip

Our Year 4 children will be visiting the Verulamium Museum in St Albans on Friday **Tuesday 21st May.**

The deadline for returning the forms and payments for this trip is Wednesday 15th May.

Year 3 – Verulamium Trip

Our Year 3 children will be visiting the Verulamium Museum in St Albans on **Friday 24th May.**

The deadline for returning the forms and payments for this trip is Monday 20th May.

Class Assemblies

Nursery will be holding their class assembly to parents on Wednesday 22nd May at 9:00am.

Year 5 Willow Class will be holding their assembly to parents on Friday 24th May at 9:15am.

Year 6 – Isle of Wight Experience

Our Year 6 will be visiting the Isle of Wight week commencing 3rd June, for their residential trip.

Pocket money and medication must be handed in on Wednesday 22nd May.

The children need to be in school by 8:15am and the coach will leave promptly at 8:30am. Please remember to send them with a packed lunch.

Early Years Sports Day

Weather permitting, our Early Years Sports Day for Nursery and Reception will be held on **Wednesday 19th June**. This will be a morning event, which will start from 9:15am and will be finished by approximately 11:45am.

Sports Day

Our Sports Day for Years 1 to 6 will be held on **Wednesday 26th June**. This will start at approximately 9:30am. It will be an all-day event and parents are welcome to join their children for a picnic lunch on the field (weather permitting).

The kitchen will only be supplying a packed lunch option on this day; the choices will be either a cheese or ham baguette.

Nursery – Herrings Green

Activity Farm Trip

Our Nursery children will be visiting Herrings Green Activity Farm in Bedford on **Wednesday 3rd July**.

The deadline for returning the forms and payments for this trip is Wednesday 26th June.

School Gateway

Many of our parents are now using the School Gateway online payment system for school meals, trips, swimming, Breakfast Club and Mossy Club.

If you haven't registered, you can download the app at <https://schoolgateway.co.uk/> Please make sure the office has the email address and telephone number you will be using in conjunction with the school gateway.

Once you have downloaded the app, you can activate your account by going to 'New User', type in your email address and mobile number and you will be sent a PIN number.

Car Park

Now all the entrances have been re-opened, can we remind parents that they must not walk through the school car park.

Dates for your Diary

Fri 10th May – Final payment due for Isle of Wight trip

Mon 13th-17th May – Yr6 SATs week

Tue 21st May – Yr 4 Verulamium Trip

Wed 22nd May – Nursery Assembly to parents

Wed 22nd May – Year 4 Bell Boat Festival

Thu 23rd May – School Closure – Polling Day

Fri 24th May – Yr 3 Verulamium Trip

Fri 24th May – Yr 5 Willow Class Assembly to Parents

Mon 27th – Fri 31st May – Half Term

Mon 3rd – Fri 7th Jun – Yr 6 Isle of Wight residential trip

Wed 19th Jun – Early Years Sports Morning

Wed 26th Jun – Yr 1 to Yr 6 Sports Day

Wed 3rd Jul – Nursery – Herrings Green Activity Farm trip

Wed 10th Jul – Moss Bury Summer Festival

Thu 11th Jul – Transition Day

Fri 12th Jul – Yr 6 Fun Day

Mon 15th Jul – School Reports sent home

Tue 23rd Jul – Last day of term finishing at the earlier time of 2:00pm