



Welcome Everyone

Welcome to the new school term. It's lovely to see children returning to school after a difficult and challenging summer. All the children are settling into their new classes and starting on the next stage of their school career. We will soon be sending out a booklet informing you of how to find out about how well your child is doing in class. Also, please take a few minutes to read this newsletter as there are some important dates!

INSET/CLOSURE DAYS for 2020-2021

Monday 12th April 2021

Monday 7th June 2021

Monday 19th July 2021

Tuesday 20th July 2021

**We will be closed on
these days.**

Parking

Please remember not to park on the zig zag lines outside school, across public driveways or school gates. We need access at all times for refuse collection, staff and emergency services. I would like to thank all parent/ carers who park thoughtfully and safely when they bring their child.

Children in Need

Children in Need is Friday 13th November 2020 details will follow about the activities we will be doing



Sickness

If you think that you or your child is showing symptoms of Corona Virus, please do not send them to school.

The main symptoms of coronavirus are:

a high temperature - this means you feel hot to touch on your chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)

a new, continuous cough - this means coughing a lot for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours (if you usually have a cough, it may be worse than usual)

a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste - this means you've noticed you cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal.

We often call this time the 'poorly term', while children build up their immunity. They may have snuffles and sneezes, but if they are well enough they can still come to school.

If your child has suffered from sickness and/or diarrhoea they can only return 48hours after the last bout and if they are well enough to do so. If your child needs over the counter medication e.g. Calpol they are not well enough to attend and need to recuperate in the comfort of their home. Please let us know when your child is unwell by ringing 01709 828983/834354 then we will be able to record their absence as authorised on our registers.

F1 and 2-3s Parent Consultations

Although we are unable to have face to face parent consultations, you will be invited to meet with your child's key worker via MS Teams or via phone call to discuss how well they have settled in and how you can help with their learning at home. A time will be arranged which is convenient for you the week beginning 16th November.



Snack Money F1

We ask for a voluntary donation of 50p per week to cover the cost of snacks and fresh fruit we offer the children during nursery session. Each class will have a money box outside the classroom for your contributions

F1 Additional Services

As well as our nursery sessions we also offer breakfast club 8.00am to 8.30am at a cost of £2.75 per day.

If you are interested please enquire at reception.

2 - 3s Provision

We have free places for eligible funded children

We also have Paid Places available:

8.00am - 1.00pm £23.50

1.00pm - 6.00pm £23.50

8.00am - 6.00pm £47.00

If you are interested in any of these sessions please enquire at reception.

Covid - 19 Safety

Thank you for being so patient while dropping your child off at nursery and collecting them each day. Please remember to stay 2m apart and hold hands with your child at all times. Remember if coming into school you will need to wear a mask.

Holiday	Last Day of Term	First Day of Term
October Half Term	Friday 23 rd October 2020	Monday 2 nd November 2020
Christmas	Friday 18 th December 2020	Monday 4 th January 2021
February Half Term	Friday 12 th February 2021	Monday 22 nd February 2021
Easter	Friday 26 th March 2021	Tuesday 13 th April 2021
May Day	Friday 30 th April 2021	Tuesday 4 th May 2021
Spring Bank	Friday 28 th May 2021	Tuesday 8 th June 2021
Summer	Friday 16 th July 2021	