

# St. Hardulph's Church of England Primary School – 23 February 2018



## Free School Meals

If any parents think that their children might qualify for free school meals, even if they are currently in Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 and receive a free infant school meal anyway, please contact the Free School Meals team on 0116 305 7093.

## PE Kits

Can we remind parents that the correct PE kit is as detailed below and should be in school at all times. Although the regular PE slot is on Wednesdays, children may need to wear them for other activities, sometimes at short notice.

The PE Kit is the same for all classes.

### Boys & Girls for Indoor PE

- Black Shorts
- Plain White T-Shirt
- Socks
- Plimsolls or trainers

### Boys & Girls for Outdoor PE

- Black/Navy Track Suit Bottoms or similar
- Black/Navy Track Suit Top or Sweatshirt (to be worn over White PE T-Shirt)

### Swimming

- Boys:– Swimming Trunks (N.B. long, loose-fitting swim shorts are not suitable for school swimming)
- Girls:– One-piece Swimsuit

Don't forget to send a towel.

Swimming is a curriculum subject and children are expected to swim every week. On rare occasions, a child may be well enough to be in school, but un-fit to swim. If this is the case please notify your child's teacher of the reason by writing a note in their Communication Book. Do not send a verbal message with the child.

## NUTS

We ask parents to be careful to avoid children bringing nuts or nut products (including chocolate spread and some cereal bars or snacks) in to school.



We have some children with severe nut allergies that could potentially be life-threatening. For that reason we do not allow any children to consume products containing nuts in school.

## Leicestershire County Council – Term Dates Consultation

Leicestershire County Council has this week launched the Term Time Consultation for 2019-2022

<https://www.leicestershire.gov.uk/term-time-consultation> and is keen to invite responses from you. We have been asked to raise awareness of the consultation with parents as the more people who respond the more likely they are to select the most appropriate option.

## World Book Day – Thursday 1st March

Our theme for this year's world Book Day is Bedtime Stories. We are asking children to come to school in their (appropriate) pyjamas. They may bring slippers to wear indoors if they wish, but will still need suitable footwear and a coat for outdoors at break and lunchtimes. We hope as many families as possible will support us in this. It is, however, not a non-uniform day, so any child not wishing to come in their pyjamas must wear their school uniform as usual.



## Old £10 Notes

No old style £10 notes will be accepted at school from Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February as the cash collection company we use will not accept them after our next banking.



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School Governors can be contacted by email on: [governors@st-hardulphs.leics.sch.uk](mailto:governors@st-hardulphs.leics.sch.uk)

## Diary Dates

### 2017/18

|                 |                                                                        |
|-----------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 Mar           | World Book Day (our theme is Bedtime Stories – please come in pyjamas) |
| 5-7 Mar         | Whitemoor Lakes residential trip for Years 4 and 5                     |
| 8 Mar           | Fire Service talks for children in Years 1 and 5                       |
| 23 Mar          | School closes for Easter Break                                         |
| 9 April         | School opens for Summer Term                                           |
| 7 May           | May Day Bank Holiday                                                   |
| 28 May – 1 June | Half Term Break                                                        |
| 6-8 June        | Kelham Hall residential trip for children in Year 6                    |
| 5 July          | Transition Day                                                         |
| 6 July          | Transition Day                                                         |
| 12 July         | School closes for Summer Break                                         |

### 2018/19

|           |                                   |
|-----------|-----------------------------------|
| 29 Aug    | School opens for Autumn Term      |
| 15-19 Oct | Half Term Break                   |
| 21 Dec    | School Closes for Christmas Break |
| 7 Jan     | School opens for Spring Term      |
| 18-22 Feb | Half Term Break                   |
| 12 Apr    | School closes for Easter Break    |
| 29 Apr    | School opens for Summer Term      |
| 6 May     | May Day Bank Holiday              |
| 27-31 May | Half Term Break                   |
| 11 July   | School closes for Summer Break    |

### Attendance

The government's expectation for school attendance is 96.5%.

The table below shows attendance since the start of the academic year.




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|---------------------|--------------|
| <b>Whole School</b> | <b>97.1%</b> |
| Class One           | 95.9%        |
| Class Two           | 97.6%        |
| Class Three         | 97.7%        |
| Class Four          | 96.3%        |

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