

Welcome to our newsletter...

Last day of Half Term

Friday 26th October 2018

Inset Days 2017/2018

Monday 5th November 2018

Monday 25th February 2019

Friday 24th May 2019

Next Week

Monday 17th Yr 4 Swimming

Monday 17th Archery Club Y1/Y2 3.35-4.30

Tuesday 18th Guitar Club 3.35-4.35

Tuesday 18th Clarinet Club 3.35-4.35

Tuesday 18th Fencing Club Y4/Y4 3.35-4.35

Wednesday 19th Dodgeball Club KS2 3.35-4.30

Thursday 20th Cheerleading Club KS2 3.35-4.30

Friday 21st Non-Contact Boxing Club Y4/Y5/Y6 3.35-4.30

September

Wednesday 26th – Friday 28th PGL Residential Y6

Latest

Letters This Week:

- Changes to after-school club arrangements – Y1, Y2, Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6
- Trip to Holocaust Centre – Y6
- Reduce, Re-use & Recycle Workshop – Y6
- Autumn Term (World War II) – Y6
- Welcome Letter – Y2

Climbing Frame/Break-time Footwear

Children should wear suitable closed shoes that are secure on their feet for playtime and using the climbing frame. Open, slip on shoes such as ballet pumps are not suitable, or very safe, for running around or climbing.

Children who are not wearing trousers, should also wear shorts underneath their skirt/pinafore if they want to use this equipment. Thank you for your co-operation.

Money for Trips and Dinners

Could we please remind all parents and carers that money for trips and school dinners cannot be taken in at the office. Money must be in a labelled envelope or dinner wallet and should be handed in by your child to their class teacher at the start of the day.

The Start of the School Day

Thank you for your support with our new arrangements for the start of the school day. As you know, our gates now open at 8:45am every morning and registration is at 8.55am. The children have been coming straight into school and I have been out to meet them every day! I have been impressed by how smooth the change has been and that is, in part, thanks to your cooperation. It is always appreciated!

House Points

In every class at Forest Glade, the children are grouped into four 'houses'. We use these houses for various activities, including sports days and in-class competitions. Children can earn points for their house in a variety of ways, including working hard and producing good quality work. We have recently reorganised the houses as over the years some groups had become uneven with more/fewer children in. The new houses are named after local stately homes: Hardwick (red), Wollaton (yellow), Newstead (blue) and Chatsworth (green). Every week we will be keeping a record of the children who earn the most house points and the children who regularly earn the most will be receiving rewards throughout the year.

The Back Gate

Just a reminder that the back gate is locked from 3.50pm every day. As you probably know, we now run after-school sports clubs every day, Monday to Friday, which means our playground is in use every night. We want to continue to ensure that nobody has access to our playground while our children are using it. At the end of every after-school club, the children will need to be collected from the main entrance. As the back gate is locked from 3.50pm, all parents will have to use the front gate when collecting children from after-school clubs. Thank you for your cooperation with this; it has worked really well so far.