



## Pikes Lane Primary School

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### 19<sup>th</sup> October 2018

#### A note from the Head Teacher



The weekly newsletter will take a new format after the half term. It will incorporate a “flavour” of teaching and events across the school. The newsletter will be sent out fortnightly and will showcase a different class and club every publication. Keep a look out for your child's class!

Thank you as always for all your help and support this half term. Happy holiday!

#### Toy library

Our toy library will open on **Thursday November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 9am in the Community Room**. Please pop in and feel free to borrow any toys for the children to play with. You can keep them for 2 weeks before returning.



#### Parent Support / Aid

**Every Thursday from 2.30pm – 3.20pm**, we will be offering a drop-in session for parents in the community room.

Feel free to drop in for help and advice. Issues include parenting support, CV or completing forms, or if you have any questions about anything, please just drop in.

Refreshments will be available.

#### Family Breakfast



Autumn half terms Family Breakfast was a **HUGE** success! We had more parents than we've ever had before. Parents and children enjoyed and contributed to what was a fantastic atmosphere, and everyone was spoilt for choice on what to eat. Pikes Lane would like to thank our parents for always supporting our events, and helping to make our school the Outstanding place it is. We look forward to seeing you at the next Family Breakfast on **Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018!** Mrs Lowe

**We are looking forward to our family trip to “Spookyworld” on 24<sup>th</sup> October 2018. Thank you to all the parents who have signed up.**

# ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Caterpillars AM	100%
Caterpillars PM	95%
Butterflies AM	99%
Butterflies PM	95%
Ladybirds	100%
Busy Bees	98%
1CM	96%
1GF	98%
2LW	96%
2JH	99%
3SB	99%
3OM	97%
4AH	100%
4RW	95%
5AJ	98%
5HM	99%
6MP	97%
6NW	99%

Our whole school attendance for last week was 98%

Well done to Caterpillars Am, Ladybirds and 4AH for 100% attendance!



As always, thank you for your continued support,  
Mrs L Cousen, Acting Headteacher.

## Our Calendar

Please note these dates are subject to change. Further details about specific events will follow.

Half Term: Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2018 to Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2018

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> November – Children in Need Day – Wear Pyjamas for £1!

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> December – Year 6 assembly

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Jumper Day!

Christmas Holidays: Monday 24<sup>th</sup> December 2018 to Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2019 inclusive

February Half Term: Monday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2019 to Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2019

Easter holidays: Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April to Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April (inclusive)

Bank holiday: Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2019

May Half Term: Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2019 to Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June inclusive

Term Ends: Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2019