



NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents/Carers

11 January 2019

Welcome back, I hope you had a good Christmas break and enjoyable New Year. As you can see below, we have a busy term planned for your children. Please ensure you check your child's book bag for letters for the various trips and activities on offer and if you have changed your mobile phone – let us know if you have a new number so that we can stay in touch.

Jessa Sait

Headteacher

Hair

Please ensure that long hair is tied up at all times.

Ipswich Gymnastic Centre, Pipers Vale, Ipswich

We are again funding a visit for all our children to Pipers Vale. It is one of the best venues in the country and our children will be able to access the facilities, coaches will be on hand to help and encourage all our children to take part in activities only available with professional instructors.

PE and Games

PE and games are an important part of the school curriculum and all children should take part. Please ensure that they have a full kit in school and children who wear earrings can either remove them before the lesson or they should be taken out at home before coming to school. If your child is unable to take part in these sessions for any reason a letter must be sent into the class teacher.

Menu Change

Wednesday 16 January - Roast Chicken etc.
Thursday 17 " - Fish, chips etc.
Friday 18 " - Beef burger etc.

Diary Dates

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| 21 Jan | 2.50 pm | Presentation by Martyn Bryant, Assistant Group Scout Leader to 1 – Y6 |
| 23 | 9.10 am | BIG BREAKFAST – toast, yogurt and fresh fruit salad |
| 1 Feb | | Chestnut class visit Pipers Vale, Gymnastic Centre, Ipswich |
| 5 | | Oak class visit Pipers Vale |
| 11 | | Creative Week |
| 12 | | Elm and Willow classes visit Pipers Vale |
| 15 | 2.30 pm | Art Display for parents and families to view in school |
| 15 | 5.00 pm | Valentine Disco – more info. to follow |
| 15 | | School closes for half-term |
| 25 | | School open again after half-term |
| 8 Mar | | World Book Day – 2.30pm Share Assembly followed by Book Look |
| 15 | | Red Nose Day more information to follow nearer the day |
| 26 | 3.40 – 6.30 pm | Parents Evening |
| 27 | 3.40 – 6.30 pm | Parents Evening |
| 1 Apr | 8.00 | SATS breakfast for all Year 6 |
| 5 | | School Closes for Easter Holidays |

VACANCY – temporary (initially 4 weeks) on-call casual hours Midday Supervisor, who would also be prepared to cover After School Club or Breakfast Club and other duties at short notice.

Essential – clear DBS, ability to maintain confidentiality, positive outlook, experience of working with children, flexibility and able to work at very short notice. With an immediate start.

Desirable – experience of working within school environment. Level 3 or above qualification, first aid qualification, up to date safeguarding training.

For more details please contact the school office and request an application form – *Mendlesham Primary School is committed to safeguarding our children -we will be undertaking our safe recruitment process.*