



NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents/Carers

It's wonderful to welcome all the children back into school, it's lovely to see their happy, smiling faces. All the staff have commented on how well everyone has settled back despite many of the children having a long absence from school. Of course there is a special welcome to our new entrants in Early Years plus 2 brothers who have joined us in Y1 and Y5. Mrs Gridley has also joined us and is teaching in Willow class.

Tessa Satt

Safeguarding

If you are concerned about the welfare of a child contact NSPCC
<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/reporting-abuse/report/>

VERY IMPORTANT Absence from school

If your child is unable to attend school please phone to confirm their absence before 9.30 am on the day. If the absence continues longer than a phone call is now requested daily again before 9.30 am. Thank you.

Term Dates 2020-2021

Autumn Term

Monday 7 September

Friday 18 December

Half term week 26 October

PD Day Friday 27 November

Spring Term

Tuesday 5 January

Thursday 26 March

Half term week 15 February

Summer Term

Monday 12 April

Wednesday 21 July

Half term week 31 May

COVID SYMPTOMS

New and continuous cough

High temperature

Loss of taste/smell

Free School Meals and Pupil Premium

If you're in receipt of Income Support or some other income related benefits, **your child may be entitled to free school meals and other benefits such as some free school uniform and reduced price school trips.** The school may receive additional funding to support your child's learning. Apply in confidence online:

www.suffolk.gov.uk/children-families-and-learning/schools/school-meals-uniforms-and-trips/apply-for-free-school-meals/

School Lunches

Please see the menu choices on our school website.

Allergen & Intolerance Menu Request Form

A paper copy will be sent home to each family with information about data security and retention policies at Vertas who are our catering contractor.

Social Distancing

Thank you to all parents and carers for your patience with the staggered start of school and pick up times. Also for your adherence to social distancing from other families at these times. This is a great example to the children and one of the ways we are all keeping our school and wider community safe. Please ensure you leave promptly from the school grounds to make space for others arriving.

Breakfast & After School Club

We are pleased that we are running these clubs, but, we ask that 24 hours notice is given for any ad-hoc children so that we have the correct staff ratio.

Fees: Breakfast Club 7.45 – 8.50

£3.50 1st child £3.00 for each sibling.

After School Club 3.15 – 4.15

£ 4.50 1st child £4.00 for each sibling

3.15 – 5.30

£7.50 1st child £6.50 each sibling

Dairy Date - Photographer

Wednesday 4 November –

School photographs

It will be just individual photos as we are unable to have photos of siblings together and of course we can't have any pre-school children.