

July 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

Please find below a few details for the new academic year.

In September, we will stagger the times for the first week (Thursday 2 September and Friday 3 September) as follows:

Class	Start time	Pick up time
Class 1 – Y5 & Y6	8.45am	2.45pm
Class 2 – Y3 & Y4	9.05am	3.05pm
Class 3 – Y1 & Y2	8.55am	2.55pm

From Monday 6 September, we will hopefully return to the normal times of 8.55am to 3.15pm.

Class 4 is as follows:

Year group	w/c 2 September	w/c 6 September onwards
Reception	Thursday 9am – 1pm Friday 9am – 1pm	8.55am – 3.15pm
Nursery 2	N2 children not in school	8.55 am – 11.55 am
Nursery 1	Taster Sessions Thursday 2pm – 3pm Friday 2pm – 3pm	8.55 am – 11.55 am

School Lunch

We will be returning to two lunch sittings in September – please find attached a copy of the menu. School meal prices will be increasing to £2.15 per day. All dinner money must be paid for in advance using our ParentPay system.

ParentPay

ParentPay is our main means of communication with parents – please ensure you keep your account up to date at all times, especially in regard to mobile telephone numbers. Please also keep the school informed if you change any of your details. New starters will all receive their ParentPay activation letter when we return to school in September.

Uniform/PE

The school uniform policy will be as normal from September, details of our uniform can be found on the school website.

With regards to PE, KS1 can bring their PE kit (in a bag with their name on) into school on a Monday and take it home on a Friday. KS2 may wear their kit on a PE day, further details to follow, however there will not be any PE on Thursday & Friday 2nd & 3rd September 2021.

School Photographer

The school photograph day will be on Tuesday 21st September 2021 (dependant on current guidelines from the DFE) and we will give further details in the start of the new term.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 2021/2022

Holiday	Closing Date	Date Re-open for Teaching Purposes
Summer 2021 (6 weeks 3 days)	Friday 16 July 2021	Thursday 2 September 2021
Autumn Half-Term 2021 (1 week)	Friday 22 October 2021	Monday 1 November 2021
Christmas 2021 (2 weeks 3 days)	Thursday 16 December 2021	Wednesday 5 January 2022
Spring Half-Term 2022 (1 week 1 day)	Thursday 17 February 2022	Monday 28 February 2022
Easter 2022 (2 weeks)	Friday 8 April 2022	Monday 25 April 2022
May Day 2022 (1 day)	Friday 29 April 2022	Tuesday 3 May 2022
Summer Half-Term 2022 (1 week)	Friday 27 May 2022	Monday 6 June 2022
Summer 2022 (6 weeks)	Wednesday 20 July 2022	To be determined

Important Note: the following dates have been agreed as INSET days for school staff and the school will be closed to pupils:

Wednesday 1 September 2021 Friday 17 December 2021 Tuesday 4 January 2022 Friday 18 February 2022 Thursday 21 July 2022

NB Leave of Absence in term time will not be granted unless there are circumstances deemed exceptional by the Headteacher. For all absence requests, a Leave of Absence form must be completed prior to the time requested. Please note that holidays during term time will not be granted.