Shadsworth Infant School Newsletter Friday 12th January 2024





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Message from Mrs Crompton



Happy new year to all our families and welcome back to school! The children have settled brilliantly back into school and have been working hard in lessons. Reception have already been on a local walk linked to their English work and on Tuesday year 2 had a visit from the local fire service as an introduction to their new history topic. Year 1 have plans to go on a local trip this half term as they start their Brilliant Blackburn geography topic and Nursery have started learning all about animals.

We are working really hard to improve our attendance/lateness and really need your help in ensuring your child in school every day, on time. Every minute of lost learning adds up and it is really important children don't fall behind their class mates. Every day matters. If you aren't sure your child is well enough for school, bring them - most of the time children forget or improve once they are having fun with their friends. If they really are poorly we will ring you straight away to come and collect. Working together we can improve our attendance!

Finally, please can we kindly ask that children wear their black school shoes to school. We have seen lots of trainers and different coloured shoes which do not fit with our uniform policy. Thank you for your cooperation with this.



RM	Oscar M	Peighton C
RB	Binky P	Fiza K
1J	Amelia S	Freya S
1W	Maya S	Finley P
2H	Keeva H	Nathan M
2GH	Ethan D	Lola D

Headteacher Award goes to Luna-Rain C

Lunchtime Award goes to Freddie C



Class	%	Late
RM	93	6
RB	92	6
1J	93	9
1W	95	6
2H	93	8
2GH	94	9

Whole School 93 44

It is **essential children come to school every day and they are on time**. If you are unsure if your child is well enough, bring them and we will send them home if necessary. If your child is not well enough to come to school - **Please telephone the school office on tel: 01254 698002 to report your child's absence** - failing to do so may result in a **home visit** and an **unauthorised** absence.

Please be mindful the entrance doors to classrooms do not open until 8.40am and close @ 8.50am. Registers are taken prompt at 8.50am. Children will be marked late after 9.00am. If you arrive to school after the doors are locked or you arrive to school after 9.00am please make sure you report to the School Office with your child to ensure they receive their mark.

Weekly Dates



Wednesday 24th Jan 24

11.00am-12.00noon Parent Wellbeing Walk with Us - meet at Heron 11.00am

Tuesday 6th February 2024

3.30pm-5.00pm Messy Church School Hall - If you are interested in attending the Messy Church please complete a registration form from the school office, if you have already completed one in the past but are still wanting to attend - please ring the school office with the number of attendees. Messy Church require numbers in advance to cater for. Many thanks for your continued support with this.

Friday 9th February 2024

Non-Uniform Day - please bring £1 - thank you for your continued support

3.20pm School Closes for half-term

Monday 19th February 2024

School closed

Tuesday 20th February 2024 School Re-Opens - Welcome Back! 8am Breakfast Club 8.40am Soft Start

Tuesday 19th March 2024

3.30pm Parents Evening

Thursday 21st March 2024

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Thursday 28th March 2024

Non-Uniform Day - Please bring £1 thank you for your continued support

12.00noon Egg Decorating Competition

1.30pm School Closes for Easter Holidays

Monday 15th April 2024 School Re-Opens - Welcome Back! 8am Breakfast Club 8.40am Soft Start

As you are aware we use ParentMail for our communication. Please check your ParentMail push notifications to enable you to keep up to date on school communications. Also please check out our school facebook page.

Shadsworth Infant School Food Bank

Open every Wednesday and Friday morning 8:40am-9:00am.

Non-perishable essential food items and toiletries available.

£3 per bag- one bag per visit.

Please note this is a booking service. If you do not book you may be turned away due to stock.

Please text/call Fran on 07754786478 to confirm your reservation.

No proof of income required.

Please enter the school building at the side entrance on Ayr Road.

Breakfast Club - opens from 8.00am



Please can we remind you that Breakfast Club needs to be paid for daily, it is £1 per day or £4 for the week to be paid in advance on the Monday - Thank you

Useful Info

Parent Wellbeing Walk With Us EVERY Wednesday will start on Wednesday 24th January 11am - 12 pm

Meet at Heron on Rothesay Road at **11am** for our **PARENT/CARER ONLY WELL BEING WALKS** - younger children/prams accessible but are the responsibility of the parent/carer - Please join us!

