



Newsletter

Spring Term

Week 1

Calendar Dates

January

14th FOBS Meeting 8.30am

15th Choir to sing at St Mark's Church Lunch club

20th (Year 1 and 2 children) Come to school dressed in their favourite colour, if they would like to. This is to introduce our new English topic 'The Day the Crayons Quit.'

21st 3.00 — 4.15 film night. Run by parents. Tickets now available on ParentPay

28th Parent class drop-in 2-3pm. Blue Base will be in their classroom in the afternoon. Staff from the Children's Hospital will be on hand if you wish to discuss any of the following; continence, fussy eating and nutrition.

February

4th Meeting for Y1 parents regarding the statutory National Phonics Screening Check, 2.15pm

17th—20th Half Term school closed

March

4th Lego Workshop

6th World Book Day—Dress up as your favourite character

6th Parent Drop-in 2-3pm

10th Silly science workshop

18th & 20th Parents' Evening, 3.30-6.30pm

26th Choir to sing at St Mark's Church Lunch Club

Key Ongoing - New this week - Altered

Attendance

Learning in school starts at 8.20am.

School Target 95%, National Target 96%

Previous weeks whole school attendance was 94% equal to the week before



Reminder of the new legislation around attendance that came into force from September this year. Parents can access additional support from DfE by accessing the resources around attendance:

<https://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/back-into-school/resources-for-families/>

Messages from the Office

Emails this week - Phonics Information (Y1)

- Art Competition
- Dressing up day (Y1 & Y2)

Texts this week - Head lice

On ParentPay - Choir Club (Y1 & Y2)

- Gulliver's Valley Y2 only
- Dodgeball (Y1 & Y2)
- Film night tickets

Dinner Menu - Week 3

ParentPay - When booking onto a club (including breakfast and teatime) please ensure that you select the sessions further down the booking page. If you don't select the sessions the system will still allow you to pay but your child's name will not appear on the list.

Clubs and Activities

ART - Monday, 3—4pm. Book online www.linklearning.education/register (Y1 & Y2)

Choir - Tuesday, 3-3.30pm - (Y1 & Y2) in the hall Sign up on ParentPay

Martial Arts - Tuesday 3pm-3.45pm (in the EYFS unit) - for Y1 & Y2s only —
to sign up email - craig@xmartialarts.co.uk

French - Thursday, 3-4pm — (Y1 & Y2) - Contact Anne (anne.bonjourshffield@gmail.com) for bookings.

Music lessons - Thursday all day. Book online www.linklearning.education/register. **There are 4 spaces available for either piano or guitar lessons. This is now open to all year groups.**

Dodgeball - (Y1 & Y2 only) — Places still available - Sign up on ParentPay

Football - Starting Monday 13th Jan, 3-4pm. All classes - Sign up directly with SoccerEds
<https://docs.google.com/document/u/0/d/1KY9nTxzHMS8X0Aupb0bd60kervTzqdUVPuQHgIqIuq0/mobilebasic>



A snowy welcome back to all our families.