



Friday 20th December, 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,



Parent/ Carers Survey

Thank you to everyone who has completed the survey sent out this week. If you haven't yet, please do take a moment to share your views. I already know that trips are high on your areas to focus on and we're working on it already! The link is here as well as in a Dojo post and via Parent app.

<https://forms.office.com/e/OPaSX6shYK>

Forest School

The children had a wonderful time this week in their forest school session. Y1, 2 and 3 will continue to access forest school for the rest of this half term and Y4,5 and 6 will attend next half term. Don't forget warm clothes for your child to change into. If they forget, they will wear their uniform and coats so that they don't miss the session.

Holidays and Absence

As you know, holidays are not authorised under any circumstances. From January, penalty notices will be pursued for any children who misses school due to an unauthorised holiday.

Absence rates again are poor for the school overall. Please consider if your child is unwell enough to stay off. Often paracetamol will reduce a temp and this can be given in school if you give your permission. Some of our children are missing far too much learning due to minor illnesses or days off for feeling tired/ getting up late.

Extra-curricular Clubs

Clubs began this week and have been well attended so far. However, a number of children stayed who staff had no slips for. Please note that places are not automatic; if your child stays and does not have a place, you will be contacted them to collect them.

Clubs will run from 3.10pm until 4pm from Tues 17th Jan until Friday 31st March. There will be no clubs in the last weeks of term.

Kind regards

Mrs Forrest and Star





Diary

Date	Event	Year groups
Sun 22 nd Jan	First Holy Communion session OLOW Church 11.30am	Y4
Fri 27 th Jan	Holocaust Memorial Day	Whole school
Wed 1 st Feb	NEU Strike day- information to follow	Whole school
Mon 6 th - Sun 12 th Feb	Children's Mental Health Week	Whole school
Tuesday 7 th Feb	Internet Safety Day	Whole school
Thurs 9 th Feb	Break up for half term 3.10pm	Whole school
Fri 10 th Feb	INSET Day- staff trauma informed training	Whole school
Sun 12 th Feb	First Holy Communion session OLOW Church Club 11.30am	Y4

After School Clubs

Day	Club	Year Group/s	Staff member	Maximum children
Monday	Sign Language	5/6	Ms Quadrio	8
	Gardening Club	2-5	Mr Bohan	5
	Mindfulness	1-4	Miss France	10
Tuesday	Football	1/2/3	Mr Kenealy	10
Wednesday	Y6 Booster	6	Mrs Chellew	Whole class
	Football	4/5	Mr Kenealy	10
Thursday	Drama	2/3/4	Miss Mogg	15
	Games and Friendship Club	4/5	Mrs Moore	10
	Y6 Booster	6	Mrs Chellew	Whole class
Friday	Y6 Maths Club	6	Mrs Moore	6

