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Whisper

The Whisper link is confidential, instant and secure.

This link can be found on the school website.



September 2019 Autumn Term

Autumn term 1 begins Wed 4th September

Year 1 Phonics Parent workshops 2.10.19 9.30am/2pm

Year 2 reading & tables parent workshop 3.10.19 9.30am/2pm

Autumn half term break 17th –27th October

Autumn term 2 begins 28th October

17th &18th October school closed for INSET

Year 3 reading & tables parent workshop 5.11.19 9.30am/2pm

Year 4 reading & tables parent workshop 6.11.19 9.30am/2pm

Year 5 greater depth writers workshop 27.11.19 9.30am

Year 6 SATS and Residential update 27.11.19 time TBC

Parent consultations

Wed 13.11.19, Thurs 14.11.19 (Autumn term 2nd)

Christmas Sing-A-Long for parents to attend

Reception 10.12.19 9.30am

Year 1 11.12.19 9.30am

Year 2 12.12.19 9.30am

Christmas Craft sessions for KS2 for parents to attend

Year 3 10.12.19 2pm

Year 4 11.12.19 2pm

Year 5 12.12.19 2pm

Year 6 13.12.19 2pm

Christmas parties Years 1-6; Tuesday 17th December 2019

Please send your child to school wearing party clothes on that day.

Christmas Break 19th Dec –6th Jan 2020

6th January school will be closed for INSET

Spring term 1 begins 7th Jan 2020

Pantomime Friday 17.1.20– Sleeping Beauty

Please send your child to school dressed up as a fairy tale character on that day. Please send a food bank contribution.

World Book Day celebration 5.3.20

Spring half term break 15th –23rd February 2020

Easter break 28th March –13th April 2020

8th May bank holiday will be on the Friday this year not Monday

SATS Week (Year 2 and 6) Monday 11th - Friday 15th May 2020

Summer half term 25th-29th May 2020

4th June 2020 Science Day celebrations

Parent consultations

Wed 24.6.20, Thurs 25.6.20(Summer term 2nd)

Year 6 Leavers Assembly Wed 22.7.20 2.15pm

Last day of Summer term at school 23rd July 2020

Please ensure that you supervise your child while on the school site before the school day begins at 9am and when your child is collected at the end of each day.

Please do not enter through the gates into the forest or garden at any time without a member of staff.

Holidays will only be authorised by Headteacher under exceptional circumstances.

The Cabin Team Our Cabin team is led by Mrs Emma Williams. If you require provision please complete a form and you will be put on the waiting list. If you have any queries about invoicing, please contact me directly using cabin@etwschool.com or head@etwschool.com. **Contact ; cabin@etwschool.com. School office 01237 475178**



Dear Parents, Carers and families,

Welcome back

We hope that you have had an enjoyable Summer break, feeling relaxed and rested. We look forward to seeing the children settle into their new classes, Teaching Assistants and Teaching Staff have been very busy during INSET days getting their rooms and the curriculum ready for this coming half term.

Please remember we have no longer a Patrol Officer on our crossing. Please cross safely. If driving, please use common sense and find a safe and legal parking space. The spaces outside the school gate are restricted during key times.

Each morning staff will be on duty at the school gate and outside Little Skippers. It will no longer be possible to enter the outer or main school buildings before or during the morning session. A Teaching Assistant will be on duty and will be happy to give any teacher important information about your child on your behalf. Class teachers are available to discuss concerns you have about your child at the end of each school day.

Welcome to our new teachers

We would like to welcome Ms Heard (Yr3) ,Mrs Bridle,(Y6), Ms Sutton (Yr 5) and Mr Chaming (Yr1).

Sadly we say goodbye to Ms Turan, Ms Shambrook and Ms Sobey. We also say goodbye to two SEN teaching Assistants; Mrs Marshall Deane and Mrs Amschwand who have working in our school for many years. We wish them the best of luck at their new schools and thank them for their commitment to our school.

New School Council Members

Congratulations to our new school members, Oskar Matthews and Amelie Bennett. They were very busy helping to sort out the school litter at the end of the Summer term. Our next meeting will be held on 19th September in Mrs Higley's room. Lunch will be provided.

Crisp Collection Centre

We continue to collect Crisp Wrappers to raise funds for our school.

Biggest School Walk

We will update you of our next school walk which will take place during October.

Food Bank Collection Centre

Please remember that we are still collecting food items in the main office.

Parent Mail – SIMS APP

It would be very helpful if all parents could be contacted by Parent App in case of any emergency or traffic delay while children are away on educational visits as an additional level of safeguarding. If you are unable to access this on your phone please speak to Mrs Hill in the school office.

Race For Life This sponsored event raised £1175.55.

Book Sale Thank you for your support once again, The school earned £317 which we will spend on much needed dictionaries.

Devon Parent Partnership Service

Devon Parent Partnership Service is an organisation that provides information, support and training for parents and carers of children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities. They offer a confidential, free and impartial service. Amongst other things, they can:

- Listen to what you have to say and talk through your options and decisions
 - Describe what support the school can offer
 - Explain the meaning of documents, reports and letters
- Support the development of good communication between you, the school and other services

If you would like to find out more about the Service, either pick up a leaflet about them outside Mrs Smith's room in East-the-Water Primary, contact them directly on 01392 383080 or check out their website at www.parentpartnershipdevon.org.uk