

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the Summer term.

The children are enjoying their new topics, the details of which you can find on the website and of course you have your weekly learning letters/timetables.

Reception have started learning all about Minibeasts, Year 1 learning all about Mexico, Year 2 learning all about Kenya. We are sure the children will love sharing what they have been finding out about during their lessons.

There is so much to look forward to this term with Sports Day, School trips, Enrichment Day, Forest School, Swimming and the Summer Fair just to name a few activities and events. It will be lovely reporting back with photos on all these exciting opportunities. And later in the term we will plan for thorough, careful transition for all children moving year groups and also for our new Reception children and our Year 2 children leaving us for their Junior schools.

FOTG

The FOTG are an amazing force for fundraising making a huge difference to the enrichment opportunities we can offer all the children. It is extraordinary, in fact quite shocking, how much money is raised every single year, even within COVID lockdowns. The committees always work so hard and with much creativity organising ad leading fundraising events and this has a huge impact on the community bringing families together. Our current committee have done an amazing job raising money, which our children and staff have benefited from enormously through the provision of enrichment workshops as well as practical resources. We have vacancies for committee members if anyone is interested in joining and helping our school. Many hands make light work is definitely a saying/principle that applies to the success of the FOTG. Please let the office know if you can spare a little time to help.





SAFEGUARDING

Just a little reminder:

We understand that the climbing frame and all other equipment on the top playground are very inviting but request that the children do not use these resources before or after school.

We have staff supervision, Trumps Green Infant school staff/Pleiades staff at all times when these resources are being used during the day and afterschool for children in after school club for Health and Safety requirements.

We cannot ensure the safety of children before or after school. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

ATTENDANCE

Please may we remind you that the classroom doors close at 9.05 am. Every moment of learning time is crucial and in addition children do like to be on time in the classroom coming in with their peers.

If you arrive at school after that time, please report to the school office where you will be required to complete the 'late book'. The register closes at 9.30 am and after this time any lateness is recorded as unauthorised absence.

All lateness and absence is monitored by the Inclusion Officer.





WEATHER

At the moment, it is quite cold so please may the children always bring coats to school each day. As the weather warms please ensure the children have sunhats, and suntan lotion is applied before school. We are not allowed to put lotion on your children but are happy for the children to reapply if necessary during the day. For Health and Safety reasons we monitor this carefully to ensure there is no sharing of lotion at all in case of allergic reactions for instance.

The children have access to water all day and we wish to reassure you as the term progresses that we are mindful of hot days ensuring the children have access to shade and cooler spaces within the school.

Wishing you all a very happy and fun weekend.

Best wishes

Sarah Morris





CALENDAR

EVENT	DATE	TIME
SUMMER TERM 2024		
INSET DAY (School closed)	Monday 15 April	
SCHOOL STARTS	Tuesday 16 April	9.00 am
BANK HOLIDAY (School closed)	Monday 6 May	
INSET DAY (School closed)	Friday 24 May	
HALF TERM	Monday 27 May - Friday 31 May	
SCHOOL STARTS	Monday 3 June	9.00 am
SUMMER TERM ENDS	Tuesday 23 July	1.15 pm





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Bank Holiday (School Closed)	Monday 6 May	
INSET DAY (School closed)	Friday 24 May	
HALF TERM	Monday 27 May - Friday 31 May	
Sports Day	Friday 7 June	
Year 1 Lookout Centre Trip	Wednesday 12 June	
Year 2 Painshill Park	Thursday 13 June	
Father's Day Craft	Friday 14 June	
Reception Little City	Thursday 20 June	
School Summer Fair	Saturday 6 July	
Reports to parents	Monday 15 July	
Learning sharing for parents	Thursday 18 July	
School Summer Fair	Saturday 6 July	
SUMMER TERM ENDS	Tuesday 23 July	1:15 PM

