

Fosse Primary News

Issue 2

Friday 6th September 2019

Everybody's learning!

Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

On the reverse of this newsletter you will find an overview of what your child will be learning this term. Please look at this to see how you may be able to help support your child. If there is anything else you want to know please see your child's teacher in the first instance. You can also arrange to talk to a 'Phase Leader' if you ever have any concerns. They are:

Mrs Turner – Nursery and Reception (Foundation 1 and 2)

Mrs Handford Glaze – Key Stage 1 (Years 1 and 2)

Mr Taylor – Lower Key Stage 2 (Years 3 and 4)

Mr Houlton – Upper Key Stage 2 (Years 5 and 6)

Miss Tuffey (Deputy Head and SENCo) or Miss Fritche (Assistant Head) are also available to help ☺

Best Wishes

Richard Stone

Headteacher

Some dates for this term

Dropping off / picking up

From Monday 9th September, the side gate from the Reception playground will be locked before and after school. We know this will be awkward for some families, which we are really sorry about, but we know this will improve safety and provision for our youngest pupils:

- The Foundation playground is a learning area and having adults and children walk through before and after school prevents it being developed and used as it should be
- We want our youngest children to feel safe and secure in school – older children and adults walking through is simply unfair on Nursery and Reception children

Parents will now need to walk around the outside of the school. I am sorry that this is less convenient but it will make things better for the little ones so please be patient.

Fri 6th Sept	Art Day
Fri 9th Sept	School Council Elections (years 1 – 6)
Tues 17th Sept	KS2 Internet Safety Assembly
Tues 17th Sept	Y4 Trip to Foxton Locks
Tues 17th Sept	Governors' Meeting
Thurs 19th Sept	AUTUMN FAIR
Fri 27th Sept	3L Class Assembly
Fri 4th Oct	3A Class Assembly
Thurs 10th Oct	Parents' Evening
14th – 18th Oct	HALF TERM
21st -25th Oct	International Week
Fri 25th Oct	Year 2 Diwali Assembly
Weds 30th Oct	Photo Day – individuals and families
Fri 8th Nov	6F Class Assembly
Tues 12th Nov	Governors Meeting
Fri 15th Nov	Y5 Children in Need Assembly
Fri 22nd Nov	6H Class Assembly
Fri 13th Dec	Year 1 Nativity Performance
Weds 18th Dec	Christmas Dinner
Thurs 19th Dec	Poetry Day
Fri 20th Dec	St Margaret's Carol Service
Fri 20th Dec	Christmas Holiday begins
Tues 7th Jan	Spring Term Begins

From Monday morning, children in Years 1 – 6 will line up in the playground before school.

We will operate a double whistle system which we already use at break times and lunchtimes. Again, we are introducing this to improve the start of the day, particularly by preventing the squash around the Year 2 and Year 5 doors. Picking up arrangements will not change, except **gates will now be unlocked at 3.05**, to make it easier for children to get back to class from the sports hall before parents arrive.