

Friday 13th September 2019



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Dates

- ♦ Wb 16th Sept – meet the teacher evenings
- ♦ Family workshop – 25th Sept at 9:15am
- ♦ Harvest – Tues 8th Oct at 9:30
- ♦ Quiz Night – 11th Oct
- ♦ Wb 14th Oct – Parent evenings.
- ♦ **Wb 21st October – Half Term**
- ♦ Children back – Mon 28th Oct
- ♦ Year 6 school applications in- 31st Oct.

Learn Devon

Thank you to those people who came to find out a bit more about the family learning opportunities on Wednesday this week. On the back of this newsletter is a leaflet about a follow up workshop on **Wednesday 25th September at 9:15am.** All are welcome just complete the slip that is attached.

Dates

Please keep an eye on the dates column of the newsletter where we try to give advanced notice of whole school events and any changes to dates. Apologies for the wording last week about half term and the children returning to school. Half term is only one week and starts on **Monday 21st October.** Sorry to those people who were excited about having a 2 week holiday!

Meet the Teacher

Each year we give an opportunity for you to meet with your child's new teacher and to find out about the routines, expectations and the areas the children will be learning about. Each teacher will do a short talk **straight after school.** These are on different days so if you have more than one child you can attend the different meetings.

Monday 16th September – Year 4 Mr Luxton

Tuesday 17th September – Year 5 Mrs Evans

Thursday 19th September – Year 3 Miss Radmore

Monday 23rd September – Year 1 Mrs Winnall and Miss Tracy

Tuesday 24th September – Year 6 Mr Jenkins

Wednesday 24th September – Year 1 Mrs Bessant and Mrs Pavey

There is no meeting for Reception as this has already happened and parents have been in to meet the teacher. These meetings are not to discuss individual children but you are always welcome to come in to school to talk about your child. It is easier for teachers to make time after school as mornings can be very busy getting ready for the children.

Next Steps

If your child is in Year 6 you will need to make an application for their secondary school place. Many of the schools will be holding open days and it is always good to go for a visit. Applications need to be made online by the **31st October 2019.** More information can be found at:

www.devon.gov.uk/educationandfamilies/school-information/apply-for-a-school-place

School Comms

Thank you for your patience with School Comms we have made progress this week and hope to have menus and the ability to pay for dinners online very soon. It is working for school trips and there is currently one on there for Years 5 and 6.

Reception

It has been lovely to welcome our new reception this week. They have settled really well into their classroom. Next week they are all in full time so I hope they have plenty of rest this weekend so they are ready for a busy week! Well done Reception on a great start!

