Meadow View Primary School

Newsletter – May 2025

Sports Days

In Key Stage 1 and 2, we organise our sports days so that the children participate in a variety of sports for the whole afternoon, however Parents and Carers are invited to come and watch the races section of the day. The dates for our sports days are as follows:

EYFS (F0, F1 and F2) Friday 13th June at 10:45am-11:30 Key Stage 1 (Y1 and Y2) Thursday 12th June at 2pm Key Stage 2 (Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6) Wednesday 11th June at 2pm

On the day of your child's sports day, they should attend school wearing trainers, black shorts, leggings or tracksuit bottoms with a t-shirt in their house colour.

Aspire – Green Include – Yellow Achieve – Red Wellness - Blue Parents and Carers will be welcomed through the exit gate 5 minutes before the races start. For safety reasons, children will stay with their teachers and will not be allowed to go to their parents or carers during the event.

Parent/Carer Questionnaire

If you haven't already, please take a few moments to complete this <u>questionnaire</u>. All positive comments are greatly appreciated and supportive points for development help us to continue to improve. This year we have increased the number of trips the children go on, reduced the cost of trips and residential, developed the playground area, further developed our anti bullying work and further developed out personal development strategy all based on parental feedback and ideas.

INSET Days 2025/26

We have now set our school INSET days for the next academic year and wanted to get these out to families as quickly as possible. Our INSET days will be:

- Monday 1st September
- Monday 3rd November
- Friday 22nd May
- Monday 1st June
- Monday 20th July

Due to the positive feedback, you will notice that we have again extended the May half term holiday to enable families to book a cheaper holiday without taking term time leave.

Statutory Tests

The summer term is a busy term for schools and children with the following government statutory tests being taken:

Y6 SATs are during the week beginning 12th May on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

Y4 Multiplication tables check will take place the week beginning 2nd June.

Y1 and Y2 resit Phonic tests will take place the week beginning 9th June.

The top of the drive

If you are waiting at the top of the drive to meet your children or chat with friends, please do this considerately and avoid blocking the public footpath. There are approximately 500 people needing to enter and exit the grounds during drop off time and we would like this to be welcoming and safe for everyone.

May INSET Days

We have some school INSET Days coming up around the half term holiday. The last day of school is Wednesday 21st May 2025. The children are then off school from 22nd May – 3rd June and return back to school on Wednesday 4th June.

Playground Developments

We are very excited to announce that we now have confirmation that we will be having some further playground developments on both the KS1 and KS2 playground. This is a project myself; Mrs Taylor and the children have been working on for some time now so we are excited that this will be done during the summer term KS2 will be having a structure similar to this:



KS1 will be having a structure similar to this:



You may therefore notice some works taking place during the summer term.

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