

Meadow View Primary School Newsletter – July 2025

Term Time Holidays

We understand that holiday prices are increasing and that family time is important, however taking your child on holiday can have a detrimental impact upon their academic success and attainment. If pupils are absent for a holiday of 5 days or more and their attendance drops below 95.8% you may be subject to a fixed penalty notice. As a school we want to prevent this and provide options for parents to continue to access competitive holiday prices without their child missing school. Extending the May half term holidays has been highly successful and has reduced the number of term time holidays therefore we will do this again next year. May half term will start at 3:15pm on Thursday 23rd May and children will not return to school until Tuesday 2nd June. Therefore, this gives the possibility of booking a 10 day holiday without your child needing to miss any time at school. Please utilise this option for your holidays, rather than going in term time. We will be monitoring the uptake and impact of this strategy.

Trim Trails

As you will see when on the playground, the trim trails have now been completed. The children are very excited to use them and are able to at lunchtime and breaktime under adult supervision. For safety, please ensure that children do not go on the trim trail at drop off or collection time.

Sporting Success

Our Y4 and Y5 Girls Football team competed in the Winterhill cup on 2nd July. They put on an incredible display of fight, determination and skill and were victorious in snatching the number 1 spot! Well done to all the girls involved. You make us all proud every day. Meadow View are proud to offer equal sporting opportunities to both girls and boys. #letgirlsplay

New Nursery Teacher

I am really pleased to inform you that we have appointed a new Nursery Teacher in EYFS. Her name is Miss Lucera and she will be staring with us in September as the F1 class teacher. Please make her feel warmly welcomed to the

INSET Days 2024-25

Our INSET days for next academic year will be:

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

Sports Days

Thank you so much for the wonderful support that our families gave to our pupils during their sports days. The children thoroughly enjoyed having you cheer them on and all events went perfectly. The winning house overall was team wellness. Well done to all the children for taking part and competing with respect and resilience.

Learning Showcase

Please remember that on Thursday 17th July all parents are invited to our learning Showcase. This is where classrooms will be opened from 3:20pm - 3:50pm after school so that parents have the opportunity to stay with their child to look at their books and work and in FS some photos of the learning the children have done. All children MUST stay with the parent to share all of the incredible knowledge they have acquired during the term.

School will finish as normal at 3:15pm and staff will dismiss the children from their classroom as normal. We need to ensure that normal safeguarding procedures for releasing children are followed before the showcase starts. Parents who wish to attend the showcase should either arrive at 3:20pm or wait outside the classroom until 3:20pm. If you have more than one child in school, you are welcome to visit each classroom.

Litter

Mr Wright, our caretaker is reporting that there is a significant increase in litter on the school premises which is being dropped as families enter the school grounds. We are proud of our school and want it to be a fantastic place for your children to learn and play. Please support us by using the bins provided and report anyone you see dropping litter to a staff member.

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