



Newsletter 16

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INSPIRE our children to succeed



CREATE excitement for learning



ACHIEVE EXCELLENCE

CLUBS			
Day	Time	Clubs	Year Group
Tuesday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Change For Life	2,3,& 4
Wednesday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Multi Sports	Rec,1 & 2
Wednesday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Football	5 & 6
Wednesday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Tennis	2 & 3
Wednesday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Phonics	Reception
Wednesday	3.20 - 4.00pm	Ukulele	4, 5 & 6
Wednesday	1.30 - 3.00	Guitar	1 & 2
Thursday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Cricket	3, 4, 5 & 6
Thursday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Football	3 & 4
Thursday	3.20 - 4.30pm	TT Rockstars (Maths)	1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6
Thursday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Multi Sports	2 & 3
Friday	10.00 - 3.00pm	Guitar	3-6
Friday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Dodge Ball	3,4,5 & 6
Friday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Singing	3,4,5 & 6

Spaces are available in the following clubs:
TT Rockstars, Multi Sports on Thursdays, Tennis, phonics and cricket club.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: SCHOOL IS CLOSED FRIDAY 25 JANUARY

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

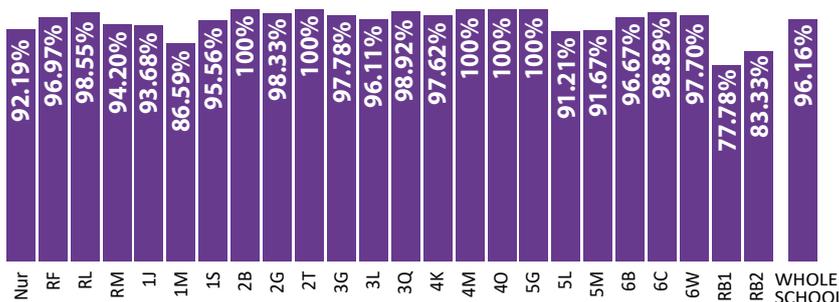
Friday 18 January	3Q visit to Birmingham Museum & Art Gallery
Tuesday 22 January	Year 4 trip to St.Philips Cathedral
Wednesday 23 January	RB1 and RB2 trip to the Birmingham Hippodrome
Thursday 24 January	Year 4 trip to St.Philips Cathedral
Friday 25 January	SCHOOL CLOSED TO CHILDREN (Staff training day)
Monday 28 January	Reception Visit Travel Hub Birmingham Airport
Thursday 31 January	Reception Visit Travel Hub Birmingham Airport
Tuesday 5 February	SAFER INTERNET DAY Parent Workshop 2.30pm
Tuesday 26 February	Parents Evening 3.30 - 5.30pm
Thursday 28 February	Parents Evening 3.30 - 6.00pm

ATTENDANCE

NO DAYS LOST	10 DAYS LOST	19 DAYS LOST	29 DAYS LOST THE SAME AS HALF A TERM!	38 DAYS LOST	47 DAYS LOST
100%	95%	90%	85%	80%	75%
190 days of education	180 days of education	171 days of education	161 days of education	152 days of education	143 days of education
GOOD Best chance of success - get your child off to a flying start		WORRYING Less chance of success. Makes it harder for your child to progress.		SERIOUS CONCERN COURT ACTION AND FINES	

CHILDREN NEED TO BE IN SCHOOL AT 8.45AM
LESSONS START AT 8.50AM. LATE MARKS WILL BE GIVEN TO CHILDREN WHO ARRIVE AFTER 8.50AM
GATES CLOSE AT 9.00AM, AFTER THIS CHILDREN MUST ENTER THROUGH THE MAIN OFFICE

Attendance W.C. 7 JANUARY 2019



CHILDREN SHOULD HAVE THEIR PE KIT IN SCHOOL EVERY DAY:

Black shorts
White t-shirt (with or without the school badge)
Black plimsolls for inside games.
Black trainers for outside games.
Tracksuits or sweatshirts may be worn outside in cold weather.
ALL KIT SHOULD BE CLEARLY LABELLED

TERM DATES

BREAK UP	RETURN TO SCHOOL
2019	
FRIDAY 15 FEBRUARY	MONDAY 25 FEBRUARY
FRIDAY 12 APRIL	MONDAY 29 APRIL
FRIDAY 24 MAY	MONDAY 3 JUNE
FRIDAY 19 JULY	TBC



STARS OF THE WEEK

Class	Name	Reason	Reader of the week
RF	Darcie M	Darcie has been working extremely hard in phonics this week, and her hard work is really paying off. She has produced a lovely 'I am' sentence independently and with confidence.	Rayyan A
RL	Daro K B	For making outstanding progress in phonics, which has helped his writing and his letter formation. We are also very impressed with his willingness and enthusiasm to practice his writing during independent learning time. Keep up the good work Daro!	Destiny-Mai P
RM	Devansh P	Devansh has really excelled in Maths the last couple of weeks. He is now able to recognise and count to 10, independently. Devansh does extra Maths work at home and this is evident in his progression.	Haleema M
1J	Muhammed M A	Maysam has been trying really hard in English this week. He has completed some excellent writing about the book Some Dogs Do. Keep it up!	Kyle C
1M	Aminah K	Aminah has made an excellent start to the Spring term. I have been very impressed with her efforts in writing this week; it is great to see the progress she is making. Keep up all the hard work Aminah. Well done!	Rayyan H
1S	Ayah A	Ayah has made a huge improvement in reading. This week she had over 6 comments in her reading diary and this dedication at home has shown in her recent reading sessions. Well done Ayah.	Mohammed H Y
2T	Mohammed H	Haseeb always works tremendously hard at school and follows instructions really carefully. He is a great role model for all of the children in 2T and I am so glad he is a member of our class! Well done Haseeb!	Haleemah J
2G	Berat G	WOW! Berat has made a fantastic start to the Spring term in all his subjects. He works hard every single day and is making so much progress! Well done Berat!	Tanmayee S
2B	Mia D	Mia was getting a little worried before Christmas about school and didn't want to come in. But now, she is coming in happy every day and playing beautifully with her friends. We are glad you are happy again Mia!	Mehreen R
3Q	Sarah B	Sarah has been absolutely fantastic this week! She has been working so hard in her writing and thinking carefully about her spellings. She is also answering more questions in her reading. Well done, Sarah!	Jayden T
3L	Tasnim B F	Tasnim is working hard in all lessons and is an extremely kind and caring pupil. I am very proud of you. Keep this up!	Shahd A
3G	Fayza J	Fayza has an excellent attitude to learning. Well done!	Bethany W
4O	Charlie W	For starting this new term the right way! Excellent behaviour and learning attitude.	Lily C
4K	Sidra N	Sidra did some super work in Science this week. She explained the difference between pitch and volume very well. Keep up the good work Sidra.	Mason R
4M	Willow B	Willow has started the new term full of enthusiasm and has impressed us with her valuable contributions in class. Well done Willow.	Abdul K
5G	Muhammad S	Sudais was a model pupil on our recent trip to RAF Cosford and a perfect ambassador for the school. He has also shown a hardworking attitude in all lessons this week. Well done!	Adam H
5L	Salaah I	Wow, what an amazing change in attitude Salaah has shown to his learning this week. He is focused and always keen to share his ideas and answers with his peers. I am very proud of you.	Umamah S
5M	Moeez J B	It has been brilliant to hear Moeez's contributions during our afternoon lessons lately - he is fully engaged, taking every opportunity to share and extend his knowledge.	Amna A A
6C	Eesa A-F Y	Eesa has had an excellent start back to school! All of his teachers have commented on his improved attitude to learning. In every single lesson, Eesa is now putting up his hand to answer and ask questions - well done Eesa keep this up!	Hibbah A
6B	Aafia M	Everyone who teaches Aafia has been really impressed with how focussed and hardworking she has been since the start of term. In maths, Miss Cockayne has been especially impressed by the questions she has asked and her determination to understand complex topics. Well done Aafia - you are a star and we love having you in 6B!	Esah B
6W	Allimisam A	Alli has really been pushing himself in writing this week. He has been determined to do more, up-level his vocabulary and incorporate ideas from his reading. This all results in a really excellent piece of writing and one happy teacher!	Umai H
RB	Sarah A	Alli has really been pushing himself in writing this week. He has been determined to do more, up-level his vocabulary and incorporate ideas from his reading. This all results in a really excellent piece of writing and one happy teacher!	Rayyan D



TESCO
Bags of Help

THE RED TREE FUND

RAISING MONEY FOR CHILDREN'S WELL BEING

We are delighted to have been accepted onto the Tesco Bags of Help Grant Scheme.

Our Red Tree Fund project will be put forward to a customer vote in Tesco stores during January and February 2019.

The project with the highest number of votes across our region will receive £4,000, the second placed project £2,000 and the third placed project £1,000.

Please help us by voting at any of the following Tesco stores:

Tesco Extra Stratford Road Shirley B90 4EN

Tesco Superstore Stratford Road Hall Green B90 3LU

Tesco Express:

Robin Hood Lane B28 0LG

Kings Heath, Alcester Road B14 6EB

Hollywood, Alcester Road B47 5PN

Hall Green, Stratford Road B28 8AB

Hermitage Road, Solihull B91 2LJ

Dickens Heath B90 1UA

Dorridge B93 8H

Tesco Metro Knowle B93 0LE

In loving memory
of Alex Keogh

A great start for babies and children



Do you have a child under 5?

Would you like to:

- feel more confident as a parent?
- reduce mealtime stress?
- enjoy being active as a family more often?
- encourage your child away from screens and TV?
- see your child eat more fruit and vegetables?
- gain ideas to help with family routines?

"I would recommend this course to anyone with young children. It has become a vital tool in my life!"



Is the HENRY programme for me?

The HENRY programme can help everyone with a baby or young child. Every parent who joins learns something new and useful.



If you have at least one child under 5 years old and can answer 'yes' to any of the questions below then HENRY is for you:

- Would you like to feel more confident as a parent?
- Would you like some support to give your child a healthy start?
- Do you wish your child would eat more fruit and vegetables?
- Would you like to reduce mealtime stress?
- Would you like to enjoy being active together as a family more often?
- Are you interested in some ideas to get children away from the TV?

What is HENRY?

HENRY is a UK charity working to give babies and young children a healthy start in life.

What do other parents say about it?

- 97% of parents would recommend it
- 89% feel more confident as a parent

"I'm so glad I did this programme. Do it!"
"This was the best thing I could possibly have done to help me be a better mum"

What do I get on a HENRY programme?

Every parent joining a HENRY programme receives a HENRY toolkit which includes everything you'll need during the programme and helpful resources to use in your family.

The HENRY toolkit will help you give your child a great start in life, get the whole family involved, and keep track of how well you're doing.



The HENRY Parent Toolkit - free to everyone joining a HENRY programme

How can I join a programme?

HENRY programmes are running locally. Talk to your local children's centre to find out more, help you decide if you would enjoy it, or to join a programme.

Starting on:
 28th January 2019
 9.30am - 12.00pm
 at
 Holy Cross Church
 29 Beauchamp Road
 Billesley
 Birmingham
 B13 0NS

For more information about HENRY go online:

-  www.henry.org.uk
-  @HENRYHealthy
-  facebook.com/HENRY.HealthyFamilies
-  01865 302973





<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	
<p>Play and Explore at The Oaks Primary School 9.30 - 11.00am 0-5 years Stay and Play</p>	<p>Baby Clinic Charlotte Rd Health Centre 8.30 - 11.15am Breastfeeding Support</p>	<p>Baby Clinic at The Chinnbrook Centre 9.30 - 11.15am Breastfeeding Support</p>	<p>Baby Clinic Selly Oak Health Centre 8.30 - 11.30am</p>	<p>Play and Explore at Warstock Community Centre 9.30 - 11.00am 12 - 26 months Stay and Play</p>	
<p>Family Support at The Oaks Primary School 9.30 - 11.00 Appointment only: 464 4189</p>	<p>Play and Explore at Holy Cross Com. Centre 9.30 - 11.00am 0-5 years</p>	<p>Musical Babies at Maypole Methodist Church 10.00 - 11.00am Birth to walking</p>	<p>Baby Clinic Charlotte Rd Health Centre 9.30 - 11.30am</p>	<p>Child-minding Support at GBNFC (Grendon Road) 9.30 - 11.30am For local child-minders</p>	
<p>Baby Clinic at The Chinnbrook Centre 9.30 - 11.15am</p>	<p>Child-minding Support at The Chinnbrook Centre 9.30 - 11.00am For local child-minders</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">PLUS FAMILY SUPPORT DAILY DROP-IN Mon-Fri at The Chinnbrook Centre 9.30 - 10.30am</p>	<p>Let's Get Physical at The Chinnbrook Centre 9.30 - 11.00am</p>	<p>Play and Explore at Stirchley Baths 10.00 - 11.30am 0-5 years</p>	
<p>Immanuel Stay & Play at Immanuel Church 9.00-11.30am 0-5 years</p>	<p>Kids West Midlands SEND Group at GBNFC (Grendon Road) 9.30 - 11.30 am</p>		<p>Stay and Play at Maypole Methodist 9.30 - 11.30am 0-5 years</p>	<p>Musical Babies at St Mary's Church 10.00 - 11.00pm 0 to walking</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Saturday First Saturday of every month Dad's Group 10.00am - 12.00pm Please call to book: 464 4189</p>
<p>Baby Clinic at Selly Oak Health Centre 1.30 - 3.30pm</p>	<p>Baby Group at St Mary's Church 12.30 - 2.00pm Birth to walking</p>		<p>Chatterboxes at St Mary's Church 12.30 - 2.00pm 2-4 years For carers with concerns about their child's speech Appointment only 0121 464 4189</p>		
	<p>Family Support Masefield Comm Centre 9.30 - 11.30am 1st Tuesday in month or appointment only: 464 4189 GBNFC(Grendon Rd) 1.00 - 2.30pm Appointment only: 464 4189</p>				