



Southsea Infant School

Newsletter



Number 5 Summer Term 2017/2018

Dear Parents

I hope you enjoyed the Easter break! Here we are - the final term of this academic school year!

Mrs Semple and Mrs Mills will be leaving to go on maternity leave at the end of this week. We wish them both well and look forward to the arrival of their new babies. Miss Cook

Curriculum Information



Enclosed is a Curriculum information sheet giving details of the topics your child will be working on this half term.

You can access the weekly sheets listing the activities for the week ahead on our school website.

Topics for this half term are:

YR - Dear Zoo

Y1 - Lighthouses

Y2 - Changes

Sharing Together

Sharing together this half term will be on **Wednesday 23rd May from 3.10-3.45 pm**. This is a chance for you to come and look at your child's work.



Parent/Child Workshop

This term's workshops will take place next half term and will start with a presentation about transition to the next year group or school phase. Dates will be announced in our next half termly newsletter.



Class Photographs

The school photographer will be taking class photographs on the morning of **Thursday 17th May**. You will be able to buy copies as a memento of your child's year at school.

Upcoming PTFA Events Dates for Your Diary

- PTFA Social meeting for summer fete planning: Thursday 26th April - Florence Arms, Florence Road - 8pm
- Bags2school collection: Thurs 10th May
- Film night Friday: 11th May
- Summer Fayre: Saturday 16th June
- PTFA meeting Re: handover 2018/19: Thurs 28th June - Florence Arms, Florence Road - 8pm
- Friday 20th July: Summer Disco

Free School Meals

Enclosed is the Free School Meal Application form. As there have been significant changes, which will affect the school's funding, it is important that you fill the form out and return it to the school office ASAP. Thank you.

NHS Chart on Illnesses

We have an NHS chart regarding illnesses on the outside noticeboard near Reception and in the Year R playground, it has really useful information which will help you when your child is ill. It is also on our website under Information and Illness & Going to School. www.southsea.portsmouth.sch.uk

An Update from School Trends, our uniform supplier

We are updating our carriage charges for our on-line uniform service.

We have listened to feedback from parents about the cost of our delivery service, and so from 27th April 2018 we are reducing the carriage cost of parent orders from £4.95 to just £2.99. This charge will apply to **all** Parents orders, whether delivered to home or to school.

Free delivery will apply on all orders over the value of £75 including VAT.

You will now be able to have delivery to home or an alternate address before the start of term, and to school during term times and all at a very reasonable cost.

I hope you will agree that this is a much-improved option for both School and Parent.

Coffee Afternoon

We do not have a topic planned for the coffee afternoon for this term. Please could you complete the slip attached to let us know what you would like to hear about at future meetings.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2017-2018

SUMMER TERM 1st HALF: Monday 16th April - Friday 25th May

INSET DAY: Monday 21st May

SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY 7th MAY FOR MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY

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SUMMER TERM 2nd HALF: Monday 4th June - Tuesday 24th July

PTFA Summer Fayre: Saturday 16th June

PTFA meeting re: Handover 2018/19: Thursday 28th June - 8pm - Florence Arms, Florence Road

INSET DAY: Friday 29th June

PTFA Summer Disco: Friday 20th July

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