



Wyke Primary Academy

Newsletter



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22nd April 2022 – Summer 1

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome back to the summer term! I hope that you all had a lovely Easter break and managed to enjoy some of the sunshine that we had.

Learning Conference Parents Evening

Next Wednesday and Thursday, we will be having the Summer Term Parents Evenings. You will have received an email this week with details on how to book these appointments.

It is important that your child attends the meeting with you. The teachers will be discussing the learning and progress with your children and will be talking to them about their targets for the rest of the year. This teacher- child conferencing forms part of our Kite Assessment and gives the children more ownership of their learning.



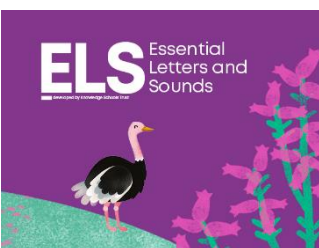
For Year 1-6, these conversations will be happening before the reports come out the following week. The report portal will open 16:00 Tuesday 3rd May and close again on Friday 13th May 2022.

Reception parents will receive their report at Parents Evening.

Link for the report portal is: <https://parents.kite.academy>

If you need to register for the portal still, please click on: <https://parents.kite.academy/t/register.php>

Reception and Year 1 Parents – Phonics Information sessions



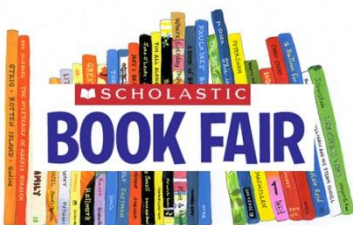
As we have changed the way we teach phonics in school, we will be running parent information sessions to share the new approach. The session will be run twice:

Tuesday 10th May – 9:00 and 17:00

It would be lovely for you to join us, as we will be explaining the ELS phonics programme and also how phonics reading books and shared reading books will be being sent home and used to support the teaching and learning of phonics.

Scholastic Book Fair

We will be having the Book Fair after school every day of the last week of half term. (24th May until 27th May.)



Krispy Kreme Donut Sale

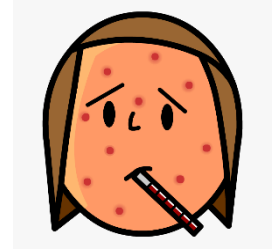
Year 6 are raising money for their leaver's celebration. Donut's are available to order through Scopay at a cost of £1 each or 6 for £5 until midday Friday 29th April. They will go home with the children on Friday 6th May.



Chicken Pox

We have had quite a few children with chicken pox both before the holiday and this week. After two years of the children mixing less with each other, it seems to be spreading quite readily! The incubation period for chicken pox is around 2 weeks, so please do keep an eye out for any spots!

The children are able to come back into school once all the blister spots have dried and scabbed over.



Surrey Inclusion Service - Attendance

The Surrey Inclusion Service have asked us to send a reminder out to parents regarding attendance and unauthorised time off school.

The service continues to conduct half termly register checks and will follow up any attendance that falls below the expected level, as well as apply penalty notices for any unauthorised time out of school.

Just to remind parents/carers that if they take their children out of school without authority for 5 or more days (which do not need to be consecutive), they will be liable to receive a penalty notice. Currently the amount payable under a penalty notice is £60.00 per parent/carer per child if paid within 21 days. Thereafter the amount increases to £120.00 if paid between 21 and 28 days. If the penalty notice remains unpaid after 28 days, the Local Authority will consider a prosecution in the Magistrates Court. Please note that penalty notices are issued per parent/carer per child so a family of two parents and two children will receive 4 penalty notices.

The service also monitors punctuality and the number of lates in coming to school. All children should be in school by 8:55am.

I hope you have a lovely weekend and we look forward to seeing you all next week at the parent evenings.

Regards,
Michelle

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Parents Evenings	Wednesday 27 th April and Thursday 28 th April
Year 5 swimming starts	Thursday 28 th April 2022
Spring Reports Portal for Year 1 -6 opens	Tuesday 3 rd May 2022
Year 4 Trip to Portsmouth	Wednesday 4 th May 2022
Reception, Yr 1 parents Phonics information Meeting	Tuesday 10 th May 2022 9:00am and 5:00pm
Year 6 Residential	Monday 16 th May 2022 – 20 th May 2022
Postponed Young Voices Concert	Monday 23 rd May 2022
Queens Platinum Jubilee Event	Friday 27 th May 2022
Break up for half term	27 th May 2022 (15:15)
INSET Day	Monday 6 th June 2022
Children back to school	Tuesday 7 th June 2022
Sports Day	Wednesday 6 th July 2022
Summer term reports portal opens	Monday 11 th July
Breaks up for the summer holidays	Thursday 21 st July 2022 (13:30)
Pupils return to school for 2022-2023	Monday 5 th September 2022