



Spring Vale Primary Weekly News – 10th May 2021



Summer Term Diary Dates

You should have received a text link to our summer events list. They are also on the back of this newsletter. We are glad to be able to invite you in for sports days, parent interviews etc and would like to thank you once again for your continued support. As a school community we feel it is very important to offer our children and parents as many opportunities to end this academic year in as positive a way as we possibly can. Many schools are not offering these opportunities but as I have written to you before, our stance is that we will never use Covid-19 as an excuse for your child's development. **Please note, all of the planned dates are subject to change and dependent on restrictions continuing to be eased - they may need to be changed at short notice.**

Children arriving late to school

We have a number of children regularly arriving late to school. If you have siblings with different start times, you can drop them off at the same time - teachers will let them in. Reminder of school start times:-

Year	Start Time
Rec	8.30 am
3	8.40 am
6	8.30 am

Year	Start time
1	8.50 am
4	8.40 am

Year	Start time
2	8.40 am
5	8.30 am

Haircuts

Polite reminder: lines shaved into hair or eyebrows are not allowed in school. Please make sure children have sensible haircuts during term time.

School Trips

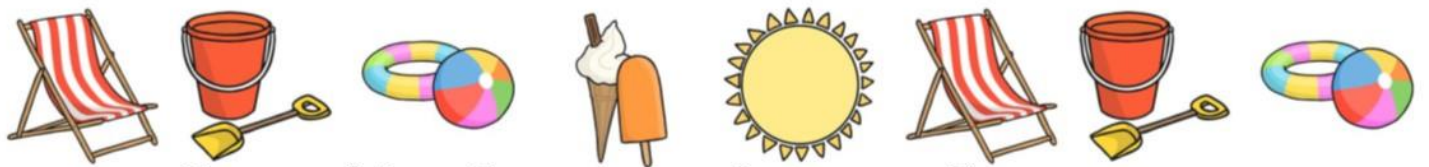
We are now starting to book school trips and letters are being sent out to classes as soon as the dates are confirmed. Please pay for school trips online via Simspay. If you need an invitation code to set up Simspay, please contact the school office.

Walking to School

As part of a healthy lifestyle and to reduce traffic around the neighbourhood, why not try walking your children to school? Coming to school on foot is an opportunity for parents and children to be physically active by walking, scooting or cycling first thing in the morning. Even a short walk to school contributes to physical activity targets for children and adults.

summer term dates reminder

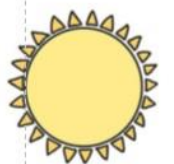
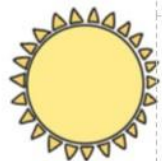
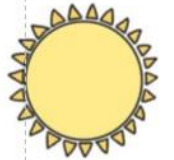
- Thursday 27th May - Children break up for half term
- Friday 28th May - School closed - Inset Day (Teachers will be spending the day redesigning the curriculum ready for September)
- Monday 7th June - Children return to school
- Tuesday 20th July - Children break up for the summer holidays.



Spring Vale Primary - Summer Events 2021



Date	Time	Event
14th - 17th June		Y6 SATs week
Tuesday 22nd June	9.30 am	Reception sports day
Wednesday 23rd June	9.30 am	Year 1 sports day
	1.30 pm	Year 2 sports day
Thursday 24th June	9.30 am	Years 3 and 4 sports day
	1.30 pm	Years 5 and 6 sports day
5th - 9th July		Y6 Secondary visits (awaiting further details from the schools)
Friday 9th July	All Day	Moving up day - all children (current Reception to Year 5) to meet their new teacher - <i>more information to follow</i>
	AM/PM	Current Reception parent drop in sessions Reports to parents
Monday 12th July	3.30 - 5.30 pm	*Parent interviews - Years 1 - 6
Tuesday 13th July	1 pm & 3.30 pm	Parent meetings for New Reception 2021 & Ron Flowers uniform shop
Wednesday 14th July	1 pm & 3.30 pm	Parent meetings for New Reception 2021 & Ron Flowers uniform shop
Thursday 15th July	3.30 - 5.30 pm	*Parent interviews - Years 1 - 6
Friday 16th July		Nursery break up today
Monday 19th July		Year 6 visit to Baggeridge high ropes
Tuesday 20th July	PM	Y6 leavers BBQ
	9 am & 11 am 1 pm	Year 6 Leavers Assembly Children break up for the summer holidays, collection between 1 - 1.30 pm



**Letters to book slots for parents interviews will be sent out in June
Separate letters will be sent out regarding the above events
Details about school trips will be sent to individual classes near the time of the trip*

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