



Outwoods Primary School

Newsletter

19th October 2018



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Dear Parents/Carers

We are now rapidly approaching the end of term and the first half term holiday of the school year. Please remember we break up on Thursday next week as school is closed on Friday for a staff training day. It has been lovely to see so many of you in school for the Harvest Festivals, the children have enjoyed taking part and it was lovely hearing our reception children all singing their songs for the audience with such confidence. I must admit their singing has also been echoing around the corridors in school time! It won't be long before we start to practise the Christmas plays - and for those working parents who need to arrange time from work - I have put a full list of the dates of Christmas Plays on the back of this letter. (Sorry to mention Christmas so early!)

Another important time in our calendar is Remembrance - poppies will be on sale in school after half term and next Thursday (25th October) children can come to school wearing red (non uniform) for a £1 donation to the poppy appeal. Thank you for your support, as always and should you have any questions or concerns about your child do not hesitate in contacting me. Mrs Dandy

PARENTS CONSULTATIONS



Over the last week of this half term, there will be an opportunity for you to meet with your child's class teacher to discuss their progress, targets and how they have settled in their new year group. This time there will be a choice of an afternoon or an evening meeting. The online booking system is now available for you to make appointments.

<u>CLASS</u>	<u>AFTERNOON DATES</u>	<u>EVENING DATES</u>
NURSERY	Parents will be offered meetings on an individual basis.	Tuesday 23 rd October 3:15 - 6:15
RECEPTION	Thursday 25 th October 1:15 - 3:15	Tuesday 23 rd October 3:15 - 6:15
YEAR ONE MEERKATS ONLY	Thursday 25 th October 1:15 - 3:00	Tuesday 16 th October 3:15 - 6:15
YEAR ONE ANTS ONLY	Tuesday 23 rd October 1:15 - 3:00	Tuesday 23 rd October 3:15 - 6:15
YEAR TWO	Tuesday 23 rd October 1:15 - 3:00	Tuesday 23 rd October 3:15 - 6:15
YEAR THREE	Wednesday 24 th October 1:15 - 3:15	Tuesday 23 rd October 3:15 - 6:15
YEAR FOUR	Wednesday 24 th October 1:15 - 3:15	Tuesday 23 rd October 3:15 - 6:15
YEAR FIVE HEDGEHOGS ONLY	Tuesday 16 th October 1:15 - 3:00	Tuesday 16 th October 3:15 - 6:15
YEAR FIVE BADGERS ONLY	Monday 22 nd October 1:15 - 3:15	Tuesday 23 rd October 3:15 - 6:15
YEAR SIX	Monday 22 nd October 1:15 - 3:15	Tuesday 23 rd October 3:15 - 6:15

Please note that these appointment times are only for a short (up to ten minute) talk - should you feel you require more time please let us know and we can arrange an appointment at another time. Should you find that you are not able to attend during any of the allocated slots, please let us know and we can arrange an appointment at a mutually convenient time.



Halloween Disco



Thursday 25th October
Infants 4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
(Reception children's parents are welcome to stay)
Juniors 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Fancy dress costumes optional ~ prizes for the best ones!

Admission £2:50 - Includes 'tuck bag'

Children can bring some extra money to buy from the tuck shop and £1 for a photo in their
Hallowe'en costume



Important Dates

- Thursday 25th October - WEAR RED FOR POPPY APPEAL DAY (£1 donation)
- Thursday 25th October -3pm - Year One Class Share
- Thursday 25th October - DISCO
- Thursday 25th October - School closes for half term
- Friday 26th October - SCHOOL CLOSED FOR TRAINING DAY
- Monday 5th November - School reopens for half term
- Wednesday 7th November - 3pm- Reception Class share
- Fridays 9th and 30th November & 7th December - Non uniform days (Christmas Fair items)
- Friday 7th December - Christmas Fair (straight after school)
- Monday 10th December 2:00 & Tuesday 11th 9:30am - YEAR 2 PLAY
- Tuesday 11th December 2:00 & Wednesday 12th 9:30am - YEAR 1 PLAY
- Wednesday 12th December 2:00 & 6:30pm - YEAR 4 & 5 PLAY
- Thursday 13th December 9:30am & 2:00pm RECEPTION PLAY
- Friday 14th December - Christmas Jumper Day (can also wear for Christmas dinner day)
- Friday 14th December 10:30am NURSERY PLAY
- Monday 17th December 2pm & Tuesday 18th 9:30 - YEAR 3 PLAY
- Wednesday 19th December - Carol Service (KS2) & Christmas Dinner
- Friday 21st December - PANTOMIME and break up for Christmas

