Colley Lane Primary Academy

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Newsletter - 1st April 2022

Dear Parents and Carers.

It was lovely to welcome families into school this week for parents evenings and to share the fantastic progress and work that your children have been so proud of. There was a real community feel to the two evenings and we hope that you found the organisation and reports that were given out useful. It was great to see the smiles on faces and the pride for all that your children have achieved. A thank you also needs to be said for Chartwells and the smoothie bike that proved very popular so much so that it will hopefully make an appearance in the summer term. Over the two evenings, we had 180 completed feedback forms and thank you for taking the time to complete one as all feedback helps us to improve. Communication, teaching and approachability of staff were a few areas that were working well and some areas for improvement included a wider variety in clubs, sports days and homework. We will look over the areas for improvement over the start of next term and keep you informed.



On Monday we will be holding a Day of Support for Ukraine and the children can come into school in blue, yellow or both colour clothes. We have been very mindful of how we approach the day and will ensure that the day only has part of it on Ukriane, with the younger pupils having shorter time. The tone of the day will be to show support for families and children displaced. Activities will include



during the day that classes will visit, so if you would like to donate a book on Monday that www.darrellwakelam.com would be appreciated. The books will be sold for 20p, 50p and £1 and all money raised will go to UNICEF. All donations are welcome on Monday from buying a book to just donating. Thank you

Flags of support, peace doves and other art activities. We are also holding a book sale

This week has seen many opportunities for the children to show their personal potential from Sports competitions (see the report further on) to representing school in the Easter Celebration of Dance at Stourbridge Town Hall on Wednesday evening. It is just great to be able to take part in events such as this and give the children opportunities to demonstrate their skills and talents outside the school setting. Watch this space for more events over the summer term.

I hope everyone is working on their "eggscellent" painted eggs this weekend and don't forget to bring your entry into school on Tuesday. I wonder how creative we can be? A small reward for everyone that takes part.

And finally, good luck to Miss Cheyne and Mrs Wicks who are taking part in the London Landmark Half Marathon this Sunday for Tommys, the baby charity. We hope that they have a great time.

Have a peaceful weekend and we wish all our Muslims families the best of success and a blessed Ramadan!

Mr Dominic Simpson Headteacher

Next week's Aspire Character and Learner skills

- I am creative
- I am responsible
- I can give and receive feedback



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Key Dates

- Tuesday 5th April Year 6 Trip to Cadbury World
- Monday 11th April Friday 22nd April Easter Holidays
- Wednesday 4th May Nursery Trip to Birmingham Wildlife Conservation Park
- Monday 16th May Young Voices Concert
- Monday 30th May Friday 3rd June Summer Half Term
- Monday 6th Wednesday 8th June Year 6 PGL Residential Trip
- Thursday 23rd June Dance 'Frozen' Theatre Trip to London
- Monday 27th June INSET Day School Closed
- Monday 25th July Friday 2nd September -Summer Holidays



ECO Shop

Our ECO shop is having a **sale!** For the next two weeks on Thursday lunch times we will be selling the following items at reduced prices.

Bottles - 50p, Pencils - 20p, rubbers - 20p, keyrings - 10p.



Notebook and pen - 50p

Reminders

School start and finish times

Start time - All years - Doors open at 8.40am, school starts at 8.55am

Finish time -Reception and KS1 - 3.05pm. All KS2 - 3.15pm

Colouring Competition

A reminder that the School Office is running a colouring competition. Can you make sure entries are in by Monday morning so we can choose the winners!

Breakfast Club

Due to staffing, please note that Breakfast club MUST be booked in advance. If you need to drop your child off early due to an appointment/emergency, please book online or call the office to check if there is space. There is a charge of £3.50 per child.

Tuck Money - KS2

Can parents please check their ParentMail account to make sure there is money if they would like their child to have tuck at break time. Please note that this also applies to families who receive free school meals. Items are 30p each, other than the Milkshakes which are 45p.

Names in Coats

Can we remind all parents / carers to make sure children bring a coat to school with their name on. We do still have limited coats available to buy from the school office for just £5.

Uniform

Please can all children's uniforms, coats, water bottles and lunch boxes be labelled with their child's full name.

<u>PE</u>

All children are to come into school with their PE kits on their PE days.

<u>Parking</u>

Can we remind you that the car park is for **staff only.** If you need to use the car-park, please see the office for a parking permit.

Iris Parent Mail

ParentMail is our main communication platform where you will receive emails from Mr Simpson, the office and teachers keeping you informed of school events, trips and class news. You can also report absences, book and pay for Breakfast and After School Clubs and purchase uniforms.

We encourage all parents to register if you haven't already. For those who haven't and if you have an email address, you will be receiving a verification email soon via your emails. Please follow the link on the email to register. You will get notification when we send out forms for trips, all payments will be via Parentmail. Please contact the school office if you need any assistance.

General Reminders

School Dinners

Just a reminder that you no longer need to book meals in advance, children can choose what they would like to eat on the day at the counter. Parents will still need to ensure that there is money in their child's ParentMail account but children will indicate they are having a hot dinner on the day in registration. Next week is **Week 1 Menu, please see below:**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Hot Main Dish	Burrito (V) A soft wrap filled with lightly spiced veggies and rice	Chicken Tikka Masala Curry Served with fluffy Rice	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes and Gravy Succulent roast chicken with fluffy roasties and tasty gravy	Beef Bolognese A classic Italian beef Bolognese in a yummy tomato sauce	Golden Fish Finger and Chips Crispy Fish Finger and scrummy chip	
Alternative Dish	Cheese & Tomato Pizza	Mild Sweet Potato Curry Served with Fluffy Rice	Quorn Roast with Roast Potat	Sweetcom Tortilla Pie	Quorn Dippers and Chips (V) Crispy Quorn nuggets with thei fav sauce – ketchu	
Third Choice		Jacket Potato with Salmon Mayonnaise ***				
Salads 🖔	A Selection of Fresh Salads Including Lettuce, Cucumber, Tomato, Grated Carrot.					
Jacket Potato		Jacket Potato With A Choice Of Fillings				
Pasta	Tomato Pasta ३३ (V) A delicious fresh, homemade tomato sauce with penne pasta					
Vegetables	Green Beans Sweetcorn	Peas Broccoli	Carrots Cabbage	Broccoli Sweetcorn	Baked Beans Peas	
Desserts	Raspberry Ripple Ice-Cream	Secret Brownie	Shortbread Biscuit with Fruit Slices*	Chocolate Sponge or Easter Hot Cross Bun/Muffin	Chocolate and Raspberry Swirl Cake	

The menus rotate on a 3 week cycle and all menus can be found on the website under 'School Life' then 'Essential Information'. You can also pick up a copy from the school office.

Asthma

Just a reminder that if your child needs an inhaler in school, please can you come to the office to fill in the relevant paperwork. You will be asked to leave one inhaler in school.

Class Dojo

Please sign up to Class Dojo this weekend using the letter provided from school. For more information please see your child's class teacher or the school office.

<u>PE Davs</u>

Nursery - Wednesday

Reception - Monday

Year 1 - Wednesday

Year 2 - Thursday

Year 3 - Monday and Tuesday

Year 4 - 4R & 4K Tuesday and Thursday, 4H - Tuesday and Wednesday

Year 5 - 5C & 5A Monday and Friday, 5W - Thursday and Friday

Year 6 - Wednesday and Friday

Attendance

If your child is going to be absent from school for any reason please let us know as soon as possible by;

- Calling 01384 900450 and speaking to a member of staff or leaving a message.
- Sending an email to attendance@colley.windsoracademytrust.org.uk
- Reporting their absence via the ParentMail App.

Please be aware you **must** report your child's absence **every day** that they are unable to attend school.

If your child has a positive covid test result, the current public health advice is for them to stay at home and avoid contact with other people.

The isolation period is still 5 full days. If your child tests negative with a lateral flow test on both day 5 and day 6 and they do not have a temperature, they can return to school immediately on day 6. If the result of either of their tests is positive, they should continue to self-isolate until they get negative results from two Lateral Flow tests on consecutive days or until they have completed 10 full days of self-isolation, whichever is earliest.

What's been happening in school this week?

Nursery

It was lovely to see so many parents for Parent meetings this week! We thoroughly enjoyed being able to share your child's successes with you all.

This week we have been learning all about Spring and Easter. We have looked at the changes we see during Spring and spoken about why and how we celebrate Easter. Children have enjoyed making Easter crafts and using the dressing up props to be bunnies, chicks and lambs.

In WCR this week, we have started to learn about our new story and we have found out that it is all about a plant growing. We all then had the chance to plant our own bean and we will be watering them and hoping for the sun to come out so that we can watch them grow! We also found out that our book includes the days of the week so we have been singing our days of the week song and putting the days into the correct order.

In maths this week, we have been recapping our oral counting skills and then working hard on counting using one-to-one correspondence. The children have been trying really hard to carefully count out the correct amount of objects and stopping when they say the number we need. You can support this at home by asking children to help set the table for tea by giving you 3 forks, 4 cups etc.

We hope you all have a wonderful weekend!

Reception

A big thank you to all parents in RY who came into school for Parent Meetings! It was wonderful highlighting how hard the children have worked this year and the progress they have made. Parent Meetings for RDW will be rearranged and a new date sent out soon.

It has been a busy week in Reception! We took part in a special audio storytelling session as part of Now Press Play - an audio resource which brings the curriculum to life through sound, story and movement. The children listened to a special retelling of the story Little Red Riding Hood and had fun acting out parts of the story. At the end of our session we took part in a silent disco with the children and teachers having fun listening and dancing to our favourite wake and shake songs!





As part of our Literacy learning this week we explored the changing seasons, looking closely at Spring. We discussed the changes we can see before the children wrote wonderful sentences about a Spring-themed picture. It's great seeing the children really challenging themselves in their writing and using their Phonics superbly. This was evident in some sentences with children using their phonics to write words like 'daffodil', 'flowers' and 'sunshine'.

In Maths the children have continued exploring composition of numbers and this week have looked at the different ways to make numbers 8 and 9. We've extended our number discussions into our daily maths meetings where children have enjoyed explaining their answers to questions about our Ten Frame registration.

In Whole Class Reading we have looked at vegetables this week in preparation for the unveiling of our book next week. The children have enjoyed telling us what vegetables they like and don't like eating, designed their own vegetable gardens and tested their vegetable knowledge in a quiz.

We hope you have a lovely weekend and look forward to a fun packed final week of the term!

Year 1

We hope you enjoyed coming in this week and seeing some of the children's work. It's great to look back and see how far they have come since your last visit.

We have had another busy week and the children have been working hard. In maths we have started learning about measuring length. We have been comparing heights and lengths of objects, measuring with our hand spans and our feet and had great discussions on why all our results were different. We were then able to move on to measuring with standard units, when all our results were the same (well nearly!)

We continued with our recount writing in English and produced a newspaper report on the Great Fire of London. We all had the headline "LONDON IS ON FIRE!" and the children worked hard to retell the events. It was great to be able to use our theme topic in our English lessons as it's really impacting on the children's ability to recall these important events from history. Hopefully it will be one of those dates that will stick with them for a very long time.

We also made a small Tudor house, like those from 1666 in preparation for our Fantastic Finish to our theme work next week. Unfortunately, the children will not be bringing them home as we will be creating our own mini fire of London here in Colley Gate! Hopefully we can share photos of the historic event with you next week, weather permitting!

We are well into our whole class reading book – The Owl Who Was Afraid of The Dark. The children are enjoying listening and following the story as Plop the barn owl discovers reasons as to why the dark isn't so scary. We are trying hard to

finish it by next week as we plan to have a special "end of the book" lesson for the children.

We hope you have a great weekend, making snowmen maybe!

Year 2

It has been fantastic having all the parents/carers in this week for parents evening! The children were so excited to share their wonderful work. It was great to share the children's successes and discuss their next steps in learning.

In writing this week, the children have been exploring some features of non - chronological reports. They have written captions to describe what passengers might have got up on The Titanic, they have written question subheadings and thought of some exciting did you know facts. We cannot wait to see their final piece of writing next week, where the children are writing a double page spread showing off all their knowledge about the Titanic.



We have been working with money again this week in Year 2. The children have continued to use a variety of coins to make different amounts and have solved problems using money. Next week, the children are looking at 2D and 3D shapes. I wonder if your child can spot any over the weekend.

The children showed real compassion and respect during our RE lesson all about the Easter story. They learnt about why Christian's celebrate Easter and where some of their traditions come from. The children acted out different scenes from the story and enjoyed a delicious hot cross bun!



The Year 2 children had so much fun trying out our new resource 'Now press play'. This is an immersive experience where the children have a personal headset. Whilst learning about Neil Armstrong, the children become the main character in the story!

Just a reminder that on Monday we will be holding a day of reflection for the people of Ukraine. The children are invited to wear blue or yellow clothes and bring a small donation in support of the families who are suffering.

Year 3

It was lovely being able to share and discuss the hard work the children have been doing since Autumn term when we last met. The children were excited to show you the work they were most proud of.

In English this week the children have continued using their plans to rehearse and write their narrative piece; some of the children have used Red Riding Hood and others have taken ideas from the legend of King Arthur. This week we have been using expanded noun phrases to describe the villain and included that description in the dilemma part of the story. We also revised punctuating speech and used macaroni pasta as inverted commas to help place them correctly!

Maths has seen us continuing to explore fractions. Today we looked at comparing fractions of numbers and quantities and used the terms vinculum, denominator and numerator when explaining our workings out. We found how knowing our times tables is so important; keep working on those skills on TTRS.

'What was life like after King Henry VIII's death?' That was the question posed this week. Lots of discussion and research was carried out to be able to explain. The children have really enjoyed learning about the Tudor period and next week we will be using 'Now press play' to immerse ourselves in that gruesome time in history!



With the Easter holidays coming up we have been learning about what Easter means to Christians. We have found out about 'Good Friday' this week and reflected on why it is called that. Lots of discussion about that! Next week the children will be making Easter cards to bring home.

Have a lovely weekend and let's hope the weather warms back up a bit!

Year 4

We would like to thank all parents who attended Parents Evening this week. It was lovely to see you all again and celebrate the children's achievements and what they need to do next to achieve their end of year goals. Can you believe we are nearly two thirds of the way through the year?

In our theme lessons this week we have been on a Viking treasure hunt. We used our iPads to use QR codes to find answers to the clues, we also collected runes throughout the hunt and at the end we had to decode the runes to see what they said. The runes, in fact, spelled Danegeld, which is what the people of the time had to pay in taxes.

In assembly time on Monday we had a special visitor from the Autism Outreach Service who talked to the children about what life is like for children with autism and what we can all do together to be supportive of each other. In addition the children learnt that we are all different but equally we are also the same.

We have started a new topic in Maths this week - area and perimeter. We have mainly focused on perimeter and found the perimeter of rectilinear shapes, rectangles and squares. We will be focusing on area next week.

We completed our Science work this week by completing an assessment on states of matter.

In English, we have been working very hard at structuring sentences in our non-chronological reports. We have been using subordinate clauses and conjunctions such as if, when, until and before. We can't wait to share our writing on double page spreads next week with you!

We hope you have a lovely weekend and look forward to our final week of the term

<u>Year 5</u>

Firstly we would like to start by sharing how wonderful it was seeing families again during our Parents Evenings this week. It really was lovely sharing the childrens' achievements and successes since last term. We are all very proud of your children and look forward to a bright and successful summer term, working towards our new 'next step' targets. If for any reason you were unable to attend this week, please contact your child's teacher at the earliest convenience to arrange a meeting.

In English this week we have started a new writing project linked to our ASPIRE theme - The Romans. We explored the myth of Romulus and Remus and have written sentences (using a range of writing skills) around the scenes and characters in the story. Children continue to amaze us with their knowledge of Roman Gods and Goddesses, either from prior knowledge or from research they have undertaken this term. Just WOW! Keep it up Year 5!

In theme we explored Roman baths and architecture and were amazed at how advanced The Romans were for their time period. They really were forward-thinking and it was unbelieve how things changed in England after they left.

We've started a new unit in maths this week - transformations. As part of our independent tasks, we have practised translating the coordinates of a shape to a new location on the grid by following given instructions. We then finished the week consolidating our learning - this is something that children are really being successful with. It is giving them that extra opportunity to practise a new skill or strategy and the results from assessments are pleasing.

As we approach Easter, we have explored Christanity by researching the Holy Bible. Children found a range of interesting facts - ask a Year 5 child to see if they can recall any.

We look forward to our reflection day on Monday for the people of Ukraine. Hopefully we have a year group full of blues and yellows. There will be special activities taking place during the day and we look forward to doing whatever we can to support families in need at this very difficult time.

We wish everyone a happy and enjoyable weekend and we will be ready to finish our final week of the term in style! Take care and best wishes.

Year 6

Year 6 have had another week of hard work leading up to the end of the term. They are really getting stuck into their revision and are showing great determination and success with their studies, leading up to the last few weeks before the tests. Keep up the hard work Year 6, we are very proud of everything you are achieving.

In our Writing lessons this week, we used a new piece of technology which is being trialled across school - Now Press Play is a new virtual experience where pupils are immersed in their learning, listening to a story related to their Theme whilst becoming part of the action. The Year 6 children loved every minute of it! They became a Mayan child, living in the rainforests of Central America and had to save their mother after she was kidnapped by a horrifying Nobleman. This experience then became the central point of their narrative writing, where they recreated the story. Such an inspiring piece of technology, we will definitely be using it again!

The children completed their final Theme lesson this week for The Maya - they investigated the history of the Maya and identified all of Mayan creations we use in society today. It was really interesting for the children to learn about the effects The Maya people have had on society over the last 2000 years! In Science this week, the children investigated the different parts of the human digestive system and the purpose of these on the body. They children really enjoyed finding out about all the different areas related to digestion and also had a giggle at some parts too! How fascinating is the human body!

This week, Mr Simpson introduced the children to their very own ASPIRE Portfolios. This is an online document where the children are able to showcase their achievements and awards, both in and out of the classroom. Over the next term, the children will be encouraged to populate their portfolio with all of the greatest pieces of work, certificates and much more, associating these with the ASPIRE curriculum. Make sure you ask your child all about it.

A group of our Year 6 dancers performed on Wednesday night at Stourbridge Town Hall, showcasing their skills and talents in the Windsor Academy Trust Easter Dance Festival. It was a huge success and we'd like to say a huge well done to both the girls and Miss Hale for their hard work leading up to the event.

We would like to say thank you to all the parents who have attended Parents' Evenings over the past week. We really enjoyed meeting with you all again and have loved sharing the children's successes. If you were unable to book an appointment for this week, please do not hesitate to get in touch with the Year 6 staff to arrange a meeting.

A few reminders for next week -

Ukraine Day on Monday - on Monday we will be holding a day of reflection for the people of Ukraine. The children are invited to wear blue or yellow clothes and bring a small donation in support of the families who are suffering. In the afternoon, Year 6 will be taking part in activities to reflect upon the crisis and show support to those who need it.

Cadbury World Trip on Tuesday - we hope the children are really excited about the Cadbury World Trip on Tuesday. The children need to be in school at normal time with a packed lunch for the day and will be returning to school around 4pm. The children can bring a little spending money and must wear school uniform.

We hope you have a lovely weekend and look forward to our final week of the term.

News....

Ramadan



Colley Lane Staff wish all our Muslims families the best of success and a blessed Ramadan!

If you wish your child to take part in fasting during school, could we please ask that you send a message to their class teacher. This is to allow us to monitor your child's wellbeing throughout the day and to offer support where necessary.

Colley Lane Website

If you haven't already, please take the time to look at our new website at https://www.colley.dudley.sch.uk/ You will be able to find all the information that you need about our school including key information, news and dates and parent information.

Audio Books

Audio books are a fantastic way to engage readers and offer a perfect opportunity to enjoy sharing a book with your son or daughter at home. Sooper Books very kindly donated their entire library of audio books for children to enjoy at school so we will be enjoying these in our lessons. If you wish to dip into a sample of these books at home, please access them via our school website on the following link:

https://www.colleylaneprimary.org.uk/teaching-and-learning/reading-at-home/

Here you will find a range of award-winning fairy tales, bedtime stories, fables and poems. Some of the titles are samples and there are a few stories which are free to access all of the time.

We would like to thank Sooper Books for their generous donation. If you would like to sign up for a membership to Sooper Books from home, they are currently offering a 1 week free trial or a £3.00 monthly subscription.

Netflix Age Ratings

You will be aware that Netflix is hugely popular across all ages but there have been concerns in relation to age ratings and the type of content that is recommended to viewers. Like many other services, Netflix uses algorithms to determine what you might like to watch based on viewing history, what you have liked etc.

Since last year, Netflix has been working with the BBFC and 100% of the content on Netflix is now age-rated to BBFC classification standards. It is the first UK streaming service to accomplish this.

Here is a guide on how to set up a child account and choose maturity ratings. Parental controls on Netflix

Pupil Achievements

This week's Hot Chocolate Friday children:

RDW	RY	1N	1MS	2D	2E	3H	3W	
Milenko	Jack	Oscar	Yaqub	Malikah	Harvey	Mohammed	Fergus	
4R	4K	4H	5W	5C	5A	6Н	60	6S
Justin	Oliver	Alaa	Max	Ewan	Elissia	Jaiden	Megan	Ellie



Well done to Indi Heeley-Smith in 2D who won girl of the match last Saturday for her team Halas Hawks Warriors, she scored 4 goals too!

A big shout out to Bobby in 5W who stepped up big time last week when his mum was poorly. Charlie in 2E handled his illness very well too considering! Your mum is very proud of you both!



Please email achievements to info@collev.windsoracademytrust.org.uk

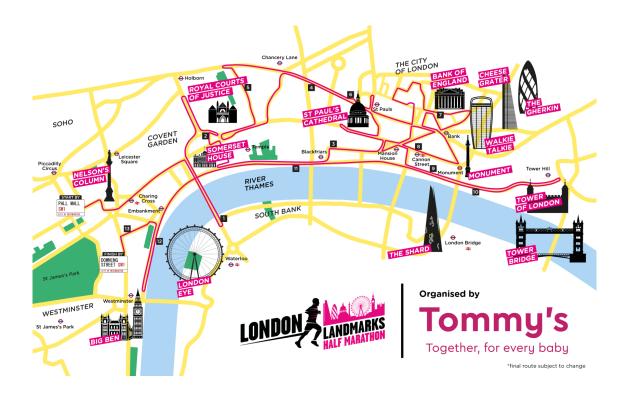


A message from Miss Cheyne and Mrs Wicks

Hello! On April 3rd, we will be running the London Landmark Half Marathon. You may be thinking, why? Well, we have become great running partners and we are always wanting a challenge, so we thought this would be the perfect thing for us to do. It also involves raising money for a fantastic charity, Tommy's.

Tommy's, the baby charity, is an amazing charity dedicated to finding causes and treatments to save babies' lives as well as providing trusted pregnancy and baby loss information. Any sponsorship would be appreciated. We aim to raise £350. Or, if you would like to have a look at our updates, then check out our Just Giving page.

https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/lilandkatellhm?utm_campaign=lc_frp_share_transaction_transactional -- donation_received_--_nth_donation&utm_content=234c925c-78ba-4b47-8aa1-88a405a07817&utm_medium=email&utm_source=postoffice&utm_term=1645622864048



Black Country Food Bank



The collection box for Black Country Food Bank is now in the school foyer where donations can be brought in at any time throughout the school year.

If you are able to donate any non-perishable food items please bring these along to the school office where we will collect them before donating them to help our local food bank and community.

Take a look at the amazing work they do by visiting their website at https://www.blackcountryfoodbank.org.uk/

Diary Dates

Easter Holidays

Monday 11th April 2022 to Friday 22nd April 2022

Return to school Monday 25th April 2022

Summer Half Term

Monday 30th May 2022 to Friday 3rd June 2022

Return to school on Monday 6th June 2022

Summer Holidays

Monday 25th July 2022 to Friday 2nd Sept 2022

Return to school on Monday 5th September 2022

Bank Holidays

New Year – Monday 3rd January 2022

Inset Days

Monday 27th June 2022

Sports Clubs

Colley Lane Sports Club News

Another fantastic week for our children at a sports competition, this week our sportshall athletics team went to Leasowes to compete against eight other schools. In the 14 events we came in the top three in 12 of them winning 7 which made us overall champions and meaning we are going to the Black Country Games in the summer to represent Dudley. Well done to all 12 children from years 4 to 6 who competed and also to the other children who have attended the club on a regular basis and helped them train.

The price of clubs is £1 per club to a maximum of £3 regardless of how many clubs attended per week (this doesn't include JSB clubs.)

Unless your child has PE on the same day as a club they must come in school uniform and bring their kit to change into. If they are participating in a club before school they can come in their kit and bring their uniform to change into if they don't have PE that day, this a

bring their uniform to change into if they don't have PE that day, this also applies to the JSB club.



Sports Clubs						
	Before school (Start time)	Cost	After school (Finish time)	Cost		
Monday	Y4, Y5 and Y6 Cross Country (8.00)	£1.00	Y3 & Y4 Multi Sports (4.15) YR ,Y1 & Y2 Multi Skills (4.30)*JSB	£1.00 £3.00		
Tuesday	Y3, Y4 and Y5 Tri Golf (8.10)	£1.00	Y5 & Y6 Netball (4.15)	£1.00		
			Y3, Y4 and Y6 Dance (4.15)	£1.00		
			Y5 & Y6 Football (4.30)*JSB	£3.00		
Wednesday	Y5 & Y6 Football (8.00)*JSB	£2.00	Y5 & Y6 Basketball (4.15)	£1.00		
	Y3 & Y4 Football (8.00)* JSB	£2.00	Y3 & Y4 Dodgeball (4.30) *JSB	£3.00		
Thursday	Y4, Y5 & Y6 Sportshall Athletics (8.10)	£1.00	Y5 & Y6 Rounders (4.15)	£1.00		
			Y3 & Y4 Choir (4.15)	£1.00		
			Y1 & Y2 Football (4.30)* JSB	£3.00		
			Y3 & Y4 Football (4.30) * JSB	£3.00		

Friday	YR, Y1 & Y2 Football (8.00) * JSB	£2.00	Y5 & Y6 Girls Football (4.30)	£1.00
			Y5 & 6 Squad Football - Invite Only (4.30)	£1.00
			Y5 & Y6 Dodgeball (4.30) *JSB	£3.00

Free School Meals

If your child is in Reception, years one or two, you will automatically be entitled for free meals under the new 'Universal Infant Free School Meals' criteria.

However if you do meet the criteria listed below then you will need to submit an online claim in order for your child's school to receive Pupil Premium funding.

Your child may be able to get free school meals if you get any of the following:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseekers Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit Run-on paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit (you must have less than £616.67 a month net earned income (after tax and not including any benefits)

Children who receive a qualifying benefit in their own right are also allowed to receive free school meals. Children under the compulsory school age who are in full time education may also be entitled to receive free school meals.

Infant free school meals in England

Your child will be able to get free school meals if they're in a government-funded school and in: reception class, year 1 and year 2 Tell your local authority if you also get any of the qualifying benefits. Your child's school can get extra funding if you do. If you wish to apply for Free School Meals click here <u>Free School Meals</u> or collect a form from the office.



To ALL Parents and Carers

Give your best parenting habits a polish, make them sparkle and shine!

These Solihull Approach courses are all FREE.

- Understanding your pregnancy, labour, birth and your baby (antenatal)
 - 2. Understanding your baby (postnatal)
 - 3a. Understanding your child (0-19+ yrs, main course)
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