



June 2023 Newsletter

Staff News - I am very pleased to share with you that Mr Birch will be working at Griffe Field next year when Mrs Rai is on maternity leave, enjoying being a mum. He will be an excellent addition to our teaching team.

SUMMER FAYRE

FRIDAY 30th JUNE 5-7pm

FOG have a wonderful fayre planned for the whole family on Friday 30th June. Please come along and support FOG and our school.

Stalls, games, Key Stage 2 Enterprise stalls, cakes, snacks.

All offers of help for this event will be gratefully received - thank you.



Please name coats, cardigans, jumpers etc. The children take them off in the warm weather and it is impossible to return items when they aren't named.

Please send children to school with sun cream already applied (please see our Parent Hub message regarding Nivea sun cream containing almond oil), a sunhat, sunglasses and ONLY WATER in clear, plastic water bottles.

If you have donations of old sunhats that would be great -thank you.



I would like to share with you the amount of praise we have received about our pupils' excellent behaviour and positive, kind attitudes. The children and staff have been very busy with trips, residentials, camp, Bike Ability and visitors in school this term. Without exception, all of the outside providers involved in these activities have praised our pupils which is so lovely to hear. **I would also like to thank the staff for all their time and commitment organising these opportunities and giving up their own time to make these opportunities possible for our pupils.**

For obvious health and safety reasons earrings should be removed for PE lessons. If your child is unable to remove their own earrings, the earrings must be covered with micropore tape provided from home. Thank you.

Thank you to the parents and children supporting the expectations set out by school. The school play equipment (trim trails and nursery garden) are not open before and after school. Also, the EXIT gate near the Family Room is an EXIT ONLY. Site security is taken very seriously and we would like all parents to support us keeping children safe.

INSET DAYS 2023-24

INSET 1 Monday 4th September 2023

INSET 2-Friday 24th November 2023

INSET 3-Friday 2nd February 2024

INSET 4- Friday 12th July 2024

INSET 5- Monday 15th July 2024

Diary Dates

Fri 23 June	RF Class Assembly 9am
Fri 30 June	Summer Fayre 5-7pm (All help will be gratefully received.)
Wed 12 July	Year 5 and 6 end of year production EVENING ONLY
Thurs 13 July	Year 5 and 6 end of year production AFTERNOON AND EVENING
Fri 14 July	INSET 4
Mon 17 July	INSET 5
Wed 19 July	Early Years and Key Stage 1 disco 3.15pm-4.30pm
Thurs 20 July	Key Stage 2 disco 3.20pm-4.30pm
Thurs 20 July	Year 6 Prom (year 6 only) - details to follow
Fri 21 July	Year 6 Leavers Assembly 9am
Fri 21 July	Break up for the summer holiday at the normal time.
Holiday Club Week beginning 24th July and week beginning 31st July 2023.	
Mon 4 Sept	INSET 1 (school closed to children)
Tues 5th Sept	Autumn term starts (New Reception children will have their individual start dates.)



Sun Safe Reminder

SLIP on sun protective clothing

SLOP on SPF 30+ sunscreen before school

SLAP on a wide brimmed hat

SLIDE on sunglasses

SHADE from the sun whenever possible

Children are allowed to bring a named sunhat and inexpensive sunglasses to wear during the summer months.



It is very important that we have up to date contact information for parents/carers in case of an emergency, as well as up to date medical information. Please let us know if any important information changes. Thank you.