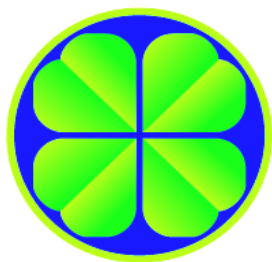


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School Calendar 2018

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Wednesday 17th January	Yoga Club starts 3.15pm—4.15pm Yr3/4/5/6 Booking forms attached
Thursday 18 th January	Year 5 & 6 Tag Rugby tournament – separate letter sent to those involved
Friday 19th January	Languages Club 3.15pm—4.15pm Yr 3/4/5/6 Booking form attached
Monday 22nd January	Running & Fitness Club 3.15pm—4.15pm—All years welcome Booking form attached
Friday 2 nd February	FoPPs James D Disco
Tuesday 6 th February	Yr 6 Language Day LSHS
Tuesday 6 th February	Choir performance at Open 2pm – 8.20pm separate letters to those involved

Star of the Week!

Ladybird Class - Freddie - for working really hard on his phonics and using it in his writing

Bumblebee Class - Lewis - for working really carefully when writing a letter

Grasshoppers Class - Abigail - for showing kindness and consideration in welcoming Mrs Carter to the school

Caterpillars Class - William K - for his enthusiasm shown in class and eagerness to improve his maths

Dragonfly Class – Poppy T - for challenging herself with a range of calculations

Behaviour for Learning

This week we have been looking for children who can show us **that they can start a task without delay** The following children have been nominated for awards:

Enid (Y2) Sam (Y2) Liam (YR)

Jamie (Y5) Logan (Y4)

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Y5 & 6 Aylmerton Trip

The second payment of £50.00 for Aylmerton was due in December.

If you have not paid this please can payment be handed into the office by Wednesday 10th January at the latest.
Thank you

SNOW!

In the event of snow, please ensure your child wears wellies to attend school – and brings shoes with them in a carrier bag. This will mean children are able to enjoy any possible outdoor time but have dry, comfortable feet when they come back inside. In extreme weather, if you are worried the school may be closed, you can check online at <http://www.schoolclosures.norfolk.gov.uk/>

Changing Our Library

We are planning a complete update to our school library – this is going to mean a lot of hard work for a lot of people and we are hoping some of our parents might like to help! If you would be interested in joining a working party to help with decisions about the library as well as offering hands-on help with practical tasks, please leave your name at the school office or talk to Miss Rich directly. Thank you.

After School Clubs

- Monday - Running & Fitness Club 3.15-4.15pm with Mrs Newson. Open to all**
Starting from 22/1/18
- Wednesday - Yoga Club 3.15-4.15pm with Mrs Newson. Years 3/4/5/6 only**
There are 12 spaces only for this club
Starting from 17/1/18
- Friday - Languages Club 3.15-4.15pm with Mrs Farley. Years 3/4/5/6 only**
There are 12 spaces only for this club
Starting from 19/1/18
There is a charge of £2.50 per child per session for this Club

Please see the attached booking form. Hard copies have been sent home to and need to be returned on Monday 15th January

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Attendance

The school policy on attendance is based on the Norfolk County Council policy. The current policy will be updated in the next few weeks and will be available on our school website.

The Local Authority operates a system where any pupil will meet the criteria for legal intervention through the issue of a Fixed Penalty Notice where they have:

1. 10 consecutive sessions (5 days) of unauthorised absence where some or all of the absence may be attributed to an unauthorised holiday in term-time (for absences from 1st September 2017); or
2. 15% unauthorised absence over a period of 6 school weeks for reasons other than unauthorised term time holiday.

We ask you to:

- Ensure your child has regular attendance at school
- Contact the school if your child is absent to let us know the reason why and the expected date of return, **following this on return with a written note or email.**
- Avoid unnecessary absences; for example, by making medical and dental appointments for outside of school hours. Please provide the school office with evidence of appointments in the form of a letter, email or text if possible.
- Ask the school for help if your child is experiencing difficulties with any aspect of their school work or home and family life

Inform the school of any change in circumstances that may impact on your child's attendance. We all want children to get the most from their education at Preston Primary School and we thank you for your support.

Lesley Payne

Executive Headteacher

Saxlingham CE VC Primary School

Preston CE VC Primary School

Wanted

Ladybird Class would like any unwanted kitchen roll tubes for creative play.

Thank you

Menu Change

On Tuesday 16th January the Pork and Sweet Potato Topped Pie will be changing to Cottage Pie.
Apologies for any inconvenience.

Friends of Preston Primary School

AGM Monday 5th February at 7.30pm
at school
All Welcome

