



Harlyn Primary School

NEWSLETTER

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FOR INFORMATION:
Something to be aware of as a parent/carer.



DISCUSS:
As a family, please take time to talk about it.



TO DO:
If time is limited, please make this a priority and action.



Well done Y6!

I would like to congratulate Year 6 for all their hard work in completing their SATs tests last week. The children have done their level best and that is what we would expect them to do.



Statutory Testing in June

In line with Department of Education requirements we will be carrying out the Phonics Screening Tests in Y1 and the Times Table online test in Y4 during the first few week of June. Please ensure your child is in school everyday.



Please be on time!

Lateness = lost learning

(Figures below are calculated over a school year)

5 minutes late each day - 3 days lost!

10 minutes late each day - 6.5 days lost!

15 minutes late each day - 10 days lost!

20 minutes late each day - 13 days lost!

30 minutes late each day - 19 days lost!



School Journey

We welcome home 6A from School Journey in Georgeham, North Devon tomorrow.

6F will be in Georgeham the first week back after half term. I will be accompanying this class and will not be in school that week.



Medical / Welfare issues

Sickness / Diarrhoea: Please note it is school policy that children who have had vomiting or diarrhoea should stay away from school for 48 hours. Even if they seem fine please do not send them to school.

Long Hair: Please remember that if your son or daughter has long hair it should be tied up whilst at school. We are aware of a growing number of head lice cases in the local area.

Jewellery: We are noticing more children wearing jewellery, both real and costume, to school. Please help us keep everyone safe by leaving jewellery at home. It should not be worn in school.



Scooters & Bikes

Scooters & Bikes In the interest of Health & Safety please can I remind everyone that scooters and bikes should not be ridden on the school site by children or adults! They can be wheeled on the site to the scooter store or taken home.

Can I also remind parents that leaving bikes and scooters on site is their sole responsibility. Can you please ensure they are parked and locked securely.

Thank you.





Class Attendance

RECEPTION		95%
1J	94%	1P 95%
2A	95%	2R 95%
3Q	95%	3T 95%
4M	97%	4MH 95%
5B	97%	5H 93%
6A	95%	6F 97%

As always if you have any concerns meet your child's class teacher first - speak to the office and they will arrange an appointment for you. If there is something more urgent a senior member of staff will always be made available to see you. Finally if you would like an appointment to see Mrs Mistry or I please contact the office.

Mr S Jones
Headteacher



Dates for your Diary

May

22nd End of Term – Normal Finish Time

25th – 29th Half Term

31st 6F School Journey

June

9th Inclusion Football Tournament

10th Year 3 Natural History Museum (Tring)

12th Library to visit Nursery

15th Year 6 Road Safety Training

15th Year 1 Odds Farm

17th Class Photographs

19th FRA Fathers Day

22nd District Sports

24th Sports Day Year 3/5 AM & Reception PM

25th Sports Day Year 4/6 AM & 1/2 PM

July

2nd Year 2 Look Out Discovery Centre

6th Reception to Bekonscot Model Village

7th Transition Day

8th Nursery Sports Day

9th Nursery and Reception Teddy Bear Picnic

9th Parents to view new classes

10th FRA Inflatables Day

14th Year 5 & 6 Concert 7.00PM

17th Leavers Assembly

17th End of Term 2.15pm Finish

Please remember that we finish at 2:15 pm on Friday 17th July

20th and 21st Training Days

September

2nd Inset Day

3rd School Opens