



6TH SEPTEMBER 2019

Date	Event	Group
24 th September	Sports Day	All Pupils and Parents/Carers
25 th September	Parent Contact Evening	All Parents/Carers
1 st October	School Photograph Day	All Pupils
16 th October	Harvest Festival Assembly	All Pupils
15 th October	SENCo Coffee Morning	All Parents/Carers
18 th October	Cornerstone Sharing Afternoon	All Pupils and Parents/Carers
21 st -25 th October	Half Term	All Pupils and Parents/Carers

Welcome from the Principal

We have had a wonderful start to the new term with everyone refreshed and ready to learn. As you can see we already have lots of exciting activities planned for this half term and hope you will be able to join us for these events.

Uniform

It is lovely to see all our pupils looking smart in their new uniform. If you would like to view our range of good quality, new-to-you items please speak to Mrs French.

I would like to remind parents that pupil's hair should be of a natural colour with no extreme styles. Hair accessories should be discreet and either Royal Blue, Black or White.

Attendance

Our Academy target for this year is 97%, we look forward to working with Parents/Carers to achieve this.

This year we will continue to celebrate House Attendance as part of our weekly Celebration Assembly.

Mrs French will continue to work on a one to one basis with families to support children whose attendance becomes a matter of concern.

Changes to the school day

To maximise core learning time we have introduced some changes to the school day.

Break time: - 10.15 to 10.30 am.

Assembly: - (Monday to Thursday) 10.30 – 11.00 am.

Celebration Assembly: - Friday 9.00 am

Lunchtime: - 12.15 – 1 pm.

Clubs

The new club list will be coming home shortly. We aim to offer a variety of clubs including sports, music tuition and choir.

Clubs will start w/c 23rd September.

Mrs Davis and our Midday Supervisors will offer a range of activities each lunchtime.

Sports Day

Our Whole School Sports Day is planned for 24th September.

Parents/Carers are invited to join us for the races and picnic lunch.

A letter will be coming home shortly with further information.



Welcome

I would like to extend a warm welcome to our new pupils and members of staff.

Assistant Principal and Year 3 teacher – Mr Coles

Year 4 teacher – Mrs Reid

Catering staff – Mrs Farias and Miss Millhouse

Welcome back to Mrs McEwan.

Marvellous Me

We will shortly be introducing a new parent app 'Marvellous Me'.

Marvellous Me allows school to share rewards and examples of good work, updates and newsletters with Parents and Carers.

A letter with further information and date for an information meeting will be issued shortly.



Educational Visits

To support their learning, all pupils will have the opportunity to attend an educational visit.

In addition, we are planning a residential trip to Caythorpe in June 2020 for pupils in Years 5 & 6. Places will be limited and issued on a first come first served basis.

Letters with further information will be issued closer to the time.

Special Educational Needs Co-ordinator Coffee Morning

All Parents and Carers are invited to join Mrs James and Miss Ward on 15th October from 9.00 am.

This is an opportunity to meet the SENCo team and look at the support available at Ormiston



School Lunches

We are pleased to welcome our new catering team, Mrs Farias and Miss Millhouse.

Please check our Facebook page weekly for menu information. Please note menus are subject to change.

We are currently trialing new dishes ahead of the launch of our new menu, watch this space for more details!

Contact Information

Please remember to update the main office with new telephone numbers and emergency contacts.