



Newsletter

Week ending 5th May 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,



This weekend will be very exciting as we watch the new King being crowned. Please take the opportunity to talk to your child about this once in a lifetime event. The school will be celebrating this with a picnic and special activities on Friday 26th May. On this day we will be asking children to dress as a King or Queen or in red, white and blue colours.

Next week is SATs week for Year 6. WE would like all children to be in the dining room by 8am. They can eat breakfast at school or at home but they do need to be at school by 8am to prepare them for the tests and so that we can start promptly. Please make sure that they have at least 11 hours sleep and plenty of fresh air and exercise over the weekend and each evening so that they are prepared to work very hard.

I hope you all enjoy the bank holiday on Monday and return to school on Tuesday 9th May 2023.

Kind regards,

Fiona Cullen

Head Teacher

Attendance This Week

Year N	73%
Year R	86%
Year 1	90%
Year 2	90%
Year 3	91%
Year 4	95%
Year 5	93%
Year 6	91%
Average	90%

95%	=	47 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 8 days in total or 1 week and 3 days
90%	=	95 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 16 days in total or 3 weeks and 1 day
85%	=	142 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 24 days in total or 4 weeks and 4 days
80%	=	190 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 32 days in total or 6 weeks and 2 days

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

WHAT DO YOUR
ATTENDANCE
FIGURES
ACTUALLY MEAN?

Year 4 Athletics Competition

On Thursday 3rd May, the year 4 athletics team took part in the Newham KS2 Sports hall finals at Langdon Academy. The children performed brilliantly and achieved many personal bests in the field events. They came 4th overall – just a few points away from 3rd place. Well done team!



Holi in year 3

In RE, year 3 have been learning 'How and why do Hindus celebrate Holi?' Last week they recreated a Holi festival in the playground. The children enjoyed throwing the colourful powders at each other and got to experience what the festival might be like.



Important dates:

Monday 8th May – School closed for Coronation Bank Holiday

Nelson Coronation Celebration for children – Friday 26th May

Monday 29th May to Friday 2nd June – Half Term Holiday

Sports' Week – 26th to 30th June

Last day of Summer term – Friday 21st July

School Terms	Pupils Holidays
Autumn Monday 5th September – Friday 21st October 2022	Staff INSET Thursday 1st September and Friday 2nd September 2022 Half Term Monday 24th October to Friday 28 th October 2022
Autumn Term 2 Monday 31st October to Friday 16th December 2022	Christmas Break Monday 19th December 2022 to Monday 2nd January 2023
Spring Term 1 Wednesday 4th January 2023 to Friday 10th February 2023	Staff INSET Tuesday 3rd January 2023 Half Term Monday 13th February to Friday 17th February 2023
Spring Term 2 Tuesday 21st February 2023 to Friday 31st March 2023	Staff INSET Monday 20th February 2023 Spring Break Monday 3rd April to Friday 14th April 2023 Staff INSET Monday 17th April 2023
Summer Term 1 Tuesday 18th April 2023 to Friday 26th May 2023	Half Term Monday 29th May to Friday 2nd June 2023 May Day Monday 1st May 2023 Coronation Day Monday 8 th May 2023
Summer Term 2 Monday 5th June 2023 to Friday 21st July 2023	Summer Break Monday 24th July – Monday 4 th September 2023

School will not be closed for any of the religious festivals:

In-service training days: This calendar includes 5 days which has been allocated for in-service training, however this may be subject to change.

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