



# West End Primary School

## Newsletter

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### 28 April 2021

#### **Trips**

We are currently organising trips for each year group and will be sending out letters soon - dates are already in the diary for some of them. All the trips will be risk assessed as normal and a Covid risk assessment will be included to ensure that they are safe for the children and staff. The PTFA has kindly offered to subsidise these trips to keep the cost down for parents. Please keep an eye out for letters from your child's class teacher. We are very excited to be getting the children out and about again.



#### **Robinwood Trips for Years 3 and 4**



We are delighted to be able to offer our residential visits to pupils currently in Year 4 (who missed it last year) and Year 3 pupils for when they are in Year 4. We have already sent out information to parents about these visits which we have run successfully for many years.

We do understand that some parents and some children may be a bit anxious about the residential, particularly after the difficult year we have all had, but please rest assured that we will follow all Covid guidance in place at the time of the visit, as will Robinwood itself. We also know that the cost of the trip may be a cause for concern for some parents. If this is the case please get in touch with the school office as we are happy to discuss payment plans to make this more manageable. We know the children get a great deal out of the trip and always come back feeling confident and proud of themselves. If you have any questions about the residential please do not hesitate to contact us.

#### **Dogs**

We would like to remind you that dogs are not allowed in the school grounds, even if carried, and should be secured outside the school gates at a distance from the entrance. Please also make sure that you clear up any mess your dog may make outside of the school grounds.



## Dates for your Diary

It is so exciting to actually give you some dates to put in your diary.  
There will be more so please keep an eye out for further information.



Fri 30 <sup>th</sup> April	Deadline for nominations for Parent Governor
Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup> May	School closed for May Day Bank Holiday
Tues 18 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 4 India Day
Thurs 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 2 Beatrix Potter Day
Thurs 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Reception Heights and Weights
Mon 24 <sup>th</sup> - Fri 28 <sup>th</sup> May	Theme Week - details to be confirmed
Wed 26 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 2 Whitehouse Farm trip
Wed 26 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 5 Eden Camp trip
Thurs 27 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 1 Plessey Woods trip
Fri 28 <sup>th</sup> May	Break up for half term
Mon 7 <sup>th</sup> June	School re-opens
Thurs 24 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 3 Whitehouse Farm trip
Thurs 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Nursery Northumberland Country Zoo trip
Thurs 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Reception Plessey Woods trip
Fri 16 <sup>th</sup> July	School closes for the Summer holidays

Year 4 trip dates to be confirmed.

## Term Dates 2021/22



Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> September 2021	School opens for 2021/2 academic year
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October 2021	School closes for half term
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> November 2021	School re-opens
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> December 2021	School closes for Christmas holidays
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> January 2022	School re-opens
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> February 2022	School closes for half term
Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> February 2022	School re-opens
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> April 2022	School closes for Easter holidays
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> April 2022	School re-opens
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	School closes for half term
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> June 2022	School re-opens
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2022	School closes for Summer holidays

School is closed on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2021, Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2022 and Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2022 for staff training days.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher