

**Welcome Back – Meet the Teacher**

It was so lovely to see everyone back from the summer holidays on Monday. All the children have been working hard already – we have all been so impressed!

**IMPORTANT**

On Monday at 3.30 we are inviting you to meet your child's teacher. These will be short sessions so that you will be able to meet all the teachers for all your children. If you are unable to attend please let the school office know so that you do not miss any important information.

**Term dates for 2016 - 2017**

**Autumn Term**

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September – Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2016 – (School closes at 3.30pm)  
**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2016 – Half Term**  
 Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2016 – (School closes at 1pm)

**Spring Term**

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> January – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2017 – (School closes at 3.30pm)  
**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> February 2017 – Half Term**  
 Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2017 – (School closes at 1pm)

**Summer Term**

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2017 – (School closes at 3.30pm)  
**Monday 29<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2017 – Half Term**  
 Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June – Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2017 – (School closes 1pm)

**INSET DAYS - SCHOOL CLOSED**

Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> September  
 Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September  
 Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January  
 Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> April

**Stay and Learn Sessions**

Date	Focus	Audience	Time	Where?
20/09/16	New Maths Curriculum	All Parents	9am	TBC
27/09/16	Year 1 Phonics	Parents and children in Year 1	9am	TBC
04/10/16	SEN Coffee Morning	All parents	9am	TBC
11/10/16	Arts Week – Flag Making	All parents and children	9am	TBC

**Uniform Reminder**

Please remember that children should be wearing navy blue sweaters or cardigans; white shirts or polo shirts and dark grey trousers, shorts, skirts or tunics. While the weather is warm, blue checked summer dresses can be worn.

**PE Kit Reminder**

Children have PE twice a week from Year 1 to Year 6. Please make sure they have their kits in all week. They should wear navy blue shorts or tracksuit bottoms, a white t-shirt and plimsolls. We will send a text home if a child does not bring in their kit as a reminder.

**Important Dates**

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> September** – Meet the teachers  
**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> October** – International Evening  
**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November** – School Photos  
**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> November** – Pupil Review Meetings

**Gifted and Talented News**

Well done to Nancy in Year 5 who has passed her gymnastic exams at the end of last term.

If your child attends a club out of school or has hidden talents, please let us know!

We often receive information about free out of school activities we can pass on to you!

**Tower Bridge Closure Information**

On Monday, representatives from Transport for London (TfL) will be in the playground as you leave the Meet the Teacher meetings to explain how the bridge closure could affect your journey to and from school in October.