

Secondary School Applications (Year 6 Parents)

Please note that Secondary School applications opened on 4th September and close on the 31st October 17. Please visit www.kent.gov.uk/education-and-children/schools/school-places/secondary-school-places If you need any help please see Mrs Wallington in the school office.

INFORMATION to Parents / Carers



Please ensure that you regularly review our **DOJO School Story**, especially on a Friday (*which is updated by our Mrs MacBean*), that details all school trips and any events that are happening the following week. Therefore, if you are missing any event / trip information, you can call the office for the relevant forms. Also, please note you are able to have two parents / carers linked to this account.

Additionally, all events & trips are detailed in our **newsletter** diary which is on the reverse of all newsletters sent home. Our **website** is updated on a regular basis with upcoming events and news. Thank you. **Mrs Wallington**

Young Voices School Trip – February 18



We have heard that a number of parents are concerned about sending their child to this event next February. We take our children's safety very seriously; this in mind, Mrs McCaffrey and Mrs Curtin have attended a training day with Young Voices and the details of security plans were addressed:-

- Everyone goes through passport control / security as they enter.
- No large bags are allowed and all small bags are checked.
- 5 full time police officers are stationed at the O2 plus they have several dogs and security guards and plain clothed police on the premises.
- All parents will be screened on arrival so please ensure you allow enough time for this to happen
- Time is set aside to allow groups of schools out at the end of the performance to allow for minimal congestion.
- Schools will be asked to stay in their seats for a few extra minutes to allow for staggered departure.

Remember, this event is a first come first serve event, therefore if you would like your child to attend please send your consent form into the office as soon as possible.

If you have any concerns, please come and see Mrs Wallington in the office.

Cross Country – Dymchurch

Our children had a fabulous time battling the elements at this event.

We would like to **THANK** parents who transported children to Dymchurch and a well done to Maisy Kyte who came 3rd in the year 3 girls race and to all the children for taking part.

Mrs McCaffrey / Mrs Curtin



LATE COLLECTIONS

We have had a substantial rise in late collections this term. Therefore, if your child is not collected by 3:20pm, they will automatically be placed in Afterschool Club and you will be charged.



Toy Donations



Our Afterschool Club is desperate for toys, if you are having a sort out over the half term any donations would be appreciated - Thank you. Mrs MacBean

Dates for your Diary 2017

October 17

Thursday 19 th October	Inset Day – School Closed
Friday 20 th October	Inset Day – School Closed
Monday 23 rd – Friday 27 th October	Half Term
Monday 30 th October	Back to School – Term 2
Tuesday 31 st October	Year 6 height and weight

November 17

Wednesday 1 st November	FBS clothes recycling
Wednesday 1 st November – Friday 3 rd November	PGL residential trip YR 5 & 6
Thursday 2 nd November	Caterlink special menu – Bonfire night – details on DOJO / website
Friday 3 rd November	Flu vaccinations, years R,1-4 –letters have been sent home for consent
Monday 6 th November	Primary school applications open – for reception September 18
Wednesday 8 th November	BOOK FAYRE – School hall at 3:15pm
Wednesday 8 th November	Cathedral Schools Day – School trip YRs 5&6 (date has been changed to the 8 th from the 9 th – letters will be going home regarding this change)
Thursday 9 th November	BOOK FAYRE – School hall at 3:15pm
Monday 13 th November	BOOK FAYRE – School hall at 3:15pm
Monday 13 th – Friday 17 th	Anti-Bullying week
Tuesday 21 st November	9:30 – 11:30 - New parents open morning
Thursday 23 rd November	9:30 – 11:30 - New parents open morning Rye Christmas festival lantern workshop (afterschool club) details to follow
Friday 24 th November	FBS tag day (donations for Christmas fayre (details to follow))
Friday 24 th November	FBS Movie Night (details to follow)
Friday 30 th November	Rye Christmas festival Lantern workshop (afterschool club) details to follow

December 17

Friday 1 st December	FBS Christmas Fayre and Christmas Bake Off (details to follow)
Friday 8 th December	Christmas singing Eurotunnel event (details to follow) Christmas performance dress rehearsal
Saturday 9 th December	Rye Christmas festival lantern procession – Junior children (details to follow)
Wednesday 13 th December	Christmas performance (details to follow)
Thursday 14 th December	Christmas performance (details to follow)
Friday 15 th December	Christmas singing Eurotunnel event (details to follow)
Tuesday 19 th December	Christmas Dinner – Children can wear Christmas jumpers
Wednesday 20 th December	Last day of term (today's dinner will be Fish and Chips) FBS Santa fun run and carols

January 18

Thursday 4 th January	Inset Day – School Closed
Friday 5 th January	Inset Day – School Closed
Monday 8 th January	BACK TO SCHOOL Term 3
Friday 12 th January	Global citizenship afternoon
Monday 15 th January	Closing date for reception class applications (admission September 18)
Tuesday 23 rd January	BIG BREAKFAST 8:15AM ALL WELCOME

February 18

Tuesday 6 th February	Young Voices 2018
Friday 9 th February	Festival of lights day FBS Valentines DISCO TBA (details to follow)
Monday 12 th – Friday 16 th February	Half Term
Wednesday 21 st February	Reception Fun Day – Marsh Academy
Friday 23 rd February	Global citizenship afternoon
Wednesday 28 th February	Year 1&2 infant agility heat 1 – Marsh Academy

March 18

Friday 1 st March	World book day (dress up)
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