

Update and Dates for your Diary

16th June 2023

Dates for the rest of term

Thursday 29 th June, 3.30pm	Reception Stay And Play Parent Meeting
Friday 30 th June, 2.45pm	Year 4 Class Assembly
	Sports Day
Tuesday 4 th July	Early Years, Year 1 and 29.30 – 11.30am
	Years 3-6 1.00 – 3.00pm
Wednesday 5 th July	Transition Day for Reception to Y5 – children learn in their new classes
Thursday 6 th July	Transition Day for Reception to Y5 – children learn in their new classes
Thursday 6 th July	Reports shared with parents
Friday 7 th July	School Closed – John Taylor MAT Inset Day
Monday 17 th – Wednesday 19 th July	Year 6 residential
Wednesday 19th July	Rainbow Hub Graduation
Thursday 20 th July, 3.30 – 5.30pm	Year 6 After School Celebration
Friday 21 st July	Last Day of Term
	End of Year Assembly 12.30pm
	School Closes 1.00pm

Classes for 2023-24 and staffing news

Class	Teacher for Autumn term
Nursery	Mrs Jenkins-Heron
Reception	Mrs Hulland
Year 1	Mrs Leiter, then Miss Whitley
Year 2	Mrs Claxton and Miss Gallagher
Year 3	Mrs Dickerson
Year 4	Mr Baker, then Miss Hughes
Year 5	Mr Worth
Year 6	Miss Twigger

We have moved some staff around for next year. This helps them to develop their practice, but also means we can match teachers to the characteristics of each class. We're really excited for what the new year will bring!

Today is the last day at Winshill (for the time being!) for Miss Hughes as she starts her maternity leave. I am sure you'll join us in wishing her the very best for the adventure to come! On her return, she will teach our Year 4 group. We are delighted that Mr Baker, currently working with the class, will move through with Year 3.

Miss Whitley is hoping to return to school soon. We are delighted that Mrs Leiter will continue to work with us though the interim period.

Miss Russell has secured a new role and will be leaving us at the end of term. We wish her all the best for the future. We are delighted that Mrs Jenkins-Heron, who has been working with the class throughout this year, will take over from September.

Transition

This year, children will spend two days in their new classes on 5th and 6th July. They will start both days in their current classes, so you can drop them at their usual place, and collect from those areas too.

Sports Day

Sports Day will be slightly different this year, with Early Years, Year 1 and Year 2 in the morning and Year 3 to 6 in the afternoon. More details will follow!

Year 6 Leavers

Arrangements are underway for our Year 6 leavers' arrangements. We have ordered hoodies for them as a gift and Miss Twigger has been doing lots of brilliant activities on a Friday afternoon too! On the Thursday after the residential, we are holding an after school event which, weather permitting, will take place on the field. You are encouraged to bring a picnic and to join us for a family afternoon, with different games and a celebration of our wonderful children.

Arrangements for the last day of term

On the last day of term, we will hold our final assembly once the children have had their lunch, where we review the year and look ahead to the next. We are just finalising arrangements for this and will update you when we have any more information.

School will close at 1pm as usual; we thank you for your understanding and support with this.