



A Welcome

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Welcome

Back to School

## Message from Mrs Abdulla

I would like to pass on my thanks to the children for the way they have returned after the summer break, their behaviour and attitude to learning has been outstanding. Everyone has returned with a positive work ethic and are all trying really hard to follow the Whale Rules. They have all been respectful and courteous and it is a lovely atmosphere around school. A huge thank-you to everyone.

I am so amazed at how well the new reception children have settled into life at Teagues Bridge, they have been truly amazing, a credit to you all! It's like they have been here for ages. They are so well behaved and organised. Thank-you Reception children.

A huge welcome to Mr Holloway, who has settled well into life at Teagues Bridge. Mr Holloway is a member of the senior leadership team, a DSL (Designated safeguarding lead) and the Base 6 teacher.

Also, my thanks to you for ensuring your children are in their full school uniform, with black shoes and NOT trainers. They all look so smart. Remember that all children should have a school PE kit and this can be purchased from Baker and Son in Wellington. Children should not be wearing trainers. If there is a problem please email the school office and let us know why your child is having to wear trainers.

Can I remind you all not to park on the staff carpark. This is for staff only and is a very small space to navigate. If you are coming on to the carpark it can block others in that need to get out and also it can create a dangerous area.

Please be mindful of where you are parking when dropping off and collecting your children. We should not be blocking driveways and we should not be blocking access to the road. The further you park away

from the main gates, the easier and safer it is for the children. Traffic Enforcement Officers along with the PCSO Team, will be monitoring the situation regularly and fines can be given if deemed necessary. Everyone has a right to feel safe when coming to school, that includes adults and children. Please do not use abusive language towards other adults over parking.

Just to remind you that we expect all children to have a healthy break-time snack, this is provided in EYFS and KS1 where fruit is given to children everyday. In KS2 this is not readily available, so if your child wants a mid-morning snack, can you please ensure it is of the healthy variety and not crisps, chocolate etc.

Can all children please bring a water bottle so they can access water throughout the day. This can be filled up at the classroom water fountain should they run out. Water is the best liquid to keep children hydrated, please do not send children with orange juice etc in their water bottle.

Finally, please do not put medication into your child's bag. We can administer medication but we need a consent form completing, this is available from the office or you can request a form via the school email, [a2191@telford.gov.uk](mailto:a2191@telford.gov.uk)

You will find attached dates for the year. These are subject to change and other dates may be added. I thought it would give you an idea of what to expect throughout the year.

Have a lovely weekend  
Mrs S. Abdulla  
Headteacher

# Dates for the Diary ~ Autumn term 2023

## PARENTS

Dates	Event	Who
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>		
11.9	ICT morning	Base 8 and 9
18.9	ICT morning	Base 7 and 6
21.9	National Fitness Day	Whole School
22.9	School Parliament elections	Whole School
25.9	ICT morning	Base 5 and 4
26.9	European languages Day	Whole School
<b>OCTOBER</b>		
4.10	Individual Photographs	Whole School
4.10	Black History Month	Whole School
4.10	World Animal Day	Whole School
4.10-10.10	World Space Week	Whole School
5.10	Bring your teddy bear to lunch	Whole School
6.10	Open afternoon for parents 2.30-3.00	Base 1
9.10	SAS crew assembly ~ Keeping ourselves safe	Everyone
10.10	Mental Health Day	Whole School
11.10	Maths Problem solving morning	Whole School
12.10	Open afternoon for parents 2.30-3.00	Base 2
13.10	Open afternoon for parents 2.30-3.00	Base 3
16.10	Sponsored walk ~ raise funds for foundation for bike pod	Whole School
18.10	Harvest Festival	Whole School (no parents)
18.10	Flu Vaccinations	
20.10	Open afternoon for parents 2.30-3.00	Base 4
24.10	Be bright be seen	Base 5 and 6
27.10	Open afternoon for parents 2.30-3.00	Base 5
27.10	Break-up for Half Term	Whole School
<b>NOVEMBER</b>		
6.11	Return to school	Whole school
6.11	Remembrance whole school theme week	Whole School
10.11	Open afternoon for parents 2.30-3.00	Base 6
10.11	Diwali	Whole School
13.11	Anti-bullying week	Whole School
17.11	Children in need ~ Dress up day	Whole School
17.11	Open afternoon for parents 2.30-3.00	Base 7
20.11	Learning behaviour Day	Whole school
22.11	SAS Crew stranger danger assembly	Everyone
24.11	Open afternoon for parents 2.30-3.00	Base 8
27.11	Assessment week	Whole school
<b>DECEMBER</b>		
1.12	Open afternoon for parents 2.30-3.00	Base 9

5.12 9.30-10.00	Carols round the tree	Base 1 and 2 Parents invited
6.12 9.30-10.00	Carols round the tree	Base 3 and 4 Parents invited
7.12 9.30-10.00	Carols round the tree	Base 5, 6, 7 and 8 Parents invited
8.12	Christmas Jumper Day	Whole School
12.12	Debating Society	EYFS/KS1 - 9.00-10.00 KS2 - 10.30-11.30
13.12	SAS Crew assembly ~ Equality and Diversity	Everyone
18.12 3.30-7.00	Parent's consultation ~ Via TEAMS	Parent's
18.12	Maths Problem Solving Morning ~ Tomte Theme	Everyone
19.12 3.30-5.00	Consultation Via TEAMS	Parent's
20.12	Christmas Lunch	Whole School
21.12	Theatre group	Whole School
22.12	Break-up for Christmas	Whole School
<b>JANUARY</b>		
8.1.22	PD day	Teachers
9.1.22	Children return	Whole School
9.1	Aspirations day	Whole school
15.1	Martin Luther King Day	Everyone
22.1	World religion day	Whole School
30.1	National Story telling week	Whole School
<b>FEBRUARY</b>		
2.2	Time to talk day	Whole School
6.2	Safer Internet Day	Everyone
6.2	Basketball motivation day	Everyone
9.2	Break up	Everyone
19.2	Children return	
26.2	British Values day	Whole School
<b>MARCH</b>		
4.3	Roman New year	Everyone
4.3	Women's History Week	Everyone
4.3	Sarah Griffiths Author Visit	Everyone
4.3	Assessment week	Everyone
7.3	World book day ~ dress up day ~ your favourite word	Whole School
8.3-17.3	British Science week	Everyone
14.3	School Book Fair Arrives	Whole School
14.3	International maths day	Whole School
15.3	Comic relief	Whole school
18.3 and 19.3	Parents Consultation via TEAMS	Whole School
19.3 and 20.3	Konflux theatre ~ Mindfulness	Year 2 and KS2
20.3	Easter Assembly	Children
21.3	Debating society	Whole School

21.3	Break up for Easter	Everyone
<b>APRIL</b>		
8.4	Return to school	Everyone
9.4	Eid Assembly	Whole School
15.4	Maths Problem Solving Morning	Whole School
<b>MAY</b>		
13.5	SATS	Year 6
	Hula Nation	Everyone
24.5	Break-up	Everyone
<b>JUNE</b>		
3.6	Phonics Screening	Year 1
3.6	Multiplication Check	Year 4
3.6	Living and Growing Whole School Theme	Whole School
10.6	Music Workshops	Whole School
17.6	Sports day	EYFS/KSI - 9.30-10.30 KS2 - 10.45-11.45
24.6	Assessment Week	Everyone
<b>JULY</b>		
16.7	Leavers assembly dress rehearsal	Children
17.7	Year 6 leavers assembly ~ 9.30-10.30	Parents
18.7	Reports to go home	Everyone
18.7	Leavers Trip	Year 6
19.7	Break-up	Everyone