



We are very pleased to say that our new Nursery and Reception children have settled in very well this week, as have our new children who have started in some of our other classes. We hope you have all made lots of new friends.

*Mrs Baxter
Headteacher*

READING

Children will bring reading books home and should aim to read at home at least 3 times a week.

REMINDERS

EARRINGS: Our policy states that no earrings or jewellery should be worn in school. Please remove your child's earrings before they arrive at school. If your child has recently had their ears pierced and cannot remove them, then they must be covered with tape every day, and then removed at the earliest opportunity.

HOLIDAYS: Holidays will not be authorised in term time.

SCOOTER BAY: At present, the scooter bay will not be in use. We will let you know when children can start to use it again.

CAR PARK: Please do not park in the car park, unless you have specific permission to do so. It is for staff parking only.

Thank you for your co-operation.

JEANS FOR GENES

On Friday 17th September, Roman Way Academy will be taking part in this year's Jeans for Genes fundraising event.

Your child can come to school in jeans or clothes made from denim and we suggest a voluntary contribution of £1.00 each child.

Children who have PE on Fridays are able to bring a change of clothes on this occasion.

PE DAYS

Children should come to school dressed in their school PE kit on PE days. Children will remain in their kit for the whole day.

Monday: Starlings & Squirrels
Tuesday: Hedgehogs & Otters
Wednesday: Badgers, Puffins & Foxes
Thursday: Starlings, Squirrels & Hedgehogs
Friday: Badgers, Puffins & Foxes

Nursery will not need to wear PE kit this term.

Please see our website for full PE uniform details.

COVID 19

COVID information regarding self-isolation:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/self-isolation-and-treatment/when-to-self-isolate-and-what-to-do/>

Usual symptoms of Covid are: new continuous cough; temperature of above 37.8; loss of or change in sense of taste and smell. A PCR test should be booked immediately and we advise a PCR test if you or your child has a headache, sore throat or runny nose. As always, if your child is unwell with any symptoms, please do not send them into school.

ATTENDANCE

This week's is 98%

Have a peaceful and relaxing weekend.

Mrs Baxter x

AUTUMN TERM DATES AND DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

SEPTEMBER

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| Wednesday 15th September
2.55pm-3.15pm in school hall | - | Key Stage 1 Parents Meeting |
| Thursday 16th September
2.55pm-3.15pm in school hall | - | Key Stage 2 Parents Meeting |
| Friday 17th September | - | Jeans for Genes Day |
| Monday 20th September
2.55-3.15pm in school hall | - | Reception Parents Meeting - Otters Class and Reception children in Starlings Class |
| Thursday 30th September
9.00am-9.30am in school hall | - | Phonics for Parents - Nursery, Reception and Year 1 |

OCTOBER

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| Tuesday 12th October | - | Harvest Festival - this will be virtual |
| Tuesday 19th October | - | Parent Consultation Evening * |
| Thursday 21st October | - | Parent Consultation Evening * |
| Friday 22nd October | - | Break up for October Half Term |
| Monday 25th-Friday 29th October | - | October Half Term |

NOVEMBER

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| Monday 1st November | - | INSET Day |
| Tuesday 2nd November | - | Second half of Autumn Term starts |
| Tuesday 9th November | - | Individual School Photographs |
| Monday 22nd-Friday 26th November | - | Assessment Week |
| Tuesday 30th November | - | Decorate School |

DECEMBER

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| Tuesday 7th December | - | Pantomime |
| Wednesday 8th December | - | School Christmas Dinner - to be confirmed |
| Thursday 9th December | - | EYFS Performance - morning **
KS1 Rehearsal to Grandparents etc - morning ** |
| Friday 10th December | - | KS2 Rehearsal to Grandparents etc - morning **
KS1 Performance - afternoon ** |
| Monday 13th December | - | KS2 Performance - morning ** |
| Friday 17th December | - | Carol Concert **
Autumn Term Ends |

PLEASE NOTE:

- * We will let you know if Parent Consultation Evenings are going to be face-to-face or via telephone.
- ** We will let you know if we will be able to have a live audience, or if these events will be virtual.