



VILLAGE VOICE



Right to be Safe: School Gates

We are committed to keeping children safe. Please do not try to talk to children through fences or gates during school time. Never be offended if staff ask you to move away; please understand that not all staff know all family members and only have the safety of the children in mind.

This is a no smoking site! This includes the area as you enter the school gates. Smoking near school will not be tolerated. Thank you for your understanding.



Attendance: W/C 20th February

Class	%	Points this week	Total Points
Reception	96%	1	1
Year 1	96%	1	1
Year 2	96.3%	1	1
Year 3	93.5%	0	0
Year 4	98%	1	1
Year 5	94%	0	0
Year 6	98.5%	4	4
School	96%		

Parent Consultation

Consultation evening appointments will be held on 28th February and 1st March. This is an essential opportunity to discuss your child at home and at school, seek any support and to find out about your child's progress and targets. We strongly encourage you to make an appointment if you haven't done so already. Please contact school.

School Uniform

Our Village community take pride in our appearance; we believe that our uniform helps to promote high standards of both learning and behaviour. It is wonderful when members of the public comment on our smart appearance. We would like to take this opportunity to remind parents and carers that our school uniform policy is posted on our website. It has been brought to my attention that some children have been coming to school in coloured trainers and high heeled shoes that do not comply with our school uniform. Unsafe shoes are a huge concern and can cause incidents in the playground. Please support us in adhering to our school uniform.

Once again, jewellery including earrings are completely unsafe and BANNED! Please purchase clear earring posts and backs. These are available at the office for 25p per pair.



Reception Class Homework

"Look at this creative bus made by Summer over half term for Reception's Wheels topic. It has all her class as passengers and Mrs Gunn is driving!"



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PE Kit

It has been brought to my attention that a number of children are coming to school without their PE kit. PE is statutory; an essential part of our national curriculum and this includes outdoor kit which consists of t shirts and sweatshirts, dark tracksuit bottoms and trainers/plimsolls. Please ensure your child is equipped for PE.



School Website

Please remember to check the parent information section of our school website for any letters that you may have missed. We update this section regularly and this weekly newsletter is also posted there. We also publish a calendar of key dates for the upcoming term. You will be provided with a new summer term diary card and can add dates to these cards which hopefully prove to be a handy pocket-sized reminder. OFSTED Parent View is a forum where parents and carers can review our school. We have noticed that we have not had many and we would welcome more! Please follow the link to Parent View on our school website.

Tootoot

We would like to remind you of our online tool 'Tootoot' which is a safe and secure web-based safeguarding tool which allows our children to report incidents, problems they might be having in class or any issues that may be concerning them in a confidential and discrete manner. The children have been provided with usernames and passwords last term in order to access this great resource. Please also be encouraged to approach staff in school if you have any concerns about the emotional wellbeing of your child.