



5th & 12th January

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Term Dates	I hope this letter finds you well and filled with excitement for the upcoming school term. As the interim Headteacher, I am thrilled to extend a warm welcome to both returning and new families.		
	I am delighted to share that the children have been incredibly welcoming, embodying the spirit of our school community and their enthusiasm and positivity have already made a strong impact on the school atmosphere and upon me personally. I can already tell that it will be a wrench for me		
Half Term			
12th-16th February 2024	to leave at Easter.		
Easter Holiday		me back Mrs Wilkins to Emerald class ; I know how pleased she is to be back will be concentrating on her role as class teacher for the moment and as	
Friday 29th March–	such Mrs Prior will continue as our SEND co-ordinator.		
12th April	I look forward to wor	king closely with all of you over the course of the spring term.	
January & February	Spring 2024 Curriculum Information		
Stay and Play	Each class now has their Curriculum Information for this term on the website—		
<u>3.30- 5.15pm</u> Places for January and	Children-Our Classes Ruby Class Emerald Class		
February S&P, must be			
booked using this link CLICK HERE			
Each Stay and Play session, must be paid for via	Please do have a look on our Website and look at what your child will be learning this term and encourage them to complete as many home learning tasks as possible and them bring them into school to share with us all!		
ParentPay, at time of			
booking.	2nd January	Spring Term	
	8th Feb	Valentine's Disco	
School Meal Bookings	12 th -16 th Feb	Half Term	
Please ensure all school meals are booked via	7th March w/c 4th March	World Book Day	
ParentPay By 3.30pm on the Wednesday before. Please ensure you close the school gate when entering or exiting the school playgrounds. Many thanks		Parents' Evening Week: Mon/Tue/Thurs: 3.30pm-4.30pm Wed: 3.30pm – 5.50pm	
	11th—15th March	British Science Week Thursday, 14 th - 9.15am-10.15am: Curriculum Morning – par- ents invited	
	15 th March	Red Nose Day - Theme to be confirmed	
	27th March	Easter Service - all families invited	
	28th March	Last Day of Term	
	15 th April	Summer Term	
The school gates are	6th May	May Day Bank Holiday	
locked at 9am prompt. If	13 th - 16 th May	Y6 SATS Week	
you arrive at school after 9am. Please buzz at the	23 rd May	Curriculum Morning - parents invited - focus subject TBC	
front gate and your child	27 th - 31 st May	Half Term	
will be welcomed in via the school office.	Term Dates 2023-2024		
Thank you.		Non-Pupil Day: 2 nd January 2024	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		SPRING Term Starts on 3rd January 2024	
School gate	Starts on 3rd January 2024 Finishes on 28th March 2024		
The gate to the front playground is opened at	Half Term 12th – 16th February 2024		
8.45am each morning.	SUMMER Term		
	Starts on 15th April 2024		
	and Finishes on 23rd July 2024 Bank Holiday: 6th May 2024		
J. Davie	Half Term 27th May 2024 –31 st May 2024		
	Non-Pupil Day: 3 rd June 2024		
Primarel 9	Non-Pupil Day: 24 th July 2024		
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Star Learners

Rul	by	 <u>12th January</u> EYFS: Luke has been a wonderful member of Ruby Class this year. All the staff are so very proud of Luck's achievements. It has been wonderful to watch him grow into a curious and enthusiastic learner. We wish him all the best on his next adventure. We look forward to hearing about his travels. Reading certificates: 		
Emerald	 <u>12th January</u> <u>Year 1: Sayeed</u> is an absolute delight to have in class. He listens will and is now joining in with whole class discussions more. Sayeed has become much more independent with his learning and is using learning resources in the classroom well. He is now producing longer pieces of work too. Sayeed's friendly nature, caring personality and beaming smile makes everyone's day that little bit better. Well done and thankyou Sayeed, I am very proud of you! <u>Year 2: Zara has shown a positive attitude towards her learning this week, wishing to be</u> 			
	seen as the sensible and focussed learner that she can be. Zara is an upbeat, energetic, and friendly member of our class. She flows our class rules well and shows good sitting and listening during all learning times. This week she has challenged herself to work quicker, to produce more and to manage her distractions in the classroom. She has done a great job. Keep it up Zara, I am very proud of you! Reading certificates			
Sapphire	<u>12th January</u> Year 3: Freddie has made an excellent start to the new term. He has shown a really positive attitude to his learning. Well done Freddie and keep up the great work!			
	Year 4: Otto listens carefully during lessons and takes onboard advice to improve his work. He is also super reliable and a good friend to everyone in Sapphire Class. Reading certificates: 25: Ethan 50: Theo H 75: Albertine 125: Oscar, Otto, Jason, Ella, Fares, Oliver 200: Arthur, Isaac			
Diamond	<u>12th January</u> Year 5: Amelia has worked extremely hard in maths and English this week. She has listened to advice and acted upon it and is now more condiment in working independently. Well done and thank you Amelia!			
	Year 6: Eva has really engaged with our text in English, 'The Tempest', and has produced some stunning work based upon its situations and characters this week. Well done and thank you Eva!			
	Reading Certificates: 50: Ieshia 75: Freddie 125: Ted 150: William 175: Mayar 225: Eva, Nina, Hollie 250: Kaddy 300: Iowa			
Ett	_	<u>Team Points Winners</u> <u>Attendance awards</u> <u>12th Terreserve</u>		
5th January- Green 12th January- Yellow and Blue Emerald 93.27%				
		12th January		
Lunchtime Clara for always being polite, kind and				
Star being a great friend. Thank you				
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