

Moss Lane School

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Dear Families,

I hope you all had a lovely Easter break and enjoyed quality family time together. It has been good that the improved weather has allowed more opportunities to get out and about. I am sure many of you, like me, enjoyed the break.

We have had a fabulous start to the Summer term and all our children have settled back into school; with smiling faces, eager to learn and play together.

You will have seen that the play area has been refurbished and we would like to say a big "Thank You" to the PTA who donated £10k for this and a further £1k for new books.

Have a wonderful Bank Holiday weekend!

Mrs Victoria Abbott
Head Teacher



Year 2 SATS

This term Year 2 children will be completing their National SATs Tests. The children will be assessed in reading, writing, maths, spelling, punctuation and grammar.

We like to keep things very low-key for the children so that they are relaxed and complete the assessments in a confident way. We don't tell children when they will be doing their SATs as we like to make it appear to be a normal school day.

The outcome of the SATs will be used in addition to the teachers' judgements to form an end-of-year assessment that will be reported to parents in their report. Please can I ask all parents of Year 2 children to ensure, where possible, they are in school every day this term.

If you have any questions or queries around the SATS please speak to your child's class teacher.



What's Coming Up...

Tuesday 2nd May

Hedgehogs at Woodland School

Friday 5th May

'Here's to The King' Day

Order deadline for Year 2 Leaver Hoodies

Monday 8th May

Bank Holiday for King Charles' Coronation

Thursday 11th May

School Photographs

Friday 26th May

INSET Day – School closed

Check out our online calendar of events [here](#).

Appointments...

Wherever possible, appointments such as dental, medical, opticians should be booked outside of school hours or during the school holidays. If your child must have a medical or dental appointment in school time, please try and make it after 2pm so your child can have their registration mark for the afternoon. If it needs to be in the morning, please try and bring them to school first to get their registration mark and return them to school afterwards. Absence Request Forms can be found [here](#) or collect one from the front office.



Parent Clinics

These are a good opportunity for you to discuss any concerns or worries that you might have about your child with Mrs Abbott. You should have discussed these issues with your child's class teacher in the first instance. Then, if you feel they have not been resolved, please make an appointment via the school office. These appointments will be face-to-face so please inform the office if you would like an appointment.

The appointments start at 9:15am and last for approximately 15 minutes.

The next parent clinics will be on Wednesday 10th May and Thursday 29th June.

Summer is coming!

Despite the sun there has still been a cold wind so please continue to send your child in with a coat. When the weather gets warmer please send your child in with a named sun hat. On hot days we ask that you apply sun cream first thing in the morning before your child comes into school. Please do not send sun cream into school. We have shaded areas on the playground where we encourage the children to play when it is hot. If you are buying summer shoes / sandals for your child, please buy ones that are enclosed and not open.



Ofsted Parent View...

Ofsted Parent View is an opportunity for you to give your view on our school. The questionnaire can be completed at any time - you don't have to wait until the school is being inspected.

<https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk>

Watches...

We are mindful of children wearing 'Fitbit' style watches to school. We do request that they wear analogue watches so that they can learn to tell the time and are not distracted by games and other facilities these watches have.



Godalming Carnival 2023

Save the date! June 3rd 2023. More information to follow shortly.



'Here's to the King' Day

On Friday 5th we will be celebrating the coronation of King Charles with a fun-filled day packed with lots of exciting learning. The children will be moving around the school learning all about our new King. They can come dressed on that day in red, white, blue or as royalty.



From the PTA ...

Thank you to everyone who supported the book fair, uniform sale and Easter Egg competition.

Thank you to Isabel who helps us so quickly, efficiently and generously with all our PTA publicity needs.

Upcoming events

This Evening - Quiz

With a new Quiz Master and charcuterie boards for every table, it's shaping up to be a great night!

Summer Fair - Saturday 17th June Celebrating 180 years of Moss Lane School.

Fundraising for the School

We are now registered with easyfundraising, which means you can help us for FREE. Over 7,000 brands will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to shop with them - at no extra cost to yourself! All you need to do is sign up and remember to use easyfundraising whenever you shop online. It's easy and completely FREE! These donations really mount up, so please sign-up to support us at https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/mosslanesa/?utm_campaign=raise-more&utm_medium=email&utm_content=rm-en-n1