

06 January 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

Welcome back! We hope you have had an enjoyable Christmas break.

As always, we have a Topic Map and Homework Calendar prepared for your child's class, informing you about what they are learning this half term. In an effort to do our bit to help the environment, we will no longer be sending these home on paper. Your child's class page can be accessed via our school website instead, where you can also find a wealth of information about the school and what is happening. Our website can be accessed through a range of devices including desktop computers, tablets and smartphones. If for any reason you are unable to access this information, please let your child's teacher know. You can access the website via www.grovehouseprimary.co.uk.

We continue to have a huge push on attendance this half term. If your child feels unwell, we could ask that you administer calpol and send them to school. If they begin to feel worse, we will contact you if we feel they are not well enough to be at school.

If you need to book a medical appointment (doctors and dentist) for your child we ask that you book these outside school hours. If this is not possible we would ask that you provide us with evidence of your appointment (letter or text) as this allows us to record the appointment for medical rather than a standard absence.

Dates for the term ahead are on the reverse of this letter. We look forward to seeing parents in school over the next half term.

Kind regards



Miss L Clapham

January 2020		Time	Activity
Mon 6th	School re-opens	08:50am	Breakfast club will be open from 8am. New school lunch price £1:90 a day or £9:50 weekly
Wed 15th	Reception Application Deadline	---	This is for children who will be joining us in our reception classes in September 2020.
Thurs 16th	Y6 book & bagel	9:00am	Y6 parents – come and enjoy a bagel and a book with your child.
Thurs 30th	EYFS coffee morning	9:00am	Nursery & Reception parents invited to see their child's work whilst having a tea/coffee
Fri 31st	Y2 book & bagel	9:00am	Y2 parents – come and enjoy a bagel and a book with your child.
February 2020		Time	Activity
Thurs 6th	Y1 book & bagel	9:00am	Y1 parents – come and enjoy a bagel and a book with your child.
Fri 14th	100% attendance reward		For children who have achieved 100% attendance this half term
Fri 14th	Break up for half term	3:10pm	
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Mon 24th	School re-opens	8:50am	
Thurs 27th	Y4 book & bagel	9:00am	Y4 parents – come and enjoy a bagel and a book with your child.
March 2020		Time	Activity
Wed 4th	Craft Sessions	9am & 2pm	Years 3 & Year 4 parents – ticket only
Thurs 5th	World Book Day	-	Details will be confirmed nearer the time.
Fri 6th	REC book & bagel	9:00am	Reception parents – come and enjoy a bagel and a book with your child.
Mon 9th	RNLI Water safety talk Y1 – Y6	---	During school day
Thurs 12th	Y3 book & bagel	9:00am	Y3 parents - come and enjoy a bagel and a book with your child.
Fri 13th	Sports Relief	-	Non uniform day £1:00 per child
Thurs 19th	Parents Evening	3:30 – 6:00pm	Letters will be sent out nearer the time
Tue 24th	Parents Evening	3:30 – 5:30pm	Letters will be sent out nearer the time
Thurs 26th	Y4 residential		1 night Return 27 th March
Thurs 26th	NUR book & bagel	9:00am	Nursery parents - come and enjoy a bagel and a book with your child.
Fri 27th	Y5 book & bagel	9:00am	Y5 parents - come and enjoy a bagel and a book with your child.
Mon 30th – Fri 3rd	Y5 Bikeability	During school day	
Fri 3rd	100% attendance reward	During school day	For children who have achieved 100% attendance this half term
Fri 3rd	Break up for half term	3:10pm	School reopens on Monday 20 th April at 8.50am
Mon 20th	School re-opens	8:50am	