

Dear families and friends,

Thank you for letting us work with your wonderful children for another year. We have had such an incredible year together even if it has been cut shorter than we had hoped. Having the children back in school and celebrating with those on SeeSaw has kept us all going though. I will be incredibly sad to say goodbye to our amazing Y6's. They have made us all laugh, cry, swell with pride and they have followed our values impeccably. I know they will go off to their next phase of education and make successes of everything they do.

Although we are sad for our Y2's to leave Nelson, we cannot wait to welcome them at Wensum for the next exciting journey. For the Y2's leaving for another school, good luck. Please do stay in touch.

We are looking to invite both Y2 and Y6 back for a proper leavers farewell during the Autumn term. It doesn't feel right doing this over Zoom! The 'Friends' have kindly bought all our leavers a gift. Those in school will be able to take them home. Those learning at home right now will have them delivered next week.

September opening:

School returns for children on Monday September 7th.

In September we are hoping to return to 5 full days in school with all children.

Every year group will have its own entrance and there will be staggered start times for each class between 8.30-9.00 and end times between 3.00-3.30. Consideration will be made for siblings. You will receive a separate email with this information at the start of September. Each year group 'pod' will have its own toilet and outside space to reduce infection contamination.

We will continue with our regular cleaning throughout the day and each 'touch point' and toilet will be cleaned hourly.

Food and drink:

Children will eat lunch in their own classrooms. If your child has hot dinners, we are looking to serve these in take away containers so children can still enjoy a hot meal at lunchtime if they wish. We ask that all children come to school every day with a named water bottle as our water fountains have been decommissioned. Water is the only drink we allow during class time. Infants are entitled to a piece of fruit daily. Juniors are asked to bring a healthy snack; fruit, veg or rice cakes only please.

Attendance:

All children will be expected to attend school in September. If you are concerned or would like to discuss returning, please do not hesitate in contacting us.

Uniform:

Children will be expected to wear clothes practical for the day's activity, but which comply with our school in uniform policy and are in our school colours. On PE days, children will be asked to come in wearing their PE kit.

Breakfast and After school club:

We will be running Breakfast and After School Clubs. Breakfast club will start at 8:00, and after school club ends at 5:45. Government guidelines may make us change where these clubs are located. Further information on this will be available in September.

I wish you all a sunny, restful and safe summer holiday. See you ALL in September.

*Thank you,
Victoria McConnell.*

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

Take part in the Summer Reading Challenge 2020. Let's get silly!

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MEET The Silly Squad!

The Reading Agency are running their Summer Reading Challenge online this year. It's called The Silly Squad! Normally children go to the library and collect a physical passport, but this year, you register online here

<https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/onboarding/welcome>

Sign up. Read Six Books. Have fun.

You can read library books, school books, your own books, as long as you read six.

When you come back to school in September, tell us all about what you've read.

Norfolk Library Service have made a You Tube video about it, which you can view here

<https://tinyurl.com/WJSSillySquad>

The Reading Agency and Libraries Present

SILLY SQUAD

Summer Reading Challenge 2020

sillysquad.org.uk



This calendar applies to community schools, community special schools, VC schools and nursery schools and sets the days on which school transport will be provided. While most Foundation, VA, foundation special, free schools and academy trusts who are able to set their own dates, adopt the Norfolk Model, we advise you to check with your child's school before making holiday or other commitments.

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Key : White dates - schools open to pupils
Yellow dates - pupil holiday
Red dates - bank holiday

Five staff training days will be selected from yellow dates, we suggest 3 & 4 September, 22 & 23 October and 22 July. Some may choose to use twilight hours for staff training instead of some or all of these days.