



ROBY PARK
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Mr. Hatton's Newsletter

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Attendance Update: 27th June - 1st July 2016



	Present Marks	Authorised Absences	Unauthorised Absences	% Attendance
Reception	263/300	9	28	87.7
Year 1	149/200	20	14	83.0
Year 2	283/300	4	13	94.3
Year 3	244/260	6	10	93.8
Year 4	251/260	1	8	96.5
Year 5	265/270	0	5	98.1
Year 6	205/220	2	9	95.0



Well done Year 5! A fantastic attendance figure for the week! Keep it up!



40 Day Pick and Mix Attendance Challenge:

Congratulations to all of our pupils who were entered into our Summer Term Attendance Challenge Draw. The Attendance Hero came into school to help with the draw and the winners of a brand new bike and helmet are: Nel (Y1) and Emily (Y6). The children will be taken to choose their bikes next week. We are delighted that we had 130 pupils who had 95% or better attendance during the 40 Day Challenge and as a reward they received a free ice skating pass at Silver Blades Rink in Widnes which is valid from 22nd July. Thank you for your support in improving our school attendance and our competition.



Year 6 Leaving Celebrations:



Next week we have several special events planned for our Year 6 pupils who will be leaving Roby Park very soon. On Tuesday 12th July, the children will go on their end of year trip to Chill Factor in Manchester. On Thursday 14th July, the children will present their Leavers' Assembly to the whole school. Parents/carers of Year 6 pupils are warmly welcome to join us for this special celebration - make sure you bring your tissues! Finally, we will be hosting an end of year disco on Friday 15th July. Traditionally, Year 6 are allowed to be collected from school early (2pm) to get ready and return to school at 4pm where they will have access to a special VIP Room before joining the rest of the KS2 pupils in the disco from 4.30-5.30pm. We hope that Year 6 enjoy their final full week at Roby Park!

Y2 Class Trip:

Our Year 2 pupils and staff are off on adventure to Southport on Thursday 14th July. Information about the visit has been sent home. Please make sure the children have a packed lunch and wear sensible clothes and footwear. Please see Mrs McCormick if you have any questions about the trip or payment for it.



Reception Class:

Mrs Doyle has sent home information for parents/carers to make an appointment to see her on Monday 11th July to discuss your child's Foundation Stage Profile. 10 minute appointments are available from 1.00-5.30pm. It is important that parents/carers attend so that they are aware of their child's progress before they begin Key Stage 1. Please see return reply slips to Mrs Doyle or provide an email address to receive your child's profile if you can't attend an appointment.

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Children's University Graduation at Liverpool Hope University:

We were so proud of the 39 KS2 pupils who graduated from Children's University after logging a set amount of hours at clubs in and out of school. The children looked very smart in their cap and gowns and we thank their families for coming along to support this special occasion. Mr South has sent the photographs he took into school and these will be sent out to parents by the end of term.



After School Clubs:

Next week will be the last sessions for our after school clubs this year. I would like to thank the school staff who have organised and provided a variety of clubs for our pupils. I also thank the children for the commitment and enthusiasm they have shown by attending the range of clubs we have had on offer.

Class Trips:

Our Year 3 and 4 pupils and staff enjoyed a wonderful day out at Chester Zoo earlier this week. The children were commended for their excellent behaviour and had a great day. Our Nursery and Reception pupils have been to Gulliver's World today on their end of year trip - we hope they had a lovely day and lots of fun on all of the rides and activities.



End of Year Reports

Reports will be handed out for all classes on Wednesday 13th July. The report includes the progress that each child has made, SATs results for Years 2 and 6 will be included and the opportunity for parents/carers to provide feedback and send it into school will be greatly appreciated. We would like to know your views on your child's achievements this year both academically and socially - please return the feedback slip by Monday 18th July.



End of Year Discos:

Information has been sent home today with arrangements for the discos next Friday for Nursery/Reception pupils, KS1 pupils and KS2 pupils. If you have any questions please ask your child's class teacher or speak to the office staff.

School closes on Wednesday 20th July at 1pm for the Summer Holidays.

We re-open on Monday 5th September 2016 at 8.45am for the new school year.

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Have a good week!
Mr Hatton