

Roby Park Primary School Newsletter

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Friday 6th January 2023

This week's news...

Science Trips



YR – Y6 will enjoy Science visits this term. Y1-6 will be visiting the Catalyst Museum for workshops linked to their learning whilst YR will enjoy a visit to Imagine That! Science Discovery Centre.

Letters have been sent via Class Charts with all the information on workshops, dates and payment plans.

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Attendance and Punctuality

Attendance for week commencing 4.1.23										
Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6			
96.1%	93.2%	91.7%	89.9%	89.8%	93.9%	93.3%	91%			
Punctuality for week commencing: 4.1.23										
Punctuality for	or week comme	ncing: 4.1.23								
Punctuality for Nursery	Reception	ncing: 4.1.23 Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6			

Whole school attendance has been very low this week at just 92.3%. We understand there has been some very genuine sickness across the school but hope children to be well and back in school next Monday. Holidays will occur warnings and £120 fine per parent per child should unauthorised holidays continue following a warning. There were 561 minutes of missed learning this week due to poor punctuality. Parents/carers need to make sure their children don't fall behind because they are late. Learning starts at 8.45am. 16 children were late this week and some multiple times. 14 unauthorised lates in the space of 10 weeks will result in a fixed penalty notice. Please be on time. If your child has repeatedly been late, expect a home visit from the Local Authority Attendance Team. If your child is missing school, they are missing out on learning, enrichment experiences and time with their friends which all will have a negative impact upon their wellbeing.

Y4 Swimming Lessons



Y4 parents & carers have been sent a letter via Class Charts, detailing all of the arrangements for swimming lessons which begin this Friday.

The class has been split into two groups and group one will go this half term, whilst group two will go next half term.

For any questions, please contact the office who will be happy to help.

No Mobile Phones on Site

Use of mobile phones are not permitted **anywhere** on our premises, for any reason. Please make sure mobiles are put away before entering and leaving our gates otherwise a member of staff will have to ask you to leave the premises.



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Spring Extra-curricular Clubs



Extra-curricular clubs begin this week.

If your child is participating in a dance or sports club, please remember to send them to school with their trainers in their school bag.

A gentle reminder there will be no clubs this Tuesday (as advised on Class Charts) due to staff training.

There are still a few clubs with a few available spots. Head to Parent Booking to secure yours.

Forest School

Our Forest School sessions begin again this Wednesday, with Littlefoot HQ, starting with Reception and Y1.

Children need to come to school dressed in warm layers, warm waterproof coat with hat, scarf and gloves. Children may get muddy so please don't send them in wearing anything new.

Children need to wear wellies/trainers for outside and then bring a spare pair of shoes for indoors, in a plastic bag.



The Circus is Coming to Town!



We are very much looking forward to Happy Circus and their 600 seater big top coming to Roby Park on Mon 22nd May. Keep an eye out for early bird ticket offers coming your way!

Uniform Expectations—Reminder

A polite reminder that your child should be prepared for school and in the correct uniform every day. If children are sent in to school with the wrong uniform, PE kit or footwear, parents will be called and asked to bring the correct items in immediately.

Dates for your diary

Date	Autumn Term I Events					
4.1.23	Start of term.					
10,1,23	No Outsiders Day with Andrew Moffat,					
10.1.23	It's Your Child's Life Parent Programme for Nursery & Reception parents –					
10,1,23	Session #1.					
11,1,23	Forest School for YR & YI,					
17.1.23	Y6 Oral Hygiene,					
17.1.23	Stranger Danger Police Workshop for Y3 & Y4,					
17.1.23	It's Your Child's Life Parent Programme for Nursery & Reception parents - Session #2,					
18.1.23	Forest School for Y2 & Y3,					
20,1,23	Y6 Ancient Greece Workshop with Past Productions,					
20,1,23	Y3 Class Assembly - prompt 9am start, Please be early,					
24,1,23	Scoot Fit Experience Day - all children to wear full school PE kits,					
24,1,23	It's Your Child's Life Parent Programme for Nursery & Reception parents -					
24,1,23	Session #3.					
25,1,23	Forest School for Y5.					
27.1.23	Y6 Class Assembly - prompt 9am start, Please be early,					
31,1,23	It's Your Child's Life Parent Programme for Nursery & Reception parents -					
	Session #4.					
1,2,23	Forest School for Y4 & Y6,					
3,2,23	Y5 Class Assembly - prompt 9am start, Please be early,					
6,2,23	Children's Mental Health Week					
7.2,23	Safer Internet Day,					
7.2.23	It's Your Child's Life Parent Programme for Nursery & Reception parents - Session #5.					
8,2,23	Forest School for YR & YI.					
9,2,23	Valentine's Discos (EYFS 2-3pm; KSI 3-4pm; KS2 4,15-5,15pm).					
10,2,23	Y4 Clase Assembly - prompt 9am start, Please be early.					
10,2,23	Art Exhibition Celebration Afternoon o 1,30pm - parents/carers enjoy children's					
	artwork and canapes before breaking up for the end of term.					
10,2,23	End of term,					

These dates are subject to change so please keep an eye on Class Charts for weekly updates.



If your contact details change at any time, please inform the office.

It is important we can contact you in case of emergencies. We must have <u>TWO</u>
emergency contacts per pupil.