



SPS Today for 9th September 2016

Aspiring to Excellence



Enrichment Thursday



Welcome back, hope you all had a good break.
We have had a great start to the beginning of term.

For all the new pupil's joining us this week to let you know that your child will bring home every Friday, a newsletter, a dinner envelope and any other relevant information.



Roald Dahl Day

"If you are going to get anywhere in life you have to read a lot of books."

– Roald Dahl

Tuesday 13th of September will mark 100 years since the birth of Roald Dahl - the world's number one storyteller. We aim to celebrate the day by focusing on Roald Dahl's glorumptious stories and characters.

We would like to invite parents/carers to come along to a morning Reading session on **Tuesday 13th of September (9am-10am)**, where you will be able to work alongside your child in a lesson packed with phizz-whizzing fun for everyone.

Refreshments will be available from 8:45 in the hall, whilst children register, and the lessons will begin at 9:10am.

Parents/carers should note that these sessions will now replace 'Reading Afternoons' and will be held on a half termly basis - please keep an eye on the newsletter for future dates.



Universal Free School Meal forms

As you will be aware, children in Reception, Year 1 and 2 are entitled to a free hot meal. For Reception children, if you wish your child to receive a free hot meal and have not yet done so, please complete the Free School Meals form that will come home with your child today. Without this form we may not be able to provide the meal free of charge. If you receive other benefits, you may be entitled to pupil premium which could provide you with an allowance for uniform.

Grandparents Day

Thank you to all the grandparents that came to the open morning today. The morning was very successful and we hope you enjoyed the time in our school.

Year 2 Swimming

Year 2 Swimming commences on Wednesday 14th September. All children are to bring their swimming kit in a separate ruck sack. Girls are to wear swimming costumes and not bikinis and boys are to wear swimming trunks and not Bermuda shorts.

Data collection sheets

Pupils in Years 1-6 will come home with a data collection sheet today. Please could you check the details are all correct for your child, in particular upto date contacts, sign and date form. This needs to be returned by 9.30am on Friday 16th, September at the latest.

Shoe Boxes

Please could you save any shoe boxes for a project that is taking place in the library and bring into school. Many thanks.

Cooking Utensils

Please could you bring into school any unwanted cooking utensils/pots for our Rainbow mud kitchen.

Many Thanks

Nursery Places

We still have places in our nursery. If you think you are eligible for 2 or 3 year old funding, please come to the office and collect a nursery prospectus.



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Diary Dates

Other Key Dates:

13th September

Roald Dahl 100th Birthday
Parents invited to reading
morning

20th /22nd September

Parents Evening (4 - 6)

30th September

Harvest Festival

17th October

Enterprise Week for
pupils

20th October

Enterprise Open Morning
for parents

9th November

Reading morning for
parents

26th November

Christmas Market

15th December

Pantomime

Admin

If you have any paperwork, trip money, dinner envelopes etc. to try and ease congestion at the office they can be put in your child's book bag or posted into the letter box which is located on the pink wall inside the main entrance. This is secure and emptied daily.

The office is open from 8:30am – 4:00pm every week day. If you are reporting a pupil absence, you can text the following number 07937 986 213 prior to 8:30am.

Dinner Envelopes

The dinner envelope coming home today is for week commencing 19h September which will need to be returned to school by Thursday, 15th September.

Just a note that children in Rainbow, Years 1 & 2 are eligible for Universal Free School Meals however still need to complete a dinner form. Pupils in Year 3 and above are required to pay £2.10 per day unless they are eligible for Free School Meals which is income related.

Tuck Prices

To encourage healthy tuck we offer the following to all children at break time:

1/2 bagel 40p

1/2 slice of toast 10p

Fruit drink 30p

School Admissions

If you have a child born between 1st September 2012 and 31st August 2013 an application for a primary school place for September 2017 needs to be made by 15th January 2017 to Worcestershire County Council.



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