

Dear parents/carers

Welcome back to the start of a new term and new year. I hope that you had a wonderful break with your families and enjoyed your time together. This first half term is a short one with the last day on 9th February, so we have lots of learning and experiences to fit in!

We are launching new **'Family Learning Events'** this year because we want to welcome parents and carers in school to see what their children are learning and to have the fun opportunity to work alongside them too. Our first **Family Learning Event** will be one for parents/carers in Reception on 18th January and will be all about reading stories with children. Miss Barraball will be sending out an invite very soon!

Other proposed events in the Spring Term include:

Reading and phonics (suitable for parents in Reception, Year 1 and 2)

Early maths (suitable for parents/carers in Reception, Year 1 and 2)

KS2 maths (suitable for parents/carers of children in Years, 3, 4, 5, 6)

SATs for Year 6 (suitable for parents/carers in Years 5 and 6)

Dates and details to follow – we hope you will be able to join us.

Happy New Year to you all.

Mrs Dunne



Dates for your Diary

Black – whole school / Green – EYFS and Key Stage 1 / Blue – Lower Key Stage 2 (Years 3 and 4) / Red – Upper Key Stage 2 (Years 5 and 6)

Week beg. Monday 8 th January	School sports clubs and choir start
Tuesday 9 th January	4WL swimming starts
Thursday 18 th January	Census day – ALL EYFS/KS1 children will have a hot meal booked for this day
Thursday 18 th January	3MP and 3ZN Crawley Museum Trip/Reception Family Learning event
Friday 19 th January	3FM Crawley Museum Trip
Friday 9 th February	Dress to Express Day
12 th – 16 th February	Half Term
Tuesday 20 th February	8am – Parent Evening Booking System goes live
4 th and 5 th March	Book Fair in School
Friday 8 th March	World Book Day celebrated in school
Monday 18 th March	Parents' Evening – Online
Tuesday 19 th March	4WL last swim
Wednesday 20 th March	Parents' Evening – Online
Monday 25 th March	No school clubs this week (except Breakfast Club and Cygnets)
Monday 25 th March	2pm Year 5 Easter Show – parents invited to watch (class TBC)
Tuesday 26 th March	2pm Year 5 Easter Show – parents invited to watch (class TBC)
Tuesday 26 th March	Reports sent home
Wednesday 27 th March	2pm Year 5 Easter Show – parents invited to watch (class TBC)
Wednesday 27 th March	EYFS/KS1 Easter Bonnet Parade
Wednesday 27 th March	Last Day of Term
Thursday 28 th March	INSET – school closed for pupils
29 th March – 12 th April	Easter Holidays
Monday 15 th April	Summer Term Starts

