

Parent Community Cohesion Plan Autumn 16

Curriculum Expectations/Meet the Teacher

We were delighted to welcome you to short meetings for each year group, to inform you of the high expectations and learning outcomes for your child throughout the curriculum this year. We hope to promote the value of Learning Together and to that end are attaching a Parent Evaluation. Many parents ask us to model learning and we are endeavouring to organise a timetable to observe small group coaching and would like you to indicate the subject areas which would be helpful.

Parent Volunteer Policy Meeting

An invitation for parent volunteers, particularly new helpers to share and sign our Policy and discuss confidentiality/no photos of children etc

Tuesday September 27th 2.45pm Hall

Harvest Festivals

Come and share our Harvest celebrations!

Wednesday September 28 th	Yrs 1 and 2	10am	St George's URC
Wednesday September 28 th	Yrs 3 and 4	2pm	St George's URC
Thursday September 29 th	Nursery/Recep	11am	Hall

Donations of fresh fruit / vegetables or cans to school by Tuesday 27th Sep please!

Family Learning

'Spelling Together' Sessions with your Child (grandparents welcome). Come and play games to promote spelling accuracy as errors often prevent pupils from attaining their Age Expectation in Writing.

Morning OR afternoon (NOT BOTH please due to lack of space!) W/c October 3rd
9-9.30am or 2.45-3.15pm

Monday October 3 rd	Yr 1 Parents
Tuesday October 4 th	Reception Parents
Wednesday October 5 th	Yr 3 Parents
Thursday October 6 th	Yr 4 Parents
Friday October 7 th	Yr 2 Parents

Family Lunches - Fridays throughout the term

We would like to invite parents to join us once per term to share a Family Lunch and play games with the children. They would also love to learn the games that you used to play! We are grateful to the Cook and her team for supporting this venture. Due to the capacity of the hall one year group will be invited each week and we will need to know numbers ahead please for Catering purposes. Please return the proforma below a fortnight before, apologies for the short notice for Yr 1 parents, just asap this week please. (Reception parents have shared lunch this term and will be invited again in the Spring term.)

Friday October 7 th	Yr 1 Parents
Friday October 14 th	Yr 2 Parents
Friday November 11 th	Yr 4 Parents
Friday November 18 th	Yr 3 Parents

Parents' Assemblies – Year Group Dates W/c October 17th Hall

Come and celebrate your child's learning!

Monday October 17 th	Recep Parents	2.45pm
Tuesday October 18 th	Yr 2 Parents	2.45am
Wednesday October 19 th	Yr 4 Parents	2.45pm
Thursday October 20 th	Yr 1 Parents	9.15pm
	Yr 3 Parents	2.45pm
Thursday October 20 th	Nursery Parents	11am and 2.45pm

Parents' Evenings (Appointment Forms later)

These evenings are an opportunity to hear about how your child has settled into his/her new year group and to receive termly targets and progress information.

Wednesday November 2nd 5.00-7.30pm

Thursday November 3rd 3.30-6.00pm

September 16 New Starters' Parents' Open Morning - Friday November 4th

An opportunity for prospective parents ONLY to visit the school and experience the rich curricular provision.

Parents' Coffee Mornings – Yr Group Dates W/c November 7th 9am Hall

Question and Answer sessions to address any learning queries after Parents' Evening.

Monday November 7 th	Yr 3 and 4 Parents
Tuesday November 8 th	Yr 1 Parents
Wednesday November 9 th	Recep Parents
Thursday November 10 th	Yr 2 Parents

Community Afternoons – W/c November 7th 1.30-3.00pm

Come and participate and 'Write through Humanities' with your child as we seek to increase crosscurricular purposes for writing.

Monday November 7 th	Yr 2 Parents
Tuesday November 8 th	Yr 4 Parents
Wednesday November 9 th	Yr 1 Parents
Thursday November 10 th	Recep Parents
Friday November 11 th	Yr 3 Parents

AntiBullying Week – W/c November 14th

In the last two years some parents indicated in the Summer Evaluations that they did not know about our PSHE teaching and policies about Bullying because they had never experienced it with their children. We have therefore booked a week of workshops to which parents will be invited and our policy will be handed out again.

Monday November 14th Yrs 1/2 'Mr Big' - Accepting Differences
Parents' Play 2.45pm

Tuesday November 15th Nursery/Reception 'I Wish I Could..' – Being Proud of You
Parents and Children shared Story –Telling
Class 1 - 9.15-10.00am Class 2 - 10.10-10.55am
Nursery – 11.00-11.45am

Thursday November 17th Yrs 3 /4 'With All Due Respect' - How we treat others
Parents' Assembly 9.15am

Christmas Performances

Early Notice!

Early Years (Nurs/Recep)	Friday December 2 nd	10am
Key Stage 1 (Yrs 1 and 2)	Wednesday December 7 th	10am
	Thursday December 8 th	1.45pm
Key Stage 2 (Yrs 3 and 4)	Wednesday December 7 th	1.45pm
	Thursday December 8 th	10am

Parents will note that we have made every effort to vary the days for each year group, to ensure that school opportunities are available to everyone! This can be difficult whilst maintaining PE, Swimming and Writing Groups!

Children know that working parents cannot attend every event and there has to be some degree of negotiation and compromise! However, we continue to promote many opportunities for ‘Learning Together.’

Family Lunches

I would like to attend the Year _____ Family Lunch on _____

Parent Name _____ Child _____ Class _____

Signed _____