



Redhill Primary School

September 2018 Newsletter

Welcome back!

I would just like to welcome back all of our families both those new to the school and those who have been with us for many years. We have lots of exciting things planned for our wonderful children this year and hope that you will enjoy their learning journey along with them.

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Y6 Parents SAT's meeting.

On Tuesday 2nd October at 9.15am there will be a meeting for the parents of Y6 children. The session will give an overview of the SAT's tests and how parents can support their children in preparing for these tests. Please come along and see how you can help your child!

Term Dates

Friday 26th October- Break up for half term
Monday 5th November - Return to school
Friday 21st December - Break up for Christmas
Tuesday 8th January - Children return to school
Friday 15th February -Break up for half term
Monday 25th February - Children return to school
Friday 12th April -Break up for Easter
Tuesday 30th April -Children return to school
Friday 24th May -Break up for half term
Monday 3rd June - Children return to school
Friday 19th July—Break up for Summer

Appointments

Can I remind all parents that appointments at the doctor / dentist etc. should be made for after school or as an alternative on a Friday afternoon when the children are not in school. It causes disruption to learning when they are taken out of class during the day.

Thank you

Secondary School Transfer – September 2019

This is a reminder to all Year 6 parents that applications for secondary school in September 2019 can only be done online at:-

www.birmingham.gov.uk/schooladmissions

There is no paper application available for 2019. Parents can visit their local library to use a computer. The online application site opened on 3 September 2018.

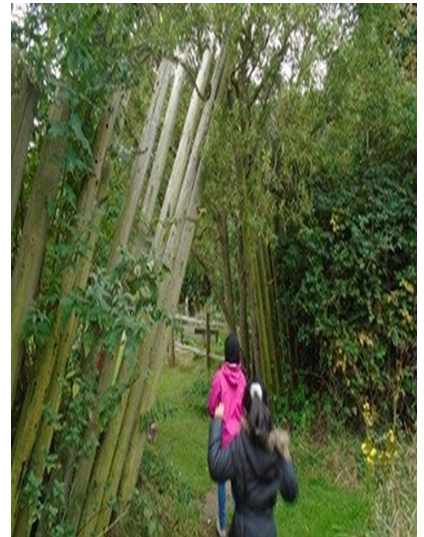
**The application deadline is midnight on
31 October 2018**

Behaviour and Rules

A leaflet will be sent home reminding you about our school rules and the rewards and sanctions we use in school. Please take time to go through this with your child to ensure that they are clear that both school and home have the same expectations. Also, get them to tell you all about the PATHS strategies they use!

Year 3 Trip to the Eco Park

On Tuesday 9th October Year 3 will be going on a trip to the Eco-park. The work they are doing will support their topic work in school. Pupils who have a free school meal will be provided with a packed lunch. Children must wear sensible clothes (including coat) and wellies if possible.



Leave in Term Time

Please read the whole school letter regarding attendance and leave in term time which is coming out to all parents this week. Last year we had a lot of children taking unauthorised holidays. This does impact significantly upon their learning and leads to gaps and them falling behind. This year we will be implementing the Fast Track process for schools which means parents can be given penalty charges notices for taking children on unauthorised holidays and ultimately can lead to parents receiving a criminal record.

