

# Sherington Newsletter



10<sup>th</sup> September 2021

## **TERM DATES**

### **Autumn Term 1**

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September - Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October

### **Half Term**

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> October - Friday 29<sup>th</sup> October

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## **School Meals**

Daily fee £2.66      Weekly £13.30  
Autumn 1      £93.10

Payment can be made via SIMS Pay  
*Contact the office if you need your login details*

## **Music Lessons**

Instrument lessons for the Autumn term start on Monday 13<sup>th</sup>. Please ensure that payment has been made, as no lessons will take place if payment hasn't been received.

## **Activity Clubs**

Activity clubs will start week commencing Monday 20<sup>th</sup> September.

A letter will be sent home early next week with details of clubs and sign up.

Please note that sign up will be via SIMS Pay and on a first come first served basis. We ask you to check that you are able to access SIMS Pay prior to the sign up date.

Please contact the office if you need your log in details.

## **Assemblies**

It was wonderful to gather in the hall on Monday - our first such assembly since March 2020. The character strength of self-

regulation has been our learning focus for this week.

## **Meet the Teachers**

It was such a pleasure to see our year 6 parents and carers gathered in the Creation Station this

morning. Other dates:

Year 5 - Monday 13<sup>th</sup>

Year 4 - Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup>

Year 3 - Monday 20<sup>th</sup>

Year 2 - Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup>

Year 1 - Friday 24<sup>th</sup>

Reception - Monday 27<sup>th</sup>

Please see the letter emailed on Wednesday for more information.

## **Nasal Flu Vaccination**

Oxleas NHS Immunisation Team will be administering the nasal flu vaccine, for those given consent on **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> October**.

Consent forms were sent home yesterday; please return these to the school office.

## **Friends of Sherington (FoS)**

Our parent association is a great way to bring together parents, teachers and your local community to raise funds and to support the school. The FoS help to build community cohesion by organising and running social events. FoS are an enthusiastic, active and supportive group of parents and carers who organise various fundraising and social events throughout the year, such as the summer and Christmas Fairs and bake sales.

In a time of diminishing budgets, the fundraising capacity of the FoS has been very important to the school. Monies raised go towards specific

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projects or equipment for the children and have been used to support Arts Week, Black History Month, author and storyteller visits and other school events. Due to the pandemic, we've been a little quiet, however, we'd like to get things back up and running and this is where we need you!

If you'd like to know more information please contact Sarah at [sarah.maybury@gmail.com](mailto:sarah.maybury@gmail.com)

All parents, carers, guardians and staff are automatically members of the Friends and are welcome to attend meetings and events. We'd love to see you at the next meeting (date to be confirmed)

## **Absence Reporting**

If your child is unwell and unable to attend school, please report this using the absence line: 020 8858 5497 option 1.

Absences must be reported daily.

Please also call the absence line if your child is isolating and awaiting COVID 19 test results for themselves or a family member that lives with them.