

Sherington Newsletter



30th April 2021

TERM DATES

Summer Term 1

Monday 19th April - Friday 28th May

Half Term

Monday 31st May - Friday 4th June

INSET Monday 7th June

Summer Term 2

Monday 7th June - Thursday 22nd July

INSET Friday 23rd July

INSET Days

There are two more INSET days for this academic year, these will be on:

Monday 7th June & Friday 23rd July.

Please see attached updated term dates.

Please see attached term dates for 2021/22.

Assemblies

Monday's assembly was taken by Ms Truscott, our year 5 teacher and Maths Lead. Ideas were shared about using mathematics in everyday life and the importance of having rapid recall of multiplication and division facts. Times table passports were 'refreshed' and classes played a multiplication/division quiz on *Kahoot!* Well done to 4W who topped the leaderboard at the end. Times Table Rock Stars continues to be available for home learning as well as use in school. If your child does not know their password for this, they should let their teacher know.

Singing assemblies went ahead despite the chilly weather and threat of rain. Thankfully, it just about held off.

Our Improvement Partner from the local authority visited on Wednesday morning and was delighted to be greeted by the sound of singing coming from the playground.

Attendance

The award is shared with 10 & 5A with 99.7%

School Meals

Daily fee £2.75	Weekly £13.75
Summer Term 1	£79.75

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

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.

Class Photographs

Will take place on 24th May

Breakfast & After School Club

We have some availability in our wrap around provision for years 1-6. The provision is run by our staff who work as Teaching Assistants during the school day. This ensures that the same high level of care and consistency of practice is maintained.

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Should you be interested in this facility now or for September, please either contact the school office

(sao@sherington.greenwich.sch.uk) for an application form or visit the school website.

The current daily charge is:

Breakfast club 8am - 9am £4

After School club 3.30pm - 6pm £10

Royal Mail Stamp Design Competition

"Honouring the heroes of the pandemic"

Royal Mail is holding a competition to design a stamp to honour the heroes of the pandemic.

Should your child wish to take part in this competition, please contact the school office (via email / telephone) so an entry form can be sent home with your child.

All designs must be handed into the school office by Friday 21st May in order to meet the deadline.

Please see the below link for more details

www.royalmail.com/stampcompetition

COVID 19 - Symptoms

The main symptoms of Covid 19 are:

- A high temperature
- A new, continuous cough
- A loss or change to your sense of smell or taste

What to do if you have symptoms

1. Get a test to check if you have coronavirus as soon as possible.
2. You and anyone you live with should stay at home and isolate until you get your results. You should only leave your home to have the test.
3. Anyone in your support bubble should also stay at home if you have been in close contact with them since your symptoms started or during the 48 hours before they started.

COVID 19

As part of our risk assessment, windows in school are kept open to allow for ventilation. Therefore, it is important that your child wears a cardigan/jumper while in school.

Please remember that **all** adult visitors to the school are required to wear a face covering when entering the building, regardless of the duration of the visit. This includes dropping off forgotten items, late drop off and early collection at the office.

All schools in the borough have been asked to remind the wider community about the need for 2m social distancing. This applies when gathering outside school and in general. Please help to keep everyone safe by observing this guidance and wearing a face mask, when dropping off and collecting children, as an extra precaution.