



SHARPS COPSE NEWS



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We'd like to wish everyone a very 'Happy Easter' its been a challenging term. We'd like to thank all of our staff for stepping in and covering staff absences to keep the school running with the least disruption to our children. And thank you to all you parents, carers and children for supporting us by continuously lateral flow testing and keeping us informed and safe. Everyone deserves a nice restful break and we hope the Easter Bunny visits you all!



SCHOOL FRUIT SNACK



We are pleased to announce that due to Covid restrictions being lifted, after half term the school will be providing a fruit snack for all our children across the school. This means you do not need to send one in with your child.

SCHOOL PE UNIFORM

Please note that Sharps Copse Primary PE uniform is the following items:-

A white, pale blue, navy or blue T-shirt



Blue, grey, black or white shorts for the summer and or tracksuit bottoms for the winter



Plain black or white trainers or plimsoles



PARENTS EVENING 4TH MAY 2022

We are pleased to inform you that we will be doing a face to face Parents Evening for the whole school on **Wednesday 4th May 2022 from 3.30-7.00**. A letter will be coming home with your child/dren after Easter for you to fill out and send back to your child's class teacher. Please return these as soon as possible so you can get the times you want especially if you have siblings to book for. Thank you.

Parents Evening

HOT SCHOOL MEAL PRICE INCREASE & MENU



A letter has been sent via email to all parents regarding the hot school meal price increase from £2.50 to £2.60 starting after half term on Monday 25th April 2022. A new school menu was included with this letter, this menu will run from April until October 2022. Please remember all hot school meals need to be paid for via Scopay before or on the morning they are ordered.

FUNDRAISING

A group of children in Year 5 wanted to do something to help the people suffering in the Ukraine. They organised a collection and sold items on the playground and raised a super £68.00

Thank you to the children and to anyone who donated.



NEW SCHOOL TIMINGS

Year R,1,2,3 and 6-playground gates open at **8:50am** and all class doors are open at the same time. The children will be ready for collection/release at **3:10pm**

Year 4 & 5 will continue to use the field entrance at **8:50am** as well. They will also be released at **3:10pm** and any parents that want children to come to the playground for collection will continue.

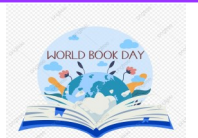
We will be closing the main playground gate at 9:05 am and all children late will need to buzz through the side gate from the playground and report to Reception.



Our Attendance Team will also be monitoring our lateness and any holiday requests more closely, so please try to organise any medical appointments for out of school time and aim to get the children into school on time everyday.

WORLD BOOK DAY

It was wonderful to see so many lovely costumes and everyone's favourite books for 'World Book Day'. The staff and children had great fun on the day. We hope you got to use your book tokens sent home.



Diary Dates 2022

Thursday 7th April - Last day of Spring Term

Friday 8th April - School Closed Inset Day

Easter holiday Monday 11th April to Friday 22nd April 2022

Monday 25th April - School re-opens usual time for the first half of the Summer Term

Wednesday 27th April - Yr 1 Staunton Trip

Monday 2nd May - School Closed for Bank Holiday

Tuesday 3rd May - School re-opens at usual time

Wednesday 4th May - Parents Evening 3.30 - 7.00

Thursday 5th May - School Closed for Polling Day

Monday 9th –Friday 13th May - SATS Week

Tuesday 17th May - Paultons Park Trip Great White Sharks

Thursday 19th May - Paultons Park Trip StinGray Sharks

Friday 27th May - Last day of term

May half term Monday 30th May to Friday 3rd June 2022

Monday 6th June - School Re-opens usual time for the second half of the Summer Term

Tuesday 28th June - Leopard Sharks Trip to Birdworld

Wednesday 29th June - Blue Sharks Trip to Birdworld

Thursday 21st July - School finishes for the Summer Holidays

(Please note the date change for the last day 21st July and not 22nd July due to the extra Bank Holiday for the Queens Jubilee)

Letters emailed out this term:

- ◆ After school PE Clubs Spring 2
- ◆ Whole school Punctuality letter
- ◆ Year 6 Data Collection sheet
- ◆ Yr 5 Data Collection sheet
- ◆ Comic Relief Ukraine Support
- ◆ Yr 6 Paultons Park Trip
- ◆ Yr 2 Closure due to Covid
- ◆ Yr 5 Warblington School Visit
- ◆ Sport4Primary FSM letter
- ◆ Extended School Snack letter
- ◆ Whole School Snack letter



Please check out our lovely new website where all our parent letters, term dates and useful information can be found!!

www.sharpscapseprimary.co.uk