



SPOONER ROW PRIMARY SCHOOL

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End of Year Newsletter

Tuesday 21st July

Term Dates

Autumn Term 2020

Monday 7th September to Friday
18th December

Half Term

Thursday 22nd October to Friday
30th October

Spring Term 2021

Monday 4th January to Friday 26th
March

Half Term

Monday 15th February to Friday
19th February

Summer Term 2021

Tuesday 13th April to Wednesday
21st July

Half Term

Monday 31st May to Friday 4th
June

Please note that our holidays
are not the same as the Norfolk
Model Calendar

Here we are finally at the end of yet another school year and what an unusual year it has been. Who could ever have imagined what the year had in store for us back in September 2019.

Whilst we haven't all been in school since March this year, those children who have, have worked hard and come back with tremendous positivity and have enjoyed all the activities the staff have set for them.

Those working from home have also amazed us with their resilience, determination and hard work. It has been lovely to see what the children have been getting up to on the class blogs - some amazing work - well done!

Thank you to all the parents who have stepped up to become teachers over the past 5 months, we are all extremely grateful for all your hard work, we know how hard it has been juggling working from home and teaching as well. You have done a brilliant job!

A huge thanks to the wonderful teaching staff at Spooner Row for the way they quickly adapted their class' learning from face to face in the classroom to online learning, responding readily to emails from parents, commenting on children's work, delivering sessions via Zoom all whilst looking after key worker children and classes of their own from June 1st, not to mention home schooling their own children. I am always amazed by the hard work of our teaching staff and their dedication towards the children in their care but know that they have all gone over and beyond since March.

Thanks also to all our amazing support staff who have adapted to working within bubbles in school, supporting our children on their return to school. They truly are a great team.

You will all have received a letter detailing arrangements for return to school in September and I will send out a reminder in early September.

Term begins on Monday 7th September with Key Stage 2 children (Badger and Oak Classes) starting school at the slightly earlier time of 8:40am. Badger Class will enter through the School Lane entrance and will be met there by Miss Best. Oak Class will enter through the car park gate and will be met by Miss Jackson. Please ensure that once you have dropped your child, you move your car promptly to allow the younger children's parents to have access to parking spaces.

Fox Class and Squirrel Class will arrive at 8:50am and will finish at 3:00pm Fox Class will be met at the car park gate by Mrs Ward or Miss Brown and Squirrel Class at the School Lane gate by Mrs Newbery.

I hope you all have a wonderful summer holiday and I look forward to welcoming you back to school in September.

Miss Hanton

Dates for your Diary

Monday 7th September - School reopens

Thursday 17th and Friday 18th September-
Oak Class two days of activities at Eaton
Vale

Remember...

We do our best to keep you informed of all dates which might affect you, however these are subject to change. Please visit our website regularly to ensure you stay informed.

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Enrich Learning Trust Year 6 Award

This is the second year that the Enrich Learning Trust has donated a special award to a deserving Year 6 pupil and this year's award goes to Albert Davies who has been an excellent role model; all through his time at Spooner Row. A good all rounder, Albert has represented the school at a variety of sporting events, has been a regular member of the School Council and has worked hard for the past 7 years. Congratulations Albert!

Friends of Spooner Row

A huge thank you to The Friends of Spooner Row who have been working in the background to ensure the Year 6 children get a good send off this year. I would like to say a huge thank you to Becky Webb who will be leaving us this year after at least 14 years many of which spent on the Friends' Committee, Becky will be sadly missed by us all.

Goodbyes

Sadly we are saying good bye to our Year 6 children and for some families, this will be the end of an era as their last child leaves primary school. I would like to wish each of the children the best of luck as they embark on their new and exciting journey to their chosen high schools-please stay in touch to let us know how you are getting on.

'Au Revoir'

We are also saying 'au-revoir' to Ms Macpherson who is leaving us to have a baby at the end of August. We wish her all the best and look forward to hearing news of the new arrival.

Mrs Gray will be working in Oak Class on Tuesday mornings and in Badger Class Tuesday afternoons and Wednesday mornings. Mrs Gray is currently a teacher at Kenninghall Primary and will be working across the two schools from September.

Thank you

My last thank you goes to Matt Cater whose company has very kindly donated a freestanding handwashing station to the school which can be used outside and will help the children to maintain high

Class Blogs

Remember to check out the class , PE and Forest School Blogs accessed by following the links on the school website www.spoonerrowprimary.co.uk

Staff regularly post on these so it is the best way for you to keep up-to-date with what has been going on in your child's classroom.

Many thanks for your continued support - Miss Hanton