



Shirley Infant School

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2020/21 Term Dates



Autumn Term 2021

Open: Thursday 2nd & Friday 3rd (INSET DAY at Shirley Infants, children return on Monday 6th September 2021)

Half Term: 25th October to 29th October 2021

Close: Friday 17th December 2021

Spring Term 2022

Open: Tuesday 4th January 2022

Half Term: 21st February to 25th February 2022

INSET: Friday 28th & Monday 31st January 2022

Close: Friday 8th April 2022

Summer Term 2022

Open: Monday 25th April 2022

May Bank Holiday: Monday 2nd May 2022

Half Term: 30th May to 3rd June 2022

INSET: Friday 26th June 2022

Close: Friday 22nd July 2022

To All Our Families,

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you, not only for the overwhelming amount of positive feedback and thanks that you have taken the time to write in cards to us and the staff, but also for the support and partnership that you have offered the whole team over the last 12 months.

Consequently our children have continued to grow as part of their own individual learning journey and it is a complete privilege to be a small part of that. It is so fulfilling to watch all of our pupils leave the school gates today, a little taller, but also more resilient, independent and respectful having worked hard on their academic, social and emotional achievements.

The whole team at Shirley would like to wish all of our children and families a very happy, safe summer break and we look forward to seeing you all again in September. Please don't forget Year 2 to pop back and see us!

Thank you for your fabulous support this year. We can not do what we do without you!

The Shirley Infant Team



Favourite Books

We love reading to the children and listening to them. Each class would like to share their favourite book with you. Maybe you can find it at the library and your little ones can share them with you too!

Squirrels: Commotion in the Ocean

Otters: Zog

Hedgehogs: Cat in the hat

Moles: The day the crayons

Rabbits: Fox in Socks

Owls: The slightly annoying elephant

Woodpeckers: Captain Underpants & Fantastic Mr Fox

Foxes: Charlie & Chocolate factory

Badgers: Traction Man & Giraffe Pelli and Me



HAPPY SUMMER READING!

Goodbye & Good Luck

As you already know, Miss Dunne and Mrs Savile are leaving us at the end of this year. Miss Dunne is off to her new school in Romsey Sherbourne House and Mrs Savillie is ready for a very happy retirement.

We want to thank them for all of their hard work. They have both been invaluable members of staff and will be leaving such a hole in our team. The children in their care have always thrived and have had the best experience. We wish them both all the fun and excitement on their new paths. I am sure you will join us in wishing the best too!





DFE Activity Passport The Summer Holiday Challenge



We sent this out in weekly communication two weeks ago. However, we wish to take this opportunity to remind you of the lovely activity passport that you can do with you little ones.

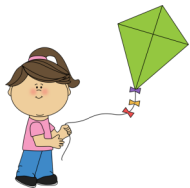
Please follow this link:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/my-activity-passport>

We all struggle with the holidays and trying to fill the time with low cost activities to keep us all busy. There are some lovely ideas that you can do.

We would love it if you can take a photo of your child participating within one of the activities so we can make a display with them in our corridor.

Happy making and hunting!



Dear Year 2,

We are just so proud of you and all that you have achieved. You truly are an amazing bunch of superstars. You have been our rainbows so many times and made the days so bright. Your individual achievements are pronominal and we could not be prouder!



Keep shining like the stars that you are..... The Junior school are so lucky to have you!



Love from



All of the Shirley Infant Staff

WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE IS CURRENTLY 97.35%



95.6%



96.75%



96.95%



97.25%



97.45%



97.65%



97.95%



98%



98.25%