

Newington CEP School Newsletter



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Welcoming, Flourishing,
Generous, Forgiving

Meet the Heads Meetings Thank you to everyone who attended the 'Meet the Heads' sessions. They were very informative and we hope you found them worthwhile experiences.

You told us:

- That your children have enjoyed the attendance incentives and you would like to celebrate these with us.
 - You have enjoyed the class assemblies and would like newsletters celebrating the children's work.
 - Your children have enjoyed the clubs we offer but you would like them to have more clubs to choose from.
 - Reception children enjoyed our Forest School and you would like more opportunities for the rest of the school to enjoy outside learning in the school grounds.
 - That communication has been a bit erratic or last minute in the past and you wanted more notice of events. We totally agree and whilst organising a busy school is a challenge, we will do our best. We've started the 3 week rule from next term (3 week's notice) so if we don't meet that, feel free to mention it to us on the gate! We have included key dates for the coming terms in this newsletter to help us all stay on top of school events. We appreciate all your feedback and are working hard to put your suggestions into action. If you have any further suggestions or feedback please don't hesitate to see us on the school gate or make an appointment to see us with the office.
- Kind regards,
Mrs Deevooy and Mr Krafft

School Uniform The children look very smart and we would like to thank you for all your support. Could we politely request that children do not wear hooped earrings and the size of JoJo bows are moderated. Hooped earrings can be a health and safety hazard and while we agree JoJo bows look beautiful they appear to be growing quicker than a shopping list at Christmas. They are becoming a distraction in class and in some cases impeding views of the board so we would request bows are shades of the school colours and no bigger than the length of your thumb. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Dates for your Diary Please see below for important dates throughout the year. Please note that dates are subject to change however we will try to ensure you have as much notice as possible.

Oct	3	Parent Drop in Evening - 3:30pm - 5pm
	5	Harvest Festival 2pm (Church)
	12	Individual and Sibling photos
	19	End of Term 1
	29	Term 2 begins
Nov	13	Newington New Entrants Tours
	14	Newington New Entrants Tours
	12-16	Anti Bullying Week
	21	New Entrants Tours - Year 6 lead - am
	30	Christingle Service 2pm (Church)
Dec	7	PTA Christmas Fayre (3.30 - 5.00 pm)
	10	KS1 Production Dress Rehearsal 2pm
	11	KS1 Production to Parents 2pm
	12	KS1 Production to Grandparents 2pm
	18	Christmas Service 2pm (Church)
	19	INSET DAY 3
	19	End of Term 2
Jan	3	Start of Term 3
Feb	5	Safer Internet Day
	15	End of Term 3
	25	Start of Term 4
March	18	Jungle Book Performance
April	5	End of Term 4
	23	Start of Term 5
May	6	May Bank Holiday
	13	KS2 Testing Week
	20-22	School Journey
	20-24	Bikeability
	24	End of Term 5
June	3	Start of Term 6
	7	Pentecost - Newington Church - 2pm
	10	Yr 1 Phonics Screening Test Week
	12	Sports Day
	19	Reserve Sports Day
	26	Year 6 Church Day
July	1	KS2 Production Dress Rehearsal 2pm
	2	KS2 Production 2pm
	3	KS2 Production 4.30 pm
	19	End of Term 6
	22	INSET DAY 4
	23	INSET DAY 5