



Town End Times



May
2019



Back to School - Monday 3rd June
Inset Day - Friday 28th June
Break up - Friday 19th July



What a busy (and very short!) half term we've had. As always we've packed lots in and have got plenty left to do next half term. Please look out for notifications on the APP and check the calendar on there for updates and information.

A huge well done to our year 6 pupils who remained calm during SATs week. Our breakfast club was very well attended and helped get the days off to a relaxed start. Thank you to all staff who helped with this!

Announcement

We have welcomed Miss Vardy back this week; she has been on maternity leave for a year now. Congratulations are in order as she has also got married so her new married name is Mrs Hoskyns. It's wonderful to have her back in school!

Lea Green

Our visit to Lea Green is fast approaching.
Years 5 and 6- **Residential** Monday 17th June- Wednesday 19th June

Years 3 and 4 and any 5/6 children not attending the residential will be going on a **day visit** on Tuesday 18th June.

This is part of our wider curriculum provision that gives children the opportunity to develop skills such as orienteering, climbing and problem solving whilst having a great deal of fun in the outdoors. All children are expected to attend the day visit. Please make sure that all forms are returned to the office and monies are paid up to date. Thank you for supporting this valuable experience.



Coming up

- Monday 3rd June- Back to school
- Monday 10th June - 9.30-11.00 and 1.30-3.00 open day for new year 3 children (current Y2) to visit with their parents
- Monday 17th June- Wednesday 19th June Y5/6 residential to Lea Green
- Tuesday 18th June - Year 3 and 4, and 5/6 day visit to Lea Green
- Week beginning Monday 24th June- Transition to new classes/ year group experiences begins, please see section below.
- Friday 28th June - 5PPS Cluster INSET day

REMINDER

Please check Parent Pay and ensure all payments are paid up to date.

Dinners and Breakfast Club should be paid in advance.

Thank you for your support.

Key Dates- Transition

- Monday 24th June- new classes, Y2 children in school
- Tuesday 25th and Wednesday 26th June- Y6 transition days to TCS. Year 2 children in school- new classes.
- Thursday 27th June - Year 6 at West Notts College all day.

Transition

We will begin Transition on Monday 24th June.

We had a huge amount of positive feedback about our transition arrangements last year. We work very closely with Tibshelf Community School, Tibshelf Infant School and other schools so that the move to and from our setting is as smooth as possible for every child.

We aim to spend as much time as we can getting to know the children and allowing them to get used to their new classes and surroundings. This is so that in September the children are already familiar with adults in school, are aware of routines and can make a settled start to the new school year.

Attendance

Illness is monitored by school and the Local Authority. Repeated absences from school could result in a request being made that you obtain medical evidence from your child's doctor as recommended in Government guidelines.

We appreciate that there are times when your child is genuinely ill and will need to have time off school. If this is more than 3 days you will be asked for medical evidence. This can be in the form of an appointment card, copy of a prescription or the medicine itself can be brought into school and shown to the office.

In addition, can we please remind you that holidays should not be taken during term time. Government legislation prevents schools from granting leave of absence unless there are 'exceptional circumstances'. Holidays are not exceptional. For further information please refer to a copy of our Attendance Policy which can be found on the school website.

Thanks for your continuing support as we move our school forward and aim to make your child's time an enjoyable and skillful learning experience. We always appreciate feedback, please feel free to complete our website feedback form or speak to us directly.

