



"Learning together, aiming high, proud to be ourselves"

This term our Core Value was



Honesty



OUR OPEN DOOR POLICY

Please remember that we want you to chat with us about any queries or concerns that you may have. Mrs Christian and Mrs Darvill stand at the front and back playground. You can speak to your child's class teacher after school, or please contact Mrs Christian via email head@johnrayinfants.essex.sch.uk

New items to the newsletter will be in **Blue**, items from the PTA/Friends will be in **Green**. Items that require your attention will be in **red**.

Sickness A reminder that if your child has been sick or has diarrhoea they must stay away from school for at least 48 hours before returning back to school. When reporting your child absent from school, please ensure you call the school office before 9am on each day of their sickness.



We are looking for 1 permanent midday assistant to work Monday & Tuesday lunchtime.

We are also looking for a relief MDA to work adhoc days.

If you are interested in either of the above positions please contact Mrs Rushen next week.

APPLICATIONS FOR SEPTEMBER 2022

Final chance to enter your applications online for children starting primary school and going into year 3 in September 2022.

Applications close on Saturday 15th January 2022.



Main Office Information

Opening Times 8.30am until 4.00pm

Telephone: 01376 323071

Email: enquiries@johnrayinfants.essex.sch.uk Please call the office to report your child absent, before 9am.

School meals week starting 10 January 2022 wk 2

School meals week starting 17 January 2022 wk 1

FS - Mrs K Yates

Yr 1 - Mrs E Turner

Yr 2 - Miss C Springall

Diary Dates:

Wed 12 Jan BB Stay and play outside 2.25pm-2.50pm

Tues 18 Jan BF Stay and play outside 9.10am-9.35am

Wed 19 Jan DF Stay and play outside 9.10-9.35am

Thur 20 Jan LB Stay and play outside 9.10am-9.35am

Wed 26 - Thur 27 Jan - FS Winter Walk

Fri 11 Feb- Non Pupil Day

Mon 14-18 Feb - Half Term

Mon 21 Feb - Return to school

Tues 1 Mar EYFS TLR's 3.15-5pm - Info to follow

Wed 2 Mar EYFS TLR's 3.15-6pm - Info to follow

Thur 3 Mar - World Book Day - details to follow

Fri 18 Mar - Red Nose Day - details to follow

Fri 1 Apr - Last day of term

Mon 4 - 18 Apr - Easter Holidays

Tues 19 Apr - Return to school

Parent Helpers



Parent Helpers required for EYFS winter walk on Weds 26 & Thurs 27 January 9.15-11.15am. Please contact

the school office if you are able to help on one or both of the walks.

We are also looking for parent helpers to help with reading in class. If you have a DBS and would like to help in a class. Please contact your class teacher.

Tiddly Winkers forms are available from the school office or from our website. Late pick ups **will be charged** to attend Tiddly Winkers. Ask for further information from the school office or find out more on our website. Please ensure you book as soon as possible as we are becoming very busy and can be up to our maximum numbers during the week.



If you have a child in year 1 or 2 and your child is having to self isolate. We do have work set for children each week. Please click on the link below for self isolation work URL:

<https://www.johnrayinfants.com/page/?title=Isolation+Home+Learning&pid=328&action=saved>