

Diamond Academy Newsletter



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Parent's Evening

We would like to thank all those parents who attended our first Parent's Evening of this academic year. We hope that next time even more of you will join us.

Flu Vaccinations

The NHS are extending the flu vaccination programme to include all Year 3 pupils whose parents consent. This will be taking place at Diamond on Thursday 8th December. We will be sending out the paperwork to our Year 3 parents nearer the time.

Menu Change

Next week we have American Day on Thursday 10th November so the menu will be hotdog and fries. So this meal is not duplicated, on Tuesday 8th November it will be Pizza.

Calendar/Term dates

You should have received your school calendar this week. If you do not have a copy, please ask at the office. There will be further training dates to follow but these are the term dates for this academic year so far:

Autumn 2nd half-term – Tuesday 1st November – Friday 16th December
Christmas holiday – Monday 19th December – Monday 2nd January 2017
Spring 1st half-term – Tuesday 3rd January – Friday 10th February 2017
February half-term – Monday 13th February – Friday 17th February
Spring 2nd half-term – Monday 20th February – Friday 31st March
Easter holiday – Monday 3rd April – Monday 17th April
Summer 1st half-term – Tuesday 18th April 2017 – Friday 26th May
Bank Holiday – Monday 1st May
May half-term – Monday 29th May – Friday 2nd June
Summer 2nd half-term – Monday 5th June – Friday 21st July
Summer holiday – Monday 24th July – 31st August 2017

School shoes

Despite numerous reminders, there are still a number of children who are still not wearing correct footwear. Please ensure you purchase your child a pair of appropriate school shoes that form part of the academy's uniform policy. We will be making your child change their shoes if they are not wearing the correct footwear.

Ties

We will not be lending any more ties to children who are frequently without theirs. Please come into the office and purchase a new tie for £4.00.

Music lessons

There are a number of children who have had their music lessons stopped this week due to non-payment. Music lessons are an extra at Diamond and if you are having difficulty paying, then please contact us and we may be able to help. Ignoring the reminders does not make the invoice go away.

Kingswood

Please be reminded that the next instalment is due by Wednesday 23rd November. This is for £55.00. Anybody who fails to make this payment may not be able to attend Kingswood and may unfortunately lose their deposit. Should you need to speak to somebody about making this payment, please contact the office.

Class Attendance for week 17/10/16 – 21/10/16

Griffin – 95.6%

Hippogriff – 94%

Sphinx – 93.6%

Unicorn – 92%

Centaur – 92.6%

Dragon – 96.3%

Pegasus – 86.1%

Phoenix – 94.5%

Class Attendance for week 01/11/16 – 04/11/16

Griffin – 96.9%

Hippogriff – 98.8%

Sphinx – 95.0%

Unicorn – 96.3%

Centaur – 99.1%

Dragon – 91.5%

Pegasus – 95.5%

Phoenix – 94.4%