



WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

ASHURST CE AIDED PRIMARY SCHOOL

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14th May 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

Drop off and collection times from Monday 17th May 2021

In light of the new government guidance regarding COVID-19, we are continuing the school timings of 8.30 to 9am drop off and end of school time of 3.30pm.

When you are dropping off and collecting your children please be mindful of the recommendation that when meeting friends and family you:

'exercise caution and consider the guidance on risks associated with COVID-19', and, that 'social distancing is still very important. You should stay 2 meters apart from anyone who is not in your household or support bubble where possible, or 1 metre with extra precautions in place'.

We would like to thank all parents and carers for their continuing support during these unprecedented times.

Class bubbles

With the new guidance in mind we are pleased to inform you that as of Monday 17th May, we will include all three classes within one bubble. We will of course continue with our very regular and thorough cleaning throughout the school day.

Uniform

Please can we ask that all children have a suitable outdoor coat and a water bottle with them in school every day. May we also ask that children have a school book bag (available on the school website). These fit in the children's drawers and help letters, homework and reading books make the journey home safely! PE kits should be worn to school on days that your child has PE or is attending the after-school sports club. Infants (Thursday), Year 3/4 5/6 (Friday) Afterschool Sports Club (Thursday).

Swimming sessions

We are pleased to be able to offer these swimming sessions in the Summer term. Please remember your child will need a swimming hat and a verruca sock if they have a verruca. Transport will be provided by minibus and a packed lunch will be required on these days.

Year 5 – 14th May, 21st May and 28th May

Year 4 – 11th June, 18th June and 25th June

Year 3 – 9th July and 16th July

Dates for the term

Half term 29th May – 6th June

Inset days 1st / 2nd July (Thursday / Friday)

End of term 23rd July

Safeguarding

As always, should you have any concerns regarding your child/children, please contact the school as soon as possible, in order that matters may be quickly and effectively resolved. Should you have any safeguarding concerns please contact the DSL team, Mrs Clarke, Mrs Hedley and Mrs Smith direct or via DSL@dashurstcofe-pri.w-sussex.sch.uk.

Thank you once again for your continued support.

Kindest regards,

Mrs T Clarke and Mrs S Smith
Co-Headteachers

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Dates for the Summer Term 2021

SUMMER TERM

Monday 19th April – Friday 23rd July 2021

HALF TERM

Monday 31st May – Friday 4th June 2021

INSET DAYS 1st & 2nd July 2021

BANK HOLIDAY 3rd May 2021

Family Church Service 2nd Sunday of each month at 10:30 am

Please see St. James' Church, or Ashurst Primary School websites for further information on service dates.

In-school Assessments	17th – 21st May
Full Governing Body Meeting 5:30-7:00pm	19th May
Science Week	24th – 28th May
HALF TERM	31 st May – 4th June
Healthy Eating Week	14th – 18th June
Y6 Activity Week (further information to come)	21st – 25th June
Parent Consultation Afternoon/Evenings	15th & 22nd June
Full Governing Body Meeting 5:30pm- 7:00pm (With Y6 in attendance 5:30- 6pm)	30th June
INSET DAYS	1st & 2nd July
Sports Day	8th July
Open Afternoon (2:30 -4:00pm)	19th July
Y6 Leavers' Rounders Match & Tea for all parents/friends 2:30 – 5:00pm	20th July
Y6 Leavers' Assembly (9:15am in school for parents/friends)	21st July

Induction Morning Reception Pupils (2021/2022) & Induction Day Y6 Pupils transferring to SGS	7 th July
Y5 Taster Day Steyning Grammar School	tba
Pupils Reports Home	tba
Lancing College Y6 Leavers Assembly	tba
School Photographer	tba
End of Summer Term	23rd July

EXTRA -CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

KS1 'MULTISKILLS' (Y1 & Y2)

Thursdays until 4pm
 20th & 27th May
 10th, 17th & 24th June
 15th 22nd July

KS2 CRICKET, ROUNDERS & ATHLETICS CLUB (Y3-Y6)

Thursdays until 4.15pm
 Thursdays until 4pm
 20th & 27th May
 10th, 17th & 24th June
 15th 22nd July

SWIMMING SESSIONS- (packed lunches are required please)

Fridays 1 -2pm

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 Year 4 – 11th, 18th & 25th June
 Year 3 – 9th & 16th July