



# Lavant

## C.E. Primary School

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Dear Parents,

As we approach the end of another school year, I thank everyone for all their hard work and commitment to the life of our school.

There has been a flurry of activity in the last couple of weeks. I hope you have managed to see some of our photos from sports day. The children really did excel. We have also been delighted to welcome parents back into school and hoped you enjoyed looking at some of your child's recent learning. Yesterday our year 6 children had a fabulous day at CYE which was a wonderful way to mark the end of their 7 years journeying with us. **We are incredibly proud of all the children in Year 6 and wish them all the best as they settle into their new schools in September.**

### End of Year reports

I hope you found your child's report informative. I am sure you will all appreciate the amount of time and effort that teachers put in to writing these important documents for every child in their class. Thank you to those of you who have emailed the school office with comments you would like to make. Comments may be emailed to the school office up to the end of this week.

### Breakfast Club

Thank you to those of you who have already booked places for your children in Breakfast club that is starting again from September. slots are filling up quickly so please do not hesitate to secure your child's place to ensure you do not miss out.

### The Friends

As always at this time of year we say a huge **thank you** to The Friends for their tireless efforts in raising money to enrich the lives of our children and whole school community. I am delighted to inform you that our 'break the rules' day raised a fantastic £258. **Thank you.**

### New School Year

After the summer holidays, the children return to school on **Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September** to start their next school year. Please note that Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September is a staff training day.

### Drop off and pick up arrangements from September

We are aiming to return to normal start and finish times in September. Doors will open for all children at 8:50am and the end of the school day will revert to 3:15pm for all classes. We will however be continuing our one-way system for all parents and pupils. Please enter via the wooden gates and leave via the green field gates. To help ease congestion in West Stoke road, the turning circle will also be back in operation in the mornings next year and our usual drop off service for children in Key stage two will resume. To ensure everyone's safety, please take care to stick to the pavement when leaving via the green double gates.

### PE Kits – Autumn term

We have had many positive comments regarding children wearing their PE kits to school on a Wednesday and will be continuing this in the autumn term.

## Autumn term Welcome meetings

Please make a note in your diary of our welcome meetings that will be taking place in the first couple of weeks of the new school year. All meetings will take place at the end of the school day.

Pheasant Class	Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> September
Robin Class (Yr 2)	Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> September
Woodpecker Class	Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> September
Wren Class (YrR)	Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> September
Goldfinch Class (Yr 1)	Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> September

## Change of Term Dates 2021 - 22

Due to the additional bank holiday to mark the Queens Platinum Jubilee, there has been a slight change to West Sussex term dates. Please note the last day of the school year 2022 will now be Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July not Friday 22<sup>nd</sup>.

AUTUMN TERM	
<b>Inset Day</b>	Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September
<b>Starts</b>	Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September
<b>Half Term</b>	Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> October – Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> October
<b>Inset Day</b>	Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> November
<b>Ends</b>	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> December
SPRING TERM	
<b>Starts</b>	Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> January
<b>Inset Day</b>	Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> January
<b>Half Term</b>	Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> February – Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> February
<b>Inset Day</b>	Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> February
<b>Ends</b>	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> April
SUMMER TERM	
<b>Starts</b>	Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> April
<b>Bank Holiday</b>	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May
<b>Inset Day</b>	Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> May
<b>Half Term</b>	Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> May – Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June
<b>Ends</b>	Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> July

## Finally

Thank you, pupils, parents, governors, Friends and staff for your continued support of our school, and for your constant enthusiasm and dedication towards ensuring Lavant C.E. Primary School continues to grow from strength to strength.

I do wish you all a safe, happy and relaxing summer and hope that the sun continues to shine for the next few weeks.

Best Wishes



Adrian King

**Working together in faith - always 'Aiming for the best'**