

Durrington Infant & Junior Federated Schools

Week ending
14th September 2018



News Roundup

Welcome back to a brand new school year. We hope everyone had a lovely summer break. It has been great to welcome back the children and see them looking so smart and ready for the term ahead.

Our children in Nursery and Reception have been having lots of fun getting to know where everything is and making lots of new friends. Today was our third day of having the Reception children staying full time, and they seem to have settled in really well.

The children in Years 1 and 2 were puzzled to find a giant egg had appeared in each of their classes. They are having lots of fun thinking of where it could have come from and what could possibly be inside.

Year 3 and 4 have started their new Roman topic with a trip to Bignor Roman Villa this week. They had a great time dressing up and looking at the beautiful mosaics.

Year 5 have moved on from Ancient Rome to Ancient Greece and have been investigating what daily life was like there.

The Year 6 children have starting finding out about what fossils are and where they come from. They have even made their own fossils out of clay.

AUTUMN TERM

INSET DAY 3.9.18 & 4.9.18

Term Begins:

Wednesday 5.9.18

INSET DAY 19.10.18

Half term:

22.10.18 to 26.10.18

Term Ends:

Wednesday 19.12.18

SPRING TERM

Term Begins:

Thursday 3.1.19

Half term:

18.2.19 to 22.2.19

INSET DAY 25.2.19

Term Ends:

Friday 5.4.19

200 CLUB

There is still time to join our new '200 Club' and raise money for school funds as well as getting the chance to win a cash prize every month!

Forms are available in the office and for £12 a year you will be entered into a monthly draw to win a percentage of the takings. If you sign up by next Wednesday, you will be entered into the autumn term bonus draw too!

GDPR Forms

Forms were sent home last term to all children so that parents could consent to the use of photographs in line with the new GDPR regulations.

There are still a lot of forms that have not been returned and this has an impact on what we can do on our website.

We love to share the children's activities with you on line, so please can you complete a form if you have not yet done so.

Extra copies are in the office.

Thank you.

School Crossing Patrol

West Sussex County Council are looking for someone to cover the Lollypop man when he is on holiday. He has a few trips planned and rather than leave the road unattended, it would be great if we had another Lollypop person!

If you, or anyone you know is interested in this flexible, casual role, please speak to Mrs Cook or email the school office.

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Letters & emails sent home recently

- * Diary Dates
- * Welcome Meetings
- * If you have not received these letters, please ask at the school office for another copy.

