

Dates For Your Diary

May 2015

18th - 22nd Travel Smart Week, Walk to School

25th - 29th - Half Term

June 2015

5th - Swimming Gala for Years 5 & 6

23rd - School Photographs & KS1 Mini Olympics

24th - KS2 Viking Day

25th - KS2 Music Concert 2.45pm (Fifes)

29th June - 2nd July - September Starters Visits

30th - Year 6 Transition to QEGS

July 2015

1st - Year 6 Transition to QEGS

2nd - Year 6 Transition to QEGS

3rd - INSET Day

21st - Sports Day

KS2 Swimming

KS2 swimming - Monday 1 June until 6 July.

Safeguarding

After reviewing safeguarding procedures regarding homework arrangements, the Infant Class will now be waiting for parents at the end of the school day in their Outdoor Learning Area. A member of staff will be waiting to hand over children near the small gate at the top of the steps.

Parents must collect Junior children from the main playground.

A form will be sent home shortly allowing parents to confirm their child's normal homework arrangements.

Please, telephone the school office, if there is a change to these arrangements.

Terms Dates for 2015 – 2016

Autumn Term

Monday 7 September 2015 - Friday 23 October 2015

Monday 2 November 2015 - Friday 18 December 2015

Spring Term

Monday 4 January 2016 - Friday 5 February 2016

Monday 15 February 2016 - Thursday 24 March 2016

Summer Term

Monday 11 April 2016 - Friday 27 May 2016
(Monday 2 May is a Bank Holiday)

Monday 6 June 2016 - Tuesday 26 July 2016

Within these dates, the school will be closed for children on five days for the purposes of staff training.
(INSET DAYS)

Summer Term 1 2015

I would like to take this opportunity to say I am delighted to be the new Headteacher of Parwich Primary School. The whole school community has been very welcoming and I am enjoying meeting each and every one. I firmly believe that the children are of central importance; children need to be cared for, feel safe and be happy at school in order for them to progress. Furthermore, I fully support the school's mission statement: 'Together everyone achieves more'. As a consequence, I will be aiming to engage all pupils, staff, parents and governors effectively in the pursuit of excellence in all of the school's activities.

As a school, we will aim to challenge the pupils to make outstanding progress in their reading, writing and mathematics to provide them with skills for life. We will also provide a broad and balanced curriculum with a variety of fun activities to encourage the children to become life-long learners.



PTA - Thank you

A big thank you to the PTA for all their support. The children are enjoying the KS2 reading scheme and all of the children now have access to online reading.

School Uniform Policy & Order Form

A copy of the new Uniform Policy and an order form for the uniform is being sent home with your child.

Please pass any orders with payment to Karen Wigley by Thursday 11th June.



Lunch / Fruit Money - Junior Class only

For parents who wish to pay for their child's lunches for the half term the amount is £1.95 a day for 39 days at a total of **£76.05**, cheques payable to **Derbyshire County Council**. (If you are in credit/arrears you will receive a note home). A reminder to parents who pay weekly, please send payments for dinners to school on **Monday morning** for the beginning of each week and that we need a weeks notice to swap to or from lunches to sandwiches.

Could all fruit money please be paid half-termly, at a total of **£3.90** (39 days x 10p), cheques payable to **Parwich Primary School**.