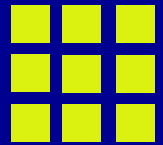


NINE ACRES NEWS

'Striving for Excellence'

Friday 5th March 2021



Nine Acres Community Primary School, South View, Newport, Isle of Wight, PO30 1QP
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Dear Families of Nine Acres Primary School,

We had a wonderful World Book Day on Thursday and I know many of you joined in at home! The Masked Reader was a great success and I can now reveal that in the order of readers it was:

1. Mrs Shaw
2. Mrs Broome
3. Mr Nash
4. Mrs Sim
5. Mr Worrell

All correct entries were entered into our draw and the winning entry was the Martin family (Jessica Year 3) who have won a £10.00 Asda Voucher and the winning class in school was Stirling Class who will get an additional PE lesson with Mr Nash.

We also had some amazing writing entries for Year 1 and Year 2 as part of the ASDA competition. They wrote about a super fruit/vegetable and their adventures! We had stories about carrots, pineapples and even a super aubergine!. The winning entry who will receive the ASDA hamper is Melody K (Corfe Class). You can read her story in our newsletter this week. Well done Melody!

We look forward to our full return on **Monday 8th March** and all families should have received a letter with an update of procedures in school. You will see on the front of this newsletter the staggered start and end times for each class/year group. Please help us to stay open by wearing a mask when on site in the playground, keeping your children with you until they are asked to line up (not mixing with other children), maintaining your distance from one another both on the playground and at the school gate and leaving promptly when you have dropped off or collected your child.

Our community must do their part to help us keep everyone safe and ensure that we can stay open for all the children.

Have a lovely weekend!

Mrs Dyer



Class Name/Teacher	Start Time	Location	End Time	Location
EYFS Carisbrooke/Mrs Shaw	9:00am	Front Playground	3:00pm	Front Playground
EYFS Yarmouth/Miss Perumall	9:00am	Front Playground	3:00pm	Front Playground
Y1 Biggleswade/ Mrs White	8:45am	Front Playground	3:10pm	Front Playground
Y1 Corfe/Miss Hollands	8:45am	Back Playground	3:10pm	Back Playground
Y2 Balmoral/Miss Hayward	8:45am	Back Playground	3:00pm	Back Playground
Y2 Windsor/Miss Fry	8:45am	Back Playground	3:00pm	Back Playground
Y3 Arundel/Miss Hancox	8:45am	Front Playground	3:10pm	Front Playground
Y3 Bamburgh/Miss Boxell	8:45am	Front Playground	3:10pm	Front Playground
Y4 Kendal/Mrs Barbour/Mrs Mayes	8:30am	Back Playground	3:00pm	Back Playground
Y4 Warwick/Miss Bekesi	8:30am	Back Playground	3:00pm	Back Playground
Y5 Edinburgh/Miss McDonald	8:30am	Back Playground	3:10pm	Back Playground
Y5 Stirling/Mrs Scott	8:30am	Back Playground	3:10pm	Back Playground
Y6 York/Mrs Tingle	8:30am	Back Playground	3:10pm	Back Playground
Y6 Durham/ Miss Shobbrook	8:30am	Front Playground	3:10pm	Front Playground

NINE ACRES COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

HEADTEACHER'S LOCKDOWN AWARDS



Carisbrooke

Eloise

Yarmouth

Frederick

Corfe

Layla

Biggleswade

Chloe

Balmoral

Finley N

Windsor

Noah

Arundel

Jayden

Bamburgh

Devlin



Kendal

Bobby M

Warwick

Ethan B

Edinburgh

Alex

Stirling

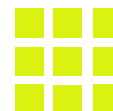
Amy

Year 6

Denna

Colby

**WELL DONE
EVERYONE!!!**



Early Closing

School will be closing early on
Friday 26th March. Due to Covid and
staggered times, the following pick up
times will apply:

EYFS / Year 2 / Year 4 -

Leaving at **12.45pm**

Year 1 / Year 3 / Year 5 / Year 6 -

Leaving at **1.00pm**



Welcome River Year
6, Finnian Year 3,
Alys EYFS, Angelou
Year 3 and
Angelina Year 3
to our Nine Acres
Family!

Diary Dates 2021



Fri 5th Mar - Sun 14th Mar 2021 - British
Science Week.

Fri 12th Mar 2021 - World Maths Day.

Week beginning 22nd March 2021 - Parents'
Evening.

Fri 26th Mar 2021 - Early Closing.

- EYFS / Year 2 / Year 4 - Leaving at **12.45pm**
- Year 1 / Year 3 / Year 5 / Year 6 leaving at **1.00pm**

Mon 29th Mar - Fri 9th April 2021 - Easter Holidays.

Mon 12th April 2021 - First day of Summer Term.

W/B Mon 10th May 2021 - KS2 SATs Week.

W/B Mon 17th May 2021 - KS1 SATs Week.

Mon 31st May - Fri 4th June 2021 - HALF TERM.

Mon 21st Jun 2021 - DEVELOPMENT DAY.

Thurs 1st July 2021 - EYFS & KS1 Sports Day.

Fri 2nd July 2021 - KS2 Sports Day.

Thurs 22nd July 2021 - Last day of the Summer Term.

Fri 23rd July 2021 - DEVELOPMENT DAY.

New dates will be added - Please check the box for **NEW** to see
any added dates.

Nine Acres Primary School Years 1-6 Dinner Menu - From 22nd February 2021

		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Beginning 22nd Feb	Option 1	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Wedges	Chicken & Tomato Pasta with Garlic Bread	Sausage Roll with Wedges	Cottage Pie	Fish Fingers or Battered Fish on a Rota & Chips
	Option 2		Roasted Vegetable Pasta with Garlic Bread	Vegan Roll with Wedges	Vegetable Cottage Pie	Fish Fingers or Battered Fish on a Rota & Chips
	Crudities	Cucumber & Carrots	Seasonal Vegetables	Cucumber & Carrots	Seasonal Vegetables	Peppers & Carrots
	Dessert	Chocolate Brownie	Banana Cake	Fruit	Apple Flapjack	Cookie

School Dinner Prices for Years 3-6

£2.15 per day.

£10.75 per week.

All payments to be made on ParentPay

ALLERGY INFORMATION:

If your child has an allergy or intolerance please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child. We use a large variety of ingredients in the preparation of our meals and due to the nature of our kitchens it is not possible to completely remove the risk of cross contamination.

Nine Acres Primary School EYFS Dinner Menu - From 22nd February 2021

		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Beginning 22nd Feb 2021	Option 1	Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Wedges	Chicken & Tomato Pasta with Garlic Bread	Sausage, Mash and Gravy	Cottage Pie	Fish Fingers or Battered Fish on a Rota & Chips
	Option 2		Roasted Vegetable Pasta with Garlic Bread	Vegetable Sausage, Mash	Vegetable Cottage Pie	Fish Fingers or Battered Fish on a Rota & Chips
	Crudities	Sweetcorn & Peas	Seasonal Vegetables	Carrots Cabbage	Seasonal Vegetables	Peas Beans
	Dessert	Chocolate Brownie	Banana Cake and Custard	Fruit Yoghurt	Apple Flapjack	Cookie Yoghurt

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SPORTS ENRICHMENT CLUBS



10th March 2021 - 25th March 2021

Notifications have been sent to families who applied for spaces for the March Enrichment Clubs. Should you wish to apply for one of the remaining few spaces please email:

enrichmentclubs@nineacrespri.co.uk

All clubs will run from 3.10-4.10pm.

Please collect your children from the front playground at 4.10pm, alternatively if you have given permission for your child in Year 4 or 5 to walk home they will be released at 4.10pm.

Please be wearing a mask when on site in the playground and adhere to social distancing.

Thank you for your continued support.

PE DAYS

Week Commencing 8th March 2021

All children should come to school in their PE kits on their allocated day.

PE Days for each Year Group

EYFS - Monday

Year 1 - Friday

Year 2 - Tuesday

Year 3 - Monday

Year 4 - Thursday

Year 5 - Wednesday

Year 6 - Tuesday

Please ensure your child has the appropriate PE kit and footwear for PE lessons. Please ensure your child has a water bottle in school everyday.

Please remove all earrings before your child comes to school and ensure that long hair is tied back.



SCHOOL UNIFORM AT NINE ACRES PRIMARY SCHOOL

EYFS - Year 4

Autumn/Spring Term

School Logo White Polo Shirt (Blue for EYFS only)

Navy Blue Jumper/Cardigan with School Logo

Charcoal Grey Trousers or Grey Skirt

Grey or White Plain Ankle Socks

Black Sensible School Shoes - No Boots or Fashion Shoes/Trainers

Summer Term

School Logo White Polo Shirt (Blue for EYFS only)

Charcoal Grey Shorts or Skirt/Blue Summer Dress

Grey or White Ankle Short Socks

Black Sensible School Shoes - No Boots or Fashion Shoes/Trainers

Year 5 and Year 6

Autumn/Spring Term

Navy Blue Jumper/Cardigan with School Logo

Plain White Shirt (Long or Short Sleeve)

School Tie

Charcoal Grey Trousers or Skirt

Grey or White Ankle Short Socks

Black Sensible School Shoes - No Boots or Fashion Shoes/Trainers

Summer Term

Plain White Shirt (Short Sleeve)

School Tie

Charcoal Grey Shorts or Skirt

Grey or White Plain Short Socks

Black Sensible School Shoes - No Boots or Fashion Shoes/Trainers



PE Kit (All Years)

Lime Green Logo Polo Shirt

Navy/Black Shorts

Trainers

White Plain Short Ankle

Socks

Navy Blue or Black Tracksuit Bottoms & a Navy hooded top for Sports activities

Drawstring PE Bag



FREE SCHOOL MEALS

Have your circumstances changed?
Could you now be entitled to Free
School Meals?

To apply online please go to:

www.iow.gov.uk/council/OtherServices/Free-School-Meals/Key-Stage-1-and-2

Looking for a friend!

by: Melody
Kiani

once upon a time there was a brave superhero carrot living with other vegetables and fruits!

All the fruit and vegetables love superhero carrot because he is friendly, strong and helps everybody!

one night a lovely bright green alien came and grabbed the pineapple and took the pineapple to the moon.

Next morning, every one was looking for the pineapple and they could not find the pineapple so they asked superhero carrot to help them.

First superhero carrot, looked everywhere then he saw a bright

green colour on the floor and he glowed the bright green colour to the moon.

Finally, superhero carrot found pineapple and now pineapple and alien were playing together because the alien didn't have any friend.

superhero carrot told the green bright alien that he can come to Earth any time he wants and play with all the vegetables and fruits.

The bright green alien is very happy to have lots of friends now.



The End

Writing entry by Melody K - Corfe Class

IMPORTANT CONTACT DETAILS

To notify the school at the weekend of a positive COVID-19 case please email BOTH of these email addresses:

emergency@nineacrespri.co.uk

office@nineacrespri.co.uk



How can I access my child's teacher?

We ask that parents do not try to speak to the class teacher or LSA at the start or end of the day unless approached by the staff member directly. This is to avoid community transmission. If you need to give your child's teacher a message, then please contact the office through text or email. Staff aim to respond as quickly as possible and will call you to discuss as needed.



Packed Lunches

All packed lunches brought in from home can now be placed in a lunchbox but must be cleaned each day.



WATER BOTTLES

All children should bring a filled named water bottle to school every day.



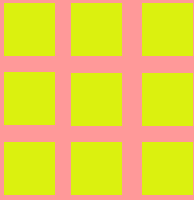
In addition, only one adult, with a face covering, is permitted into the office area at any one time. Please maintain your distance from the hatch area and only pop in if essential. All other contact can be made by phone, email or text.

Office Email - office@nineacrespri.co.uk

Text - Reply to any school text

Thank you for your continued support.

SPACES AT NINE ACRES



We are still receiving enquiries for places at our wonderful school. We have a few spaces left in our Year 2 classes so if you know anyone who would like to join **#teamnineacres** in Year 2 please do ask them to get in contact. We would be delighted to share with them just what Nine Acres offers.



**You're off to
Great places!
Today is your day!
Your mountain
is waiting, so...
Get on your way!
- Dr Seuss -**

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Please do not worry if your child has grown out of their school shoes/uniform - please ensure they have a suitable and appropriate alternative for this half term. Normal uniform expectations will be back in place for the Summer Term.

Useful Information

West Newport's Children Centre

Wellington Road, Newport, PO30 5QT
Tel: 01983 537390

Wight DASH (Domestic Abuse) Tel: 01983 825981

Childline: Tel: 0800 1111

Samaritans: Tel: 01983 617617

Mental Health

Community Safe Haven: 01983 520168

Mental Health Crisis Advise

Tel: 01983 522214 available 24/7

NHS 111 Advice and Guidance Tel: 111

Community Mental Health Team

Inclusion

IOW Drug and Alcohol Service
102 Carisbrooke Road, Newport, PO301DB
Tel: 01983 526654

Community CAHMS

7 Pyle Street, Newport, PO30 1JW
Tel: 01983 523602

Housing and Family Support

County Hall, High Street
Newport, Isle of Wight PO301UD Tel: 01983 823040

Opening Times:

Monday - Thursday 8.30-5.00pm

Friday 8.30 - 4.30pm

Emergency Contact number (Out of hours only)

Tel: 01983 821105

Foodbank

Church on the Roundabout

Coppins Bridge, Newport PO30 2BX Tel: 01983

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Safeguarding Public Line

0300 3000 117



ParentPay is our only method of making payments.

We no longer accept cash at the office. All items that require payment will be available on ParentPay:

- **School Dinners**
- **Enrichment Clubs**
- **School Trips**

Please ensure your account is activated as soon as possible.

Development Days so far.....

Monday 2nd September 2020

Monday 2nd November 2020

Monday 1st March 2021

Monday 21st June 2021

Friday 23rd July 2021



Reading at Home

It is an expectation that all children in Years EYFS – Year 6 should be reading at home at least 3 times a week. Their reading record should be signed by a parent/carer each week and these are checked in the classroom on a Thursday.



Breakfast for Children

Our school has signed up to receive free, healthy breakfast food as part of the Covid response offer, under the National School Breakfast Programme (NSBP).

As part of this government-funded programme, we are able to send home packs of bagels, cereal or porridge to families who may need some support at the moment. If you would like to know more or ask for a pack, please contact the office and ask for Mrs Hussey.

We are here to help all of our families, especially in these challenging times!

The benefits of a healthy breakfast include children being settled and ready to learn at the start of the day.

#fuelforlearning

#schoolbreakfast

#healthybreakfast



Isle of Wight School Terms And Holidays
2020 – 2021

Determined programme of school term and holiday dates for county and controlled schools for the academic year 2020/21

SEPTEMBER 2020	OCTOBER 2020	NOVEMBER 2020
M 31 7 14 21 28	M 5 12 19 26	M 2 ⁿ 9 16 23 30
T 1 ⁿ 8 15 22 29	T 6 13 20 27	T 3 10 17 24
W 2 9 16 23 30	W 7 14 21 28	W 4 11 18 25
T 3 10 17 24	T 1 8 15 22 29	T 5 12 19 26
F 4 11 18 25	F 2 9 16 23 30	F 6 13 20 27
S 5 12 19 26	S 3 10 17 24 31	S 7 14 21 28
S 6 13 20 27	S 4 11 18 25	S 1 8 15 22 29
DECEMBER 2020	JANUARY 2021	FEBRUARY 2021
M 7 14 21 28	M 4 ⁿ 11 18 25	M 1 8 15 22 ⁿ
T 1 8 15 22 29	T 5 12 19 26	T 2 9 16 23
W 2 9 16 23 30	W 6 13 20 27	W 3 10 17 24
T 3 10 17 24 31	T 7 14 21 28	T 4 11 18 25
F 4 11 18 25	F 1 8 15 22 29	F 5 12 19 26
S 5 12 19 26	S 2 9 16 23 30	S 6 13 20 27
S 6 13 20 27	S 3 10 17 24 31	S 7 14 21 28
MARCH 2021	APRIL 2021	MAY 2021
M 1 8 15 22 29	M 5 12 ⁿ 19 26	M 3 10 17 24 31
T 2 9 16 23 30	T 6 13 20 27	T 4 11 18 25
W 3 10 17 24 31	W 7 14 21 28	W 5 12 19 26
T 4 11 18 25	T 1 8 15 22 29	T 6 13 20 27
F 5 12 19 26	F 2 9 16 23 30	F 7 14 21 28
S 6 13 20 27	S 3 10 17 24 31	S 1 8 15 22 29
S 7 14 21 28	S 4 11 18 25	S 2 9 16 23 30
JUNE 2021	JULY 2021	AUGUST 2021
M 7 ⁿ 14 21 28	M 5 12 19 26	M 2 9 16 23 30
T 1 8 15 22 29	T 6 13 20 27	T 3 10 17 24 31
W 2 9 16 23 30	W 7 14 21 28	W 4 11 18 25
T 3 10 17 24	T 1 8 15 22 29	T 5 12 19 26
F 4 11 18 25	F 2 9 16 23 30	F 6 13 20 27
S 5 12 19 26	S 3 10 17 24 31	S 7 14 21 28
S 6 13 20 27	S 4 11 18 25	S 1 8 15 22 29

REMINDER - FACE COVERINGS

Following updated Government guidance, a face covering is now required when entering our school building. Please ensure you adhere to this requirement & use a face covering when dropping anything to the office.

