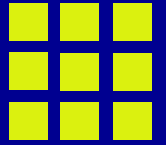


NINE ACRES NEWS

'Striving for Excellence'

Friday 17th May 2024



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Walk the Wight 2024!!



A huge well done to everyone who took part in Walk the Wight 2024!!



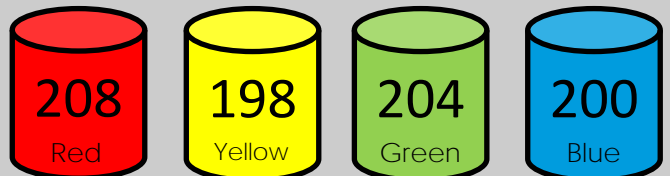
Development Days

- Friday 1st September 2023—DEVELOPMENT DAY—
- Tuesday 2nd Jan 2024—DEVELOPMENT DAY—
- Friday 14th June 2024 - DEVELOPMENT DAY
- Friday 21st June 2024 - DEVELOPMENT DAY
- Friday 26th July 2024 - DEVELOPMENT DAY



House Points Totals

Well done to **RED** house who received the most House Points for this week!



Diary Dates 2023/2024



MAY 2024

Week commencing 20th May 2024 - KS1 SATS.

Mon 27th May 2024 - Bank Holiday - School closed.

Mon 27th May - Fri 31st May 2024 - May Half Term.

JUNE 2024

Wed 5th June 2024 - Year 2 Roald Dahl Trip.

Tues 11th June 2024 - Swimming for Bamburgh class begins.

Thurs 13th June-14th June 2024 - Year 3 Novium Trip for Arundel class.

Fri 14th June 2024 - DEVELOPMENT DAY

Thurs 20th June 2024 - Summer Fayre.

Fri 21st June 2024 - DEVELOPMENT DAY

Mon 24th June & Tues 25th June 2024 - Year 6 Leavers Trip.

NEW Wed 26th June 2024 - EYFS RNLI Lifeboat and Beach Trip.

Thurs 27th-Fri 28th June 2024 - Year 3 Novium Trip for Bamburgh Class.

JULY 2024

Thurs 4th July 2024 - EYFS & KS1 Sports Day.

Fri 5th July 2024 - KS2 Sports Day.

NEW Mon 8th July 2024 - New Classes Transition begins.

Fri 26th July 2024 - DEVELOPMENT DAY

Mon 29th July 2024 - Fri 31st Aug 2024 - Summer Holidays.

Congratulations!!

Congratulations to Mrs Gosset and her husband on the safe arrival of baby Frankie who was born on Monday. A little brother to his two big sisters! We can't wait to meet him!



Mr Toulson's Sports Bags

Each week, a child from every class is selected by Mr Toulson to take home a sports bag to use over the weekend. They can play with the equipment and design their own games making notes in the book. All bags are to be returned by the following Tuesday in readiness for the next child.

We love to see how your child uses the sports equipment so please email office@nineacrespri.co.uk with any photos you may have taken.

Social Media

Do you follow us on Facebook? Scan the QR code to see our page!!



SCAN ME

NINE ACRES PRIMARY SCHOOL UNIFORM

Our Nine Acres Uniform is available from Kids and Co in Ryde. Please ensure your child has the correct uniform and PE kit and sensible black school shoes.

EYFS - Year 4

Autumn/Spring/Summer 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/Summer 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



Medical Appointments & Leave of Absence Requests

If your child has a hospital/dental appointment, please ensure you have notified the school office of the time and date and handed in a copy of the medical letter or appointment card.



Leave of absence request forms for are available upon request at the school office. These will only be authorised in exceptional circumstances.

SCHOOL DETAILS

School Telephone Number

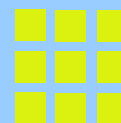
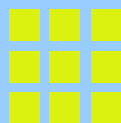
01983 522984

School Office Email

office@nineacrespri.co.uk

School Website

www.nineacrespri.iow.sch.uk



DT Food Donations required for Week Commencing 20th May
Any donations of the below will be greatly received. Please bring **donations to your child's classroom.**

Year Group	Non-perishable Food Donations Required
EYFS	
Year 1	Olive Oil Garlic Bulbs Herbs Garlic Granules
Year 2	Garlic Bulbs Olive Oil Salad Vinegars (red, white, cider) Mustard Honey
Year 3	Chutneys Pickles Garlic Granules Garlic Bulbs Butter/Spread
Year 4	Pesto Bread Flour Dried Yeast
Year 5	Long life fruit juices
Year 6	Butter/Margarine Flour Garlic Granules

Sports Day Dates

Thursday 4th July 2024

EYFS and KS1 Sports Day

Friday 5th July 2024

KS2 Sports Day

Families are welcome to join us in the afternoon on the school field.

Times to be confirmed

Water Bottles, Suncream & Sun Hats!!

Fingers crossed that summer is on its way soon!! We ask that only water is supplied on a day to day basis in your child's water bottle. This is the healthiest option.

However, we also know that children need to stay hydrated to learn! If your child refuses water, in agreement with your child's class teacher only, they may have very, very diluted squash or flavoured water to avoid any medical concerns however we ask that Parents/Carers take responsibility in ensuring good dental hygiene is in place for their child along with a continued approach to encourage drinking water.

As the warmer weather continues, please ensure your child arrives to school with sun cream already applied and brings a sun hat.



PE DAYS



Summer Term 1 2024

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

PE Days for each Year Group

- EYFS - Monday
- Year 1 - Monday
- Year 2 - Wednesday
- Year 3 - Tuesday
- Year 4 - Thursday
- Year 5 - Friday
- Year 6 - Tuesday

Please ensure your child has a Nine Acres PE kit and sensible 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 up.

Enrichment Clubs

Summer Term 1 Enrichment Clubs are in full swing. The new booking form for Summer Term 2 2024 was sent by email this week

To book spaces, please email enrichmentclubs@nineacrespri.co.uk



End of Day Procedures



If you have a message regarding your child or someone different to usual will be collecting your child at the end of the school day, please notify the school office by 2.30pm. You can notify the office by popping in and speaking to a member of the office team, calling 522984 or by emailing office@nineacrespri.co.uk



Spring / Summer School Dinner Menu

Chartwells		WEEK 3				
		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
SPRING/SUMMER 2024	HOT SPECIALS	Cheese and Tomato Pizza Served with Potato Wedges	Pork Sausages Served with Mashed Potatoes and Beans	Roast Chicken Served with Roast Potatoes and Gassy	Chicken and Broccoli Pasta Bake	Fish Fingers Served with Chips
	JACKET POTATOES	Tortato and Herb Lentil Pasta	Vegetarian Sausages Served with Mashed Potatoes and Beans	Cheese and Onion Pasta Served with Roast Potatoes and Gassy	Meatless Balls in Tomato Sauce Served with Wholemeal Pasta	Quorn Dippers Served with Chips
	DESSERT	Jacket Potatoes with a choice of hot and cold fillings	Jacket Potatoes with a choice of hot and cold fillings, including Salmon Mayonnaise	Jacket Potatoes with a choice of hot and cold fillings	Jacket Potatoes with a choice of hot and cold fillings	Jacket Potatoes with a choice of hot and cold fillings
<p>Jacket Potatoes are for Year 3 and above</p> <p>All main meals are served with two vegetables</p>						
		Chocolate Brownie with Fruit	Strawberry Jolly	Banana Cakes	Lemon Sicilian Cookies	Chocolate Ice Cream
		AVAILABLE EVERY DAY		Vegetarian Oily Fish Wholegrain Fruit & Nutritional Choice		

Week Commencing
Monday 20th
May 2024
Week 3

For children in Year 3 and above the school dinner price is £2.60 per meal.

The cost for a weeks dinners is £13.00.



Nine Acres Community Primary School



Biggleswade
Harry - Science

Corfe
Lani-Star - History



Balmoral
I sabella - History

Windsor
Charlee - RE

Arundel
Stephen - Science

Bamburgh
Ohmkara - RE



Explorer Awards



Well done everyone!!

Kendal

Scarlett - History

Warwick

Charlie - History

Edinburgh

Chloe - Arts

Stirling

Durham

York



HELPING HANDS PTA

Festival Fayre - Thursday 20th June

The collection of teddies for the tombola at the Festival Fayre is already starting to look quite impressive – but with a teddy tombola more is definitely more!! If you have any soft toys that would be suitable for re-homing, please bring any donations to the office. Many, many, many thanks to everyone who has already very kindly donated.

Breaking News..... Drum Roll Please ... This year's Summer Festival Fayre will see the first visit of the 16ft by 10ft Twin lane Inflatable Axe Throwing!

Thank you again for all your continued support. Our next meeting will be on Friday 3rd May, 8.45am, meeting in the foyer. If you would like to know more, please contact us via email on helpinghands@nineacrespri.co.uk or leave a message at the school office.

Helping Hands



We are a nut free school!

Please may we remind you that Nine Acres is a nut free school. Nuts and nut products should not be brought into school.



ARE YOU ENTITLED TO FREE SCHOOL MEALS?

Have your circumstances changed? Could you now be entitled to Free School Meals? Families of children in Year 3 and up are required to pay for School Dinners unless you are entitled to benefit related Free School Meals.

To apply online please go to:
www.iow.gov.uk/council/OtherServices/Free-School-Meals/Key-Stage-1-and-2

Educational Visits

Wednesday 5th June 2024

Year 2 Roald Dahl Trip.

Deposit Payment was due - Friday 1st March 2024

Full payment is due by Friday 17th May 2024



Wednesday 26th June 2024

EYFS RNLB Lifeboat Station & Beach Trip.

Full payment is due by Friday 7th June 2024

Thurs 13th/Fri 14th & Thurs 27th/Fri 28th June 2024

Year 3 Novium Museum Trip.

Arundel - 13th/14th June 2024

Bamburgh - 27th/28th June 2024

Deposit Payment was due - Friday 1st March 2024

Full payment due by Friday 17th May 2024



Monday 24th & Tuesday 25th June 2024

Year 6 Chessington Leavers Trip.

Deposit Payment was due - Monday 6th November 2023

Full payment due by Monday 3rd June 2024

Please ensure deposits and full payments are made on time using ParentPay. Barcodes letters to pay via Paypoint in a local shop are available on request at the office.

School Attendance

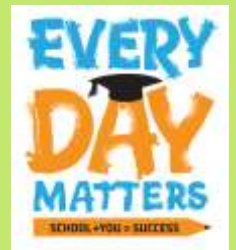
Whole school attendance target 97%.

Dates: 10/05/2024 - 16/05/2024

	Attendance	Lates
Carisbrooke:	96.67%	0
Yarmouth:	93.33%	1
Biggleswade	89.66%	4
Corfe	99.31%	0
Balmoral:	97.67%	3
Windsor:	97.60%	3
Arundel:	96.21%	0
Bamburgh:	95.33%	5
Kendal:	88.33%	1
Warwick:	98.33%	0
Edinburgh:	93.00%	1
Stirling:	94.00%	0
Durham:	89.63%	0
York:	95.52%	1

Well done CORFE CLASS!
Whole school attendance this week is: 94.64%

Good attendance ensures that children can develop at the right pace, gain confidence as they make progress, and ultimately enjoy school as they see themselves succeed.



Boom Reader (Go Read)

Please continue to log your child's reading on the Boom Reader (Go Read) app. It is an expectation that all children in EYFS to Year 6 should be reading at home at least 3 times a week.



FOODBANK VOUCHERS



Many families are struggling more than ever with rising household costs and we want to be able to support you however we can. We continue to provide our families with vouchers to the Island's Food Banks. If you would like some more information or are in need of a voucher, please speak to Mrs Hussey. Referrals can be made to any of the Island's Food Banks for your convenience or confidentiality. There are currently Food Banks in Newport, Freshwater, Cowes, Ryde and Shanklin.

Nine Acres School Car Park

Please do not use the school car park unless you have a school permit. We will continue to share the license plates in our newsletters and ask our community to also let us know if they see families using the car park without a school permit.

This is to support us in helping all our dedicated staff get to school on time to teach your children!



Asthma Care Plans

If your child has Asthma or is currently being investigated for Asthma you must complete an Asthma Care Plan from the school office. It is essential that we have the correct information to help keep the children safe.

If your child no longer has Asthma, please can you notify us by emailing office@nineacrespri.co.uk so we can update your child's medical record.

It is Parents' responsibility to ensure they update the school of any current medical conditions.

Kingswood Isle of Wight Open Day

Wednesday May 29th

Old School Buildings,
Hillway Road,
Bembridge,
PO35 5PH



A fun family day out raising money for



£7 ENTRY/
FREE
under 5's



BOOK NOW!



High Ropes
Adventure Activities
Field Games
& MORE!

Contact:

yazmin.wright@inspiring-learning.com | 01983875353

KS1 SATS - Week

Commencing 20th May 2024

Monday 20th May 2024 - Reading Paper 1 & Arithmetic Paper

Tuesday 21st May 2024 - Mathematics Reasoning Paper

Wednesday 22nd May 2024 - Reading Paper 2

Thursday 23rd May 2024 - SPaG Paper & Spelling Paper

Please ensure your child has had a good nights sleep, a good breakfast everyday and is on time for school.



Good Luck to our Year 2 children for next week!!!

Our Mental Health Mission Statement

We believe having a mentally healthy community is not about being happy all the time, but about working together through the challenges and sharing the celebrations; feeling supported, heard, accepted, valued and empowered.

This week we want to focus on 'the importance of healthy sleep'.

<https://thesleepcharity.org.uk/information-support/children/relaxation-tips/>



Year 3 - Arundel

Swimming Lessons

Arundel Swimming lessons began on Tuesday 16th April 2024.

On Tuesday's, Arundel Class must come to school in their PE kits with their swimming costume or swim shorts underneath as this will make changing easier at the swimming pool.

Please bring a pair of goggles, a named towel and a plastic bag for wet items. Children with verruca's will need to wear a verruca sock and children with long hair should have it tied up or wear a swim cap.

All children need a packed lunch and a healthy snack on swimming days and a filled water bottle is also required.



Tuesday 21st May 2024

1.00-2.00pm

Tuesday 4th June 2024

1.00-2.00pm

PE UNIFORM REMINDER

When you chose Nine Acres Primary for your child you also chose to adhere to the Nine Acres Uniform Policy including PE.



Therefore, a reminder:

- All children must wear the Nine Acres PE top.
- All children must have suitable trainers.
- PE Hoodies are for PE only.
- Children must have a Nine Acres jumper for other days.
- Children must have blue or Black jogging bottoms.

If you need any support in ensuring your child has the right uniform, we are here to help.

ParentPay is our only method of making payments.



Are you signed up to ParentPay? 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.