



NINE ACRES NEWS

'Striving for Excellence'

Friday 25th September 2020



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#EXCELLENCE2020

Dear Families,

The children at Nine Acres continue to rise to the challenge in their learning. What an amazing community we have!



I know that there has been much in the press and from the Government about the rise in Coronavirus cases both Nationally and Locally. I really do understand this is an anxious time for families. If you do have any concerns please just give us a call or email us - we are here to help. Thank you for completing the survey regarding 'Technology at home'. I will share the results with you shortly but currently it is very mixed. It is important we take all this into consideration when considering any home learning options when or if we should need them in the future.

It has been wonderful to show so many families around our unique school for EYFS 2021 under our risk assessment. Thank you to those parents who have recommended us to their friends. This really does make us feel very special.

This week we have introduced our new '**Explorers Certificate**'. This is awarded to children who have shown a significant achievement in a specific subject area such as: Geography, History, Science, Art, Religious Education and Languages. We are trying to help our children recognise when they are learning these subjects by making explicit links for them. Please talk to your children about what they are learning in Science as an example. We have even had some wonderful examples of children extending their learning by doing extra research at home!

Have a lovely weekend and stay safe!!
Mrs Dyer

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.

Spelling Champions

Corfe:	Sariyah
Biggleswade:	Ella B
Balmoral:	Ethan
Windsor:	Oliver
Arundel:	Archie
Bamburgh:	Ruby
Kendal:	Logan
Warwick:	Kyla
Edinburgh:	Sophie
Stirling:	Akela
Year 6:	Harry
	Melody



NINE ACRES COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

We are a **GOOD** school with an
OUTSTANDING Early Years Provision



***Come and see how learning extends beyond
our school, where each child holds a real belief
that they can achieve !***

OPEN DAY , ANY DAY !

**We are already taking bookings for individual tours
of our unique school.**

Call now to book your exclusive tour !

01983 522984

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Attendance

Whole school attendance target **96.0%**.

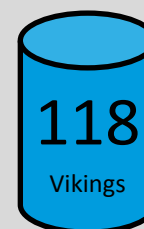
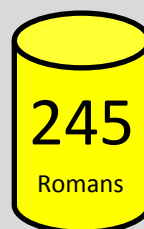
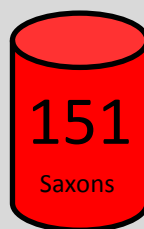
Dates: **18/09/2020 - 24/09/2020**

	Attendance	Lates
Carisbrooke:	100%	1
Yarmouth:	99.13%	2
Biggleswade	99.66%	3
Corfe:	94.52%	1
Balmoral:	98.17%	0
Windsor:	95.61%	0
Arundel:	94.95%	2
Bamburgh:	96.46%	1
Kendal:	96.00%	0
Warwick	97.50%	0
Edinburgh	95.97%	0
Stirling:	94.40%	0
Durham:	100%	0
York:	97.14%	0

Whole school attendance this week is: **96.99%**
Well done Durham!!

House Points

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



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 21st June 2021

Friday 23rd July 2021



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
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Are you entitled to Free School Meals?

Are you in receipt of any of the following benefits?

- Income Support (IS)
- Income based Jobseeker's Allowance (IBJSA)
- Income-Related Employment and Support Allowance (IRESA)
- Guaranteed Pension Credit
- Support under part VI of the Immigration & Asylum Act 1999
- Universal Credit
- Child Tax Credit, provided the parent is **not** entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual income, as assessed by HMRC, which does not exceed £16,190
- Where a parent is entitled to Working Tax Credit **run-on** (the payment someone receives for a further four weeks after they stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)

Please complete a Free School Meal form, these are located in the foyer by the school office.

ENRICHMENT CLUBS

The new Enrichment Club form for Autumn 2 was sent home this week with a variety of clubs on offer. If you haven't already, please return your child's club form with their choices by Monday 28th September 2020.

FAILURE DOESN'T MEAN THE
GAME IS OVER,
IT MEANS TRY AGAIN WITH
EXPERIENCE

Diary Dates 2020/2021



Tues 1st Oct 2020 - National Poetry Day.
Thurs 15th Oct 2020 - World Values Day.
Mon 19th Oct - Fri 30th Oct 2020 - **HALF TERM.**
Mon 2nd Nov 2020 - **DEVELOPMENT DAY.**
Mon 16th Nov 2020 - Anti-bullying Week
Mon 16th Nov 2020 - Road Safety Week.
Mon 30th Nov 2020 - Parents' Evening.
Wed 2nd Dec 2020 - Parents' Evening.
Fri 11th Dec 2020 - Christmas Jumper Day.
Tues 15th Dec 2020 - EYFS Performance 1.45pm.
Wed 16th Dec 2020 - EYFS Performance 9.30am.
Thurs 21st Dec 2020 - Christmas Dinner Day.
Tues 22nd Dec - Fri 1st Jan 2021 - **END OF TERM.**
Mon 4th Jan 2021 - First day of Spring Term.
Tues 9th Feb 2021 - Safer Internet Day.
Mon 15th Feb - Fri 19th Feb 2021 - **HALF TERM.**
Mon 1st Mar 2021 - Parents' Evening.
Wed 3rd Mar 2021 - Parents' Evening.
Thurs 4th Mar 2021 - World Book Day.
Fri 5th Mar - Sun 14th Mar 2021 - British Science Week.
Fri 12th Mar 2021 - World Maths Day.
Fri 27th 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.

EYFS 2021

To book a tour of the school for the new EYFS Intake – September 2021 please call 522984 or email office@nineacrespri.iow.sch.uk

Tours are available **Any Day, Any Time**

UNIFORM FOR SEPTEMBER 2020

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)

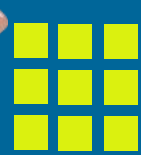
Lime Green Logo Polo Shirt
 Navy/Black Shorts
 Trainers



White Plain Short Ankle Socks
 Navy Blue or Black Tracksuit Bottoms & a Navy hooded top
 for Sports activities
 Drawstring PE Bag

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

PE DAYS



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

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.

Christ the King College

Year 6 Virtual Open Evening

Wednesday 30th September, 6pm



Join us on our website from 6pm:

christthekingcollege.co.uk

The evening will involve: a virtual tour, a welcome from our Executive Principal and Head of Year 7 and a general introduction to our school community

If you are unable to attend, you will be able to access all information including the virtual tour and presentations via the Year 6 transition page of our website. If you would like any further information regarding the admissions process, please contact our Admissions Officer at: amanda.holloway@christthekingcollege.co.uk, 01983 537070

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ADULT COMMUNITY LEARNING PROGRAMME

AUTUMN 2020

ALL COURSES ARE FOR ADULTS 19+

City of Wight

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HR

Education & Skills Funding Agency

All workshops and courses take place at the Community Learning Centre, Westridge, Ryde, PO33 1GS unless otherwise stated. To book a place on any of our courses, please contact the Isle of Wight Council's Adult Community Learning team on 01983 817280, ack@iow.gov.uk or visit www.islecommunitylearning.ac.uk

FUNCTIONAL SKILLS MATHS & ENGLISH All courses are fully funded and offered at no cost. Maths course Tuesday 8 September, 10.45am - 11.45am or 1.45pm - 2.45pm, Community Learning Centre, Westridge, Ryde Tuesday 8 September, 10.45am - 11.45am or 1.45pm - 2.45pm, Downside Community Centre, Furrilong, Newport Wednesday 9 September, 10.45am - 11.45am or 1.45pm - 2.45pm, Community Learning Centre, Westridge, Ryde Thursday 10 September, 10.45am - 11.45am or 1.45pm - 2.45pm, West Wight Sports Centre, Freshwater Thursday 10 September, 10.45am - 11.45am or 1.45pm - 2.45pm, Community Learning Centre, Westridge, Ryde Friday 11 September, 12.30pm - 2.30pm, Distance/Online Learning English course Tuesday 8 September, 10.45am - 11.45am or 1.45pm - 2.45pm, Community Learning Centre, Westridge, Ryde Tuesday 8 September, 10.45am - 11.45am or 1.45pm - 2.45pm, Downside Community Centre, Furrilong, Newport Wednesday 9 September, 10.45am - 11.45am or 1.45pm - 2.45pm, Community Learning Centre, Westridge, Ryde Thursday 10 September, 10.45am - 11.45am or 1.45pm - 2.45pm, West Wight Sports Centre, Freshwater Thursday 10 September, 10.45am - 11.45am or 1.45pm - 2.45pm, Community Learning Centre, Westridge, Ryde Friday 11 September, 12.30pm - 2.30pm, Distance/Online Learning	ICT Computer for beginners - fully funded (6 weeks) Tuesday 8 September to 8 December, 9.30am - 11.30pm ESOL Spreadsheet, Level 1/2 - fully funded (6 weeks) Tuesday 8 September to 13 October, 10pm - 4pm ESOL Word Processing, Level 1/2 - fully funded (6 weeks) Thursday 9 November - 10 December, 9.30am - 11.30pm Essential Digital Skills For Life, Level E3/1 - fully funded (10 weeks) Monday 21 September to 7 December, 10pm - 4pm Essential Digital Skills For Work, Level E3/1 - fully funded (10 weeks) Monday 21 September to 7 December, 1.30pm - 8.30pm Absolute Beginners Computers (workshop) Thursday 10 September, 9.30am - 12.30pm, £6 Introduction to Word Processing (workshop) Monday 14 September, 9.30am - 12.30pm, £6 Introduction to the Internet Part 1 (workshop) Thursday 10 September, 1.30pm - 3.30pm, £6 Introduction to the Internet Part 2 (workshop) Monday 14 September, 9.30am - 11.30pm, £6 Introduction to Emails (workshop) Thursday 10 September, 9.30am - 11.30pm, £6	EMPLOYABILITY WORKSHOPS All courses are fully funded and offered at no cost. Writing a Skills Based CV Thursday 1 October, 10am - 1pm Remote Working, Balancing your Work and Home Life Friday 10 October, 10am - 1pm Changing Jobs in our Changing World Thursday 1 November, 10am - 1pm Managing your Health and Work Productivity Friday 27 November, 10am - 1pm AKT Relax, Enjoy and Explore through an Art Journal 10 weeks Monday 2 November to 7 December, 10pm - 4pm, £20/25 concessions Understanding Colour, Tone and Texture Monday 2 November, 10am - 1pm, £30/30 concessions Draw Figures from Photographs (workshop) Sunday 1 November, 10am - 1pm, £30/30 concessions	DRAFT Make a Monet Mosaic (5 weeks) Thursday 9 November to 3 December, 1.30pm - 4pm, £20/25 concessions Learn to Patchwork (workshop) Friday 9 November, 10am - 1pm, £30/30 concessions Fabulous Felted Jewellery Creations (4 weeks) Saturday 7 to 20 November, 10am - 1pm, £20/25 concessions Beautiful and Unique Rag Rug (workshop) Wednesday 11 November, 10am - 1pm, £30/30 concessions Techniques to Upcycle Old Furniture (3 weeks) Friday 13 to 27 November, 10am - 1pm, £20/25 concessions Sewing Skills - Alterations and Repairs (2 weeks) Sunday 15 to 16 November, 10am - 1pm, £30/30 concessions Japanese/Artisan Style Apron (workshop) Monday 2 November, 10am - 1pm, £30/30 concessions Introduction to Hand Stamped Jewellery (workshop) Sunday 22 November, 10am - 4pm, £45/20 concessions	CHRISTMAS WORKSHOP DAY £6 each session or two for £10 (morning and afternoon session for same person) Sunday 6 December, 10am - 12pm Silk Painted Cards Needle Felted Christmas Tree Brooch/Decoration Lino Printed Gift Tags Auto Fillgown Decorations 1pm - 3pm Robin Name Place Settings Indoor Paper Wreath Door/Window Decoration Needle Felted Fairy Woven Christmas Star Following Covid-19 procedures are displayed at each venue. These have been put in place to minimise the risk of spreading the virus.
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COATS AND BELONGINGS

As the weather is changing, please ensure your child has the appropriate clothing and coats if necessary.

A polite reminder that all your child's belongings should be brought into school with them in the morning to minimise unnecessary contact with the class bubbles.

WATER BOTTLES

A polite reminder that all children should be bringing a water bottle to school every day.

Thank you.



Useful Contacts

West Newport's Children Centre Tel: [01983 537390](tel:01983537390)

ChildLine - Tel: [0800 1111](tel:08001111)

Samaritans - Tel: [01983 617617](tel:01983617617)

Mental Health - Community Safe Haven: [01983 520168](tel:01983520168)

Mental Health Crisis Advise - Tel: [01983 522214](tel:01983522214) available 24/7

NHS 111 Advice and Guidance Tel: [111](tel:111)

Community CAHMS - Tel: [01983 523602](tel:01983523602)

Housing and Family Support - Tel: [01983 823040](tel:01983823040)

- **Opening Times::** Monday - Thursday 8.30-5.00pm Friday 8.30 - 4.30pm
- Emergency Contact number (Out of Hours only) Tel: [01983 821105](tel:01983821105)

Foodbank - Church on the Roundabout, Coppin's Bridge, Newport PO30 2BX
 Tel: [01983 292040](tel:01983292040) <https://isleofwight.foodbank.org.uk/get-help/foodbank-vouchers/>

Safeguarding Public Line Tel: [0300 3000 117](tel:03003000117)

School Dinner Menu for Autumn 2020

The price from September 2020 is £2.15 per day



● Nine Acres - Autumn Menu ●

		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week One	Option 1	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with wedges	Beef Burger in a Bun With Chips	Sausage Rolls with Wedges	Bacon Baguette	Fish Finger Baguette
	Option 2	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with wedges	Quorn Burger in a Bun with Chips	Vegan Sausage Rolls	Quorn and Stuffing Baguette	Fish Finger Baguette
	Crudities	Carrot Sticks Cucumber Sticks Pepper Sticks	Carrot Sticks Cucumber Sticks Pepper Sticks	Carrot Sticks Cucumber Sticks Pepper Sticks	Carrot Sticks Cucumber Sticks Pepper Sticks	Carrot Sticks Cucumber Sticks Pepper Sticks
	Dessert	Chocolate and Beetroot Brownie Fruit	Oatie Cookie Fruit	Chocolate Marble Cake Fruit	Iced Orange Sponge Fruit	Spanish Cookie Fruit

Packed Lunches

Only disposable bags for packed lunch please - No lunchboxes in school – this is part of our COVID 19 Risk Assessment requirement.

PLAYGROUND TIMINGS

End of Day Playground Timings

Classes	Parents can <u>enter</u> the playground at:
EYFS Carisbrooke/Yarmouth Mrs Shaw/Miss Perumall	2:55pm
Year 1 Biggleswade /Mrs White	3:05pm
Year 1 Corfe/Miss Hollands	3:05pm
Year Balmoral/Miss Hayward	2:55pm
Year 2 Windsor/Miss Fry	2:55pm
Year 3 Arundel/Miss Hancox	3:05pm
Year 3 Bamburgh/Miss Boxell	3:05pm
Year 4 Kendal/Mrs Barbour/Mrs Mayes	2:55pm
Year 4 Warwick/Miss Bekesi	2:55pm
Year 5 Edinburgh/Miss McDonald	3:05pm
Year 5 Stirling/Mrs Scott	3:05pm
Year 6 York/Mrs Tingle	3:05pm
Year 6 Durham/ Miss Shobbrook	3:05pm

Morning Playground Timings

<u>Classes</u>	<u>Parents can enter the playground at:</u>
EYFS Carisbrooke/Yarmouth Mrs Shaw/Miss Perumall	8:55am
Year 1 Biggleswade/ Mrs White	8:35am
Year 1 Corfe/Miss Hollands	8:40am
Year 2 Balmoral/Miss Hayward	8:40am
Year 2 Windsor/Miss Fry	8:40am
Year 3 Arundel/Miss Hancox	8:35am
Year 3 Bamburgh/Miss Boxell	8:35am
Year 4,5 and 6	Parents should not enter the site - children walk independently to their classroom for 8:30am start.

School Car Park

Our school car park is for staff and visitors to the school only.

It has been noted that there have been children who are unsupervised and therefore a potential safety risk, we would kindly request that parents/carers do not use this car park at any time.

Parking permits for the Chapel Street car park are available from the school office.