

QE NEWS



Cold January...

It seems to have been quite a quiet week with the children all being very busy in their classes. I have enjoyed popping into some classes, observing interesting activities and I have been very impressed with the lovely working atmosphere throughout the school. Once again, many children have been sent to me to share their achievements in and outside of school and I love to hear and see the wonderful things they have been doing.

Attendance...

We know that this is a difficult term with the weather being so changeable and children becoming unwell due to this, but we would like to remind you of the importance of your child/ren attending school as regularly as possible. If your child is absent from school due to illness, please contact the office at your earliest convenience.

The school gates open in the morning at 8.30am and are closed at 8.50am. Any children arriving after this time need to come into school via the main reception to ensure that they have been registered.

Cold weather...

Looking at the weather forecast for the next couple of weeks it appears that it is going to turn a lot colder. We are already concerned that some of our children arrive at school without a coat or warm jacket and would like to remind you that all children will be going out to play during the cold spell and we would appreciate it if you could ensure that they are suitably dressed.

Courtyard games...

We have recently purchased some large outdoor games for the courtyard. The courtyard is a quiet area where the children can choose to play any day to avoid the hustle and bustle of the playground and field. These games will be available for the children to use next week and we hope that they will enjoy them and look after them.

Young Playground Leaders...

Some children in Year 6 have become Playground Leaders. This initiative will improve play opportunities for all children and give the Year 6s an introduction into leadership and knowledge of how to organise and lead small games and activities. It will also improve their communication skills and support children who find lunchtimes challenging.

GLive Choir...

Miss White and Miss Sinclair still have some places available for the GLive Choir on the evening of **Wednesday 27th March 2019**. If any of your children would like to join please encourage them to let either of these teachers know on Monday. It is a wonderful opportunity for the children to perform at GLive with children from other local Junior and Primary schools.

We hope you have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Davies and the QE Staff

<u>House Point Totals</u>	
Abbot:	652
Carroll:	837
Castle:	778
Wey:	654

Weekly Prayer
New Year Prayer...
Dear God,

As we look forward to the year to come,
we ask that you will give us strength to face with
courage the things we cannot change,
and determination to change those things we can
change.

CLUBS - SPRING 2018

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Magic (lunchtime)	Running Y3&4 (am)	Judo (am)	Basketball (am)	Running Y5&6 (am)
Chess	Yoga (am)	Art	Drama	Sewing
Drama	Football Y3&4	Dance	Multi-sports	Volleyball
Football Y5&6	Dodgeball Y5&6	Maths	Sewing	Tennis
Netball Y5	Gymnastics	Netball Y4	Netball Y6	
Homework	Cookery		Pottery	

QE Diary Dates

2019 Term Dates and INSET Days

Spring Term

Break up for Half Term - Thursday 14th February—
3:15pm

INSET DAY - Friday 15th February

Back to School - Monday 25th February

INSET DAY - Monday 25th March

End of Term - Friday 5th April—1:15pm

Summer Term

Back to School - Tuesday 23rd April

Bank Holiday - Monday 6th May

Break up for Half Term - Friday 24th May—3:15pm

Back to School - Monday 3rd June

INSET DAY - Thursday 27th June

INSET DAY - Thursday 28th June

Break up for Summer - Tuesday 23rd July - 1:15pm

SPRING TERM DINNER MONEY

£2.30 per day

£11.50 per week

Whole Term	No of Days	Cost £
Years 3	54*	124.20*
Years 3	58	133.40
Years 4	54*	124.20*
Years 4	58	133.40
Years 5	57*	131.10*
Years 5	58	133.40
Years 6	58	133.40
First Half Term	No of Days	Cost £
Years 3	28*	64.40*
Years 3	29	66.70
Years 4	29	66.70
Years 5	29	66.70
Years 6	29	66.70
Second Half Term	No of Days	Cost £
Years 3	26*	59.80*
Years 3	29	66.70
Years 4	25*	57.50*
Years 4	29	66.70
Years 5	28*	64.40*
Years 5	29	66.70
Years 6	29	66.70

*applicable to children going on day trip/residentials

Playtime Rota - Changes

Please check the rota below for which area your child will be playing in each week.

Date w/b	Playground	Playground	Field	Field
21.1.19	Year 6	Year 5	Year 4	Year 3
28.1.19	Year 4	Year 3	Year 5	Year 6
4.2.19	Year 5	Year 4	Year 3	Year 6
11.2.19	Year 6	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
25.2.19	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
4.3.19	Year 4	Year 6	Year 3	Year 5
11.3.19	Year 6	Year 5	Year 4	Year 3
18.3.19	Year 5	Year 3	Year 4	Year 6
25.3.19	Year 5	Year 4	Year 3	Year 6
1.4.19	Year 6	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5

TRIP PAYMENTS DUE

- Hooke Court - next instalment of £40 due overdue
- Ironbridge - next instalment of £40 overdue
- Barton Hall - most recent instalment due £77 overdue

NOAH'S ARK MESSY CHURCH



WHEN: 20th JANUARY 2019 at 4pm till 5:30 pm

WHERE: ALL SAINTS' CHURCH HALL, VICARAGE GATE,
GU2 7QJ

WHO: EVERYONE WELCOME, YOUNG, OLD AND
EVERYONE IN BETWEEN!

BRING YOUR PETS IN CAGES or
CUDDLY TOY PETS

(sorry but we can't accommodate dogs in the hall, but you can bring a photo)
There will be a special reading of Noah's Car Park Ark by the author,
creative fun, tea and cakes, and a time of celebration.

