



Attendance Matters

On time, every time.

Our current attendance is:
95.6%



Drop everything for 10 minutes and read with your child every day!



Talk to us if you have any worries or concerns.

Back together

It's been heart-warming to see our school community back together again; taking part in assemblies, returning to activities such as swimming and ukulele lessons. We are very proud of how well the pupils have settled into the new school year, showing excellent behaviour and enthusiasm for learning. Thank you to all parents and carers for your support.

COVID symptoms

We all want less disruption to our children's education this year. That's why it's so important that your child stays at home, doesn't attend school and gets a PCR test (a test that is sent to the lab) as soon as possible if they have any of these 3 symptoms of COVID-19, even if they are mild:

- a high temperature
- a new, continuous cough
- a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste

We have seen a rise in cases in our school community, so we all need to continue to do our bit to help.

Author visit



We had a fantastic visit from the author Billy Bob Buttons this week. Children were enthused by his imaginative stories and loved learning the secrets of being a great author. We hope this continues to inspire pupils to 'drop everything for 10' and read every day at home.

Our library is open

Don't forget...our school library is open for pupils at the following times: after school every Tuesday for EYFS and KS1 and Thursday for KS2. Our EYFS pupils had a super visit to Arnold library earlier this term and enjoyed reading lots of new stories.

Breakfast & After School Club

We have places available at our both our breakfast and after school clubs. Both provide high quality affordable childcare before and after school, including activities, food and supervision. Our website has full info' or speak to our office.

Please remember these rules when on school grounds:



No dogs are allowed on the school site.



No smoking or vaping on the school site.



Please dismount bicycles and scooters when on the school site.



Please park safely around our school site and be considerate of our local community.

Diary dates

Tuesday 5 th October	Individual school photos. <i>If you would like a siblings photo, please come to the school office between 8:15-8:40am.</i>
Thursday 7 th October	Olympic Themed School Dinner Day
Friday 8 th October	World Mental Health Day
w/b 11 th October	Black History Month
Friday 15 th October	Last day of Autumn 1
Monday 1 st November	Pupils back to school for Autumn 2
w/b 1 st November	National Parliament Week
Wednesday 3 rd November	Flu immunisations for pupils across school
Thursday 11 th November	Remembrance Day
Friday 12 th November	Children in Need Day
w/b 15 th November	Anti-Bullying Week
Thursday 25 th November	White Ribbon Day: <i>'Hands are not for hurting'</i>
Thursday 18 th November	Year 6 'County Lines' workshop
Thursday 9 th December	EYFS Nativity AM & PM times TBC
Friday 10 th December	Christmas Jumper Day
w/b 13 th December	KS1 & KS2 Christmas Concert <i>Date TBC</i> Christmas Fayre <i>Date TBC</i>
Friday 17 th December	Last day of Autumn Term
<i>Pupils back to school on Wednesday 5th January</i>	

Attendance News

Whole school attendance last week was 95.1% - our target is at least 97%. We are concerned by the number of children arriving to school late, after 8:50am. We know that the shorter registration period takes a little getting used to, but now we're settled into the Autumn term, it's important children are on time, every day. If you have any problems getting your child to school on time, please talk to us.

Classes with best attendance last week:

- Foundation Stage & Key Stage 1:

- Key Stage 2: Torvill