

9th September 2016

Dear Parents,

Please find below dates for your diary for the academic year 2016/2017.

Please be aware that some dates may need to be changed due to circumstances beyond our control. We will, of course, let you know these as soon as possible. Some dates will have additional information to follow nearer the time.



SEPTEMBER 2016	
Monday 5 th	Return to school
Monday 12 th	School Library Reopens for Pupils & Parents
w/c 12 th	Peripatetic Music Lessons start
w/c Monday 12 th	Most Afterschool Clubs start – see Clubs letter
Thursday 15 th	Family Links 10 week Course (Neil Grimshaw) 9.15am
Friday 16 th	Reception Parents – Phonics Workshop 2.30pm
Friday 16 th , 30 th	Forest School – Year 1
Wednesday 21 st	NSPCC Assembly for pupils
Wednesday 21 st , 28 th	FAME Cornet Tuition – Y4 pupils. Forest School-Y3 pupils.
Tuesday 27 th	Harvest and Welcome to New Pupils Service (Hall)
Wednesday 28 th	Individual Pupil Photos
Thursday 29 th	Open morning & Macmillan Coffee Morning 10-12
Friday 23 rd , 30 th	Swimming – Oak Class
OCTOBER	
Friday 7 th , 14 th , 21 st	Swimming – Oak Class
Wednesday 5 th , 12 th , 19 th	FAME Cornet Tuition– Y4 pupils. Forest School Y3 pupils.
Wednesday 14 th	St Barnabas CE First & Middle School Open Day
Tuesday 11 th	Yr R,1,2,3,4 Parent Consultations 5.00pm – 8.00pm
Wednesday 12 th	Yr R,1,2,3,4 Parent Consultations 3.30pm – 6.00pm
Monday 24 th -Friday 28 th	Half-Term
Monday 31 st	Pupils return to school
NOVEMBER	
Wednesday 2 nd	Maths Café – Beech and Willow 2.30pm
Friday 4 th , 11 th , 18 th , 25 th	Swimming – Oak Class
Wednesday 2 nd , 9 th , 16 th , 23 rd , 30 th	FAME Cornet Tuition– Y4 pupils. Forest School Y3 pupils.
Wednesday 16 th	Maths Parent Workshops 2.30pm-3pm
Friday 4 th , 11 th , 18 th , 25 th	Forest School Y1 pupils
Saturday 26 th	PTA Christmas Fayre
Tuesday 29 th	Maths Café – Hazel 2.30pm
DECEMBER	
Thursday 1 st	Maths Café – Rowan 2.30pm
Friday 2 nd	Swimming – Oak Class
Friday 2 nd	Forest School Y1 Pupils
Friday 2 nd	Phonics Workshop for YR Parents 2.30pm
Wednesday 7 th	FAME Cornet Tuition– Y4 pupils. Forest School Y3 pupils.
Friday 9 th	Reception Nativity – 2.00pm
Monday 12 th	Parish Carol Concert – Parish Hall 6.30pm
Thursday 15 th	Christmas Lunch
Friday 16 th	Autumn Term Ends
JANUARY 2016	
Tuesday 3 rd	TED Day
Wednesday 4 th	School opens for Spring Term
Friday 13 th , 20 th , 27 th	Swimming – Oak Class
Wednesday 4 th , 11 th , 18 th , 25 th	FAME Cornet Tuition– Y4 pupils. Forest School Y3 pupils.
w/c Monday 9 th	After school clubs start
Sunday 15 th	Closing date for Middle School Applications & September 2017 new starters
FEBRUARY	
Friday 3 rd , 10 th (last one)	Swimming – Oak Class
Thursday 9 th	Maths Café – Oak & Ash 2.30 pm
Friday 17 th	Swimming- Ash Class
Wednesday 1 st , 8 th (last one)	FAME Cornet Tuition– Y4 pupils. Forest School Y3 pupils.
Wednesday 8 th	Y4 Cornet Concert
Friday 10 th	Reception Parents – Phonics Workshop 2.30pm

Friday 10 th	Forest School Y1 Pupils
Friday 17 th	Whole School Concert
Monday 20 th -Friday 24 th	Half-Term
Tuesday 28 th	Yr R,1,2,3,4 Parent Consultations 5.00pm – 8.00pm
MARCH	
Wednesday 1 st	Yr R,1,2,3,4 Parent Consultations 3.30pm-6.00pm
Wednesday 8 th – Friday 10 th	Year 4 Residential – Malvern Outdoor Elements
Friday 3 rd , 17 th , 24 th , 31 st	Swimming – Ash Class
Wednesday 22 nd , 29 th	Forest School-Y4. (Groups tbc)
w/c 13 th	Science Week
Friday 24 th	Reception Parents – Phonics Workshop 2.30pm
APRIL	
Friday 7 th	End of Spring Term
Friday 7 th & 28 th	Swimming for Ash
Monday 24 th	School opens for Summer Term
Wednesday 5 th , 26 th	Forest School-Y4 (Groups tbc)
MAY	
Monday 1 st	Bank Holiday
Friday 5 th , 12 th , 19 th	Swimming – Ash Class
Wednesday 3 rd , 10 th , 17 th , 24 th	Forest School-Y4 (Groups tbc)
Friday 19 th	Phonics Workshop for YR Parents 2.30pm
Friday 26 th	TED Day. School Closed for Pupils
Monday 29 th May – 2 nd June	Half-Term
JUNE	
Monday 5 th	New Parents meeting 6.00pm – 7.00pm
Tuesday 6 th	Sports Day
Tuesday 13 th	Sports Day (if weather inclement on 6 th)
Wednesday 14 th	Class photographs
Friday 9 th , 16 th , 23 rd	Swimming – Ash Class
Wednesday 7 th , 14 th , 21 st , 28 th	Forest School-Y4 (Groups tbc)
Thursday 22 nd June	Y4 Bell Boating Regatta
Friday 30 th	Transition Day 1 (Pupils move up to new year group/classes)
JULY	
Monday 3 rd	Transition Day 2 (Pupils move up to new year group/classes)
Tuesday 4 th	KS2 Play – 1.30pm
Thursday 6 th	KS2 Play – 7pm
Friday 7 th	Phonics Workshop for YR Parents 2.30pm
Friday 7 th , 14 th	Swimming for Ash Class
Wednesday 19 th	Meet the Teacher 2.30pm – 3.00pm
Monday 17 th	Family Picnic & Competitive Sports
Tuesday 18 th	Family Picnic & Competitive Sports (reserve day)
Thursday 20 th	Year 4 Valedictory Service & Leavers Party
Thursday 20 th	School finishes for Summer Term
Friday 21 st	TED Day
SEPTEMBER 2017	
Thursday 1 st September 2016	Start of Autumn Term
Thurs 1 st & Fri 2 nd September	Possibly TED Days (t.b.c)

The calendar can also to be found on the school website www.nortonfirst.worcs.sch.uk

Yours sincerely



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