

Forefield Matters

20th October 2023



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Term Time Absence:

Please note that term time absence can only be authorised in **exceptional circumstances** and that in-line with government guidelines, Sefton LA may issue penalty notices to families taking holidays during term time.

Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

Well, there you go... the first half-term completed! Our newest pupils have well and truly settled into life in the juniors and everyone has adjusted to the new routines and expectations of their classes.

It has been a busy week in school with Parents' Evenings taking place Monday to Thursday. Thank you to everyone who attended, it was so nice to see school filled with parents. We will arrange additional meetings for Miss Cain's class as soon as possible. There will be more class assemblies coming up next half-term – remember dates are available on our website. Parents are always invited to join the audience for each class assembly and Year 6 will present a special 'Leavers' Assembly' in July. Our Year 3/4 Drama Club is also preparing to present a Christmas Show for parents in December.

Sadly, **Mrs Wright** (our bursar) is leaving FJS today, after taking up the role this time last year. Although she has only been with us for a short while, she will be greatly missed! We all wish her success for the future and welcome Mrs Lacey-Long as our new bursar – she has already started and is quickly getting to know lots of new names and faces!

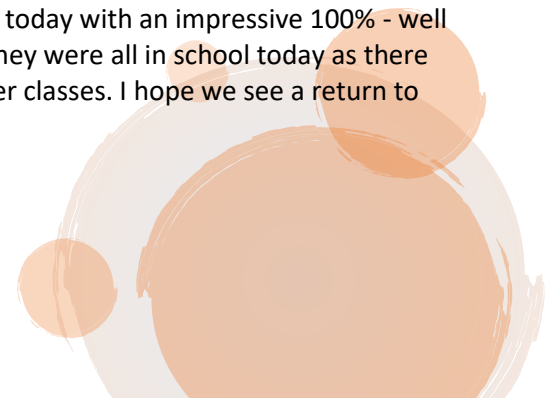
We finish today at 3:30pm for the October holidays and return on Monday, 30th October.

When we return from half-term, there are some new clubs starting including kwik cricket, judo and fencing. Every child in school will also be taking part in the First Aid training from 'I Can Save A Life' – as part of our PSHE curriculum.

Tempest Photography will be in school on Wednesday, 1st November to take individual photographs. Unfortunately, with 361 children, we can only facilitate 'sibling' photographs for the children who are in our school – there was an opportunity to attend an evening session at Forefield Infants earlier this month which Mrs Roberts tells me was well attended.

4H received the attendance trophy today with an impressive 100% - well done! Even more impressive that they were all in school today as there were 38 children absent in the other classes. I hope we see a return to 97%+ next half-term!

Have a lovely break!



Diary for week beginning 30th October 2023

Monday:	9.45 - 11.15 10.15 - 11.45 12.00 - 12.30 12.30 - 12.55 3.30 - 4.30	4W Swimming 5H Swimming Y5 Football (Mr Wood) Y3/Y4 Drama Club (Mrs Barton, Miss Cain, Mrs Harding, Miss Mawdsley) Y3-Y6 Kwik Cricket (Active Sport)
Tuesday:	8.00 - 8.45 12.00 - 12.30	Y3-Y6 First Aid training (I can save a Life) Y4 Judo (Judo Education) Y6 Board Games (Mrs Russell)
Wednesday:	3.30 - 4.30	Individual photographs taken by Tempest Photography Y3-Y6 First Aid training (I can save a Life) Y3-Y6 Dodgeball (Active Sport)
Thursday:	8.00 - 8.45 12.00 - 12.30 12.30 - 12.55 3.30 - 4.15	Y5/Y6 Sword Fencing (WL Fencing) Y5/Y6 Running Club (Mr Croot & Miss Berry) Y3/Y4 Go Noodle Club (Mrs Lambrianides) Y5/Y6 Drama (Limelight Speech and Drama Academy)
Friday:	12.30 - 12.55	Y5 Recorders (Mr Croot)

MENU

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Quorn Bolognese Spaghetti Crusty Wholemeal Bread	Chicken or Quorn Curry Boiled Rice	Roast Pork & Gravy Sweetcorn & Green Beans Paprika Potatoes	The Big Breakfast (Sausage, Hash Brown, Beans) Bread & Butter or Toast	Fishy Friday Garden Peas Chipped Potatoes
Veggie Enchilada Crispy Salad Crusty Wholemeal Bread	Meatballs or Veggie Meatballs in Gravy Garden Peas Mashed Potato	Quorn Fillet & Gravy Seasonal Vegetables Roast Potatoes	Salmon & Broccoli Quiche Garden Peas $\frac{1}{2}$ Jacket Potato	Tomato & Basil Pasta With Roasted Vegetables Crispy Salad/Tear Bread
Iced Muffin	Chocolate & Banana Brownie	Jam Sponge & Custard	Fruit Jelly & Cream	Mini Cookie & Sliced Fruit