



# Southcoates Primary Academy Newsletter

Tuesday 6th June, 2023

Welcome back. We hope you all had a good break and are ready for the start of a busy half term!

## School Photographs

On Friday, the children will be having their annual school photographs. Please make sure that your child wears his/her school uniform.

## Sports Week

All parents are invited to our Opening Ceremony on Monday 12th June. The children from Reception through to Y6 will perform for you on the playground. The main gate will open at 2.15pm, ready for the performance to start at 2.30pm.

Each phase will do their sports day on the following days. The main gate will open at 1.40pm. The races will start at 1.45pm.

- Tuesday 13th June: Reception.
- Wednesday 14th June: Y5/6.
- Thursday 15th June: Y3/4.
- Friday 16th June: Y1/2.

Nursery's sports day will take place on the morning of Wednesday 14th June. Please enter via the gate on St. John's Grove at 9.45am, ready for a 10am start.

## Attendance

So far we have 114 children who have over 96% attendance for the school year. Everybody who achieves 96% attendance for the whole year will be entered into a prize draw to win a Samsung tablet computer.

We still have 7 weeks of the school year left, so if you are currently below 96%, there is plenty of time left to improve.

As well as this we have 21 pupils who have 100% attendance for the whole school year - each of these children will receive a voucher to spend at Smyth's Toy Superstore if they can maintain their 100% record.



### Please Remember: Uniform and Scooters

It's great to see so many children coming to school on bikes or on scooters but please remember that there should be no cycling or scooting on the playground. We regularly have over 1,000 people passing through the site at the end of the day and it is particularly dangerous near our 3 gates. We ask that you please remind your children of this as we have had a few near misses recently.

Please can we also remind you of our school uniform rules. Children are not allowed to wear sandals or crocs for school. These are not deemed to be safe footwear for school. Please also remind your children that jewelry, make-up or nail varnish are not permitted. The only exception to this is plain stud earrings which children must be able to remove themselves for PE. Thank you.

### Summer Term Dates

Friday 9th June:	School photograph day
Monday 12th June:	Opening Ceremony Please see the front of this newsletter for Sports Day dates
Tuesday 13th June:	AM - Humberside Fire and Rescue visiting Early Years
Thursday 15th June:	Y5 & Y6 Science Dome Experience
Friday 16th June:	PM - Y1 & Y2 Sports Day Y5 visit from Humberside Fire and Rescue
Monday 19th June	Y6 Kid Alert trip
Thursday 22nd June:	Black, White and Red Day Y4 IntoUniversity Careers in Action workshop
Wednesday 28th June:	Y6 London visit
Friday 30th June:	Summer Fair
Tuesday 4th July:	6M IntoUniversity Secondary Transition Workshop
Wednesday 5th July:	6W IntoUniversity Secondary Transition Workshop Parents' Evening - KS1 and KS2 results and Early Years Annual Reports available
Friday 21st July:	Last day of the school year.
Wednesday 6th September:	School reopens for children after the summer holiday.