

Important Notice



Welcome to our Wordsworth Pinboard!

This is where we will let you know about forthcoming dates for your diary and events happening in the school. We will be emailing this out every Friday.

We also have a Facebook Page where we celebrate achievements; please click [here](#) and give us a follow!

Please note that we will still email you directly if something is happening that requires your action, a date change or cancellation.

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Survey about sport & physical activity for children & young people

Year 1 parents - you were sent an email before half term regarding completing the above survey.

For every parent survey completed, the school receives 1 credit and this can be spent on sports equipment that we can choose from a brochure.

We have so far had 4 parent surveys completed (thank you) but would love more if possible. Please could you check your emails for the link to the survey and complete it for us please if you have some time?

Thank you in advance.



Reminder about Pre-Ordering on SchoolGrid

Please could Parents/Guardians ensure their children are aware of what has been ordered for them, as some children are getting to the counter at lunchtime and getting upset at the choice their adult has made for them. Unfortunately the kitchen is unable to supply an alternative choice if the child doesn't like what they have.

LEGO CLUB

We are excited to be able to offer our Kids With Bricks after school club running from 3.30pm - 4.30pm every Monday and Wednesday for 5 weeks. The Monday session starts on **27th February** and the Wednesday session starts on **1st March 2023**. The Monday club is open for years 1 & 2 and Wednesdays club is open for Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 and both are fully booked online. We will send out letters when the next session is open for booking. Their website if you would like to check them out or for future bookings is: www.kidswithbricks.com



The Year 3 children are going to be performing a short Recorder Concert on Friday 24th March from 2.30pm—3pm in the school hall. All children will be involved in the concert and one family member can attend (plus any babies/pre-schoolers).

Don't forget



YEAR R LITTLE WANDLE PHONICS PARENT MEETING

The meeting will be held in school on Wednesday 1st March at both 9am and 5pm. We will introduce you to the Little Wandle scheme, how we teach it in class and explain how you can support your child at home.

If you attend the 9am meeting, you will then be able to visit your child in their classroom and read their reading book with them.

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Baby News!

Mrs Long is expecting a baby!

Her planned last day with 1ML will be Wednesday 19th April; Mrs Matthews will be taking over teaching full time so there will be no disruption to the children's learning.

We hope you will join us in congratulating Mrs Long and her family.

Year 4 - Home Farm Residential



Don't forget, it isn't too late to sign up for the Year 4 Residential to Home Farm in June. The Trip has been added to MCAS under trips and Visits within the 'Available' tab and it has been added as part payments, so you can pay as much or as little as you like, as long as the final amount is paid by **Friday 28th April 2023**.

If you would be interested and require a letter with the pricing, which covers accommodation and activities, please let us know by emailing: info@wordsworthprimary.co.uk or your child can ask their teacher.

Music Lessons



Please ensure you make the next instalment and clear any arrears via the MCAS app, if you haven't already. It will be under outstanding payments. If you are experiencing difficulties paying, then please let us know.



In partnership with the ecology team, the Southampton National Park Scheme have launched a hedgehog champion scheme for young people in Southampton:

<https://southampton-national-park.com/hedgehog-champions/>

For safety reasons, please could we ask parents/guardians not to let their children play games or ride bikes/ scooters on the playground at picking up time. We have lots of small children around and they could get injured.



Year 2 - Minstead Residential

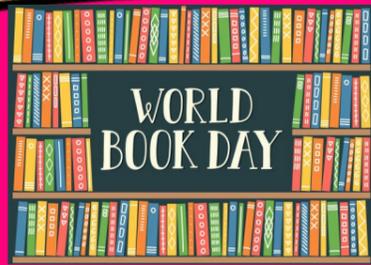


What makes Minstead special
Minstead is a magical place where we nurture positive attitudes

If your child has been selected to attend the Minstead Residential, please could you make a non-refundable deposit of £30 to secure your child's place, if you haven't already. The cost of the residential will be payable in flexible instalments, as long as the full amount is paid by Friday 9th June. If your child has been selected to go and can no longer attend, please let us know asap as we have children on a waiting list. Thank you.

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This year our school will be celebrating World Book Day on Monday 6th March.

This year we are not expecting the children to dress up, instead we have set our children a couple of activities they can do in the run up to World Book Day:

- We would like all children to take an 'extreme reading' photo to be uploaded to google classroom. This is a photo of the child reading in an unusual place or in an unusual way. There are many fantastic examples of this online. Teachers will then select and print the best 2/3 and this will be made into a display in the library.
- If the children would like to, they can make a character from a book out of recycled materials or create a scene from a book in a box. These will be put on display in the entrance.



Notification of Industrial Action during March 2023

The next date for proposed strike action will be Thursday 2nd March. A letter will be sent shortly about the classes affected.



5B Swim Dates:

A letter was emailed out on Thursday with the dates on it. There is also a copy of this letter [here](#).



Parents Evening

You will be able to book your face-to-face meeting with your child's teacher via MCAS under Parents Evening from Monday 27th February.

There will be a drop down offering a 10 minute time slot on either a Tuesday night 3.45 - 7pm or a Thursday night 3.45 - 6.30pm.