



Jeavons Wood
Primary School

Newsletter

13th September 2024



Welcome

We've had a wonderful first full week at school. Year 6 had a brilliant WOW Day as Victorians, and Year 2 have had a super WOW Day today as Superheroes!

Diary Dates



September

Tues 17th Year 6 Swimming
Tues 24th Year 6 Swimming

October

Tues 1st Year 6 Swimming
Tues 8th Year 6 Swimming
Tues 15th Year 6 Swimming
Mon 28th Oct - Fri 1st Nov HALF TERM

Mrs McMurray, Mr Emery & The
Jeavons Wood Team

KS2 Pencil Case

Please can all KS2 children bring a pencil case to school if they have not done so already.

The pencil case needs to be thin enough to fit in their tray and long enough for a ruler. All the stationary will be provided by school, and the pencil case will live in school.

Too Ill for School?

Attendance in school is extremely important. At Jeavons Wood we expect every child to be in school every day. Unless your child has had vomiting, diarrhoea, has a contagious infection or is so unwell that they need a doctor's appointment they should be in school.

If you are unsure if your child should have a day off please send them to school. If they are unwell we will call you and ask you to come and collect them.

Please use the NHS website <https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/> for more help and advice.

Pre-School Open Afternoon

Pre-School are holding an Open Afternoon on Wednesday 13th November from 1-2pm. If you would like to come and view the Pre-School please email the School Office.

Vacancy

We have a vacancy for a Learning Assistant. We are looking for a nurturing, dedicated and enthusiastic Learning Assistant to support the different learning needs of pupils in school.

The hours are Monday to Friday, 8.45am -3.15pm.

The job advert can be found here:

<https://epm.co.uk/school-vacancies/62767/>

To apply please contact nellender@jeavonswood.org

FS Applications

If your child will be 4 years old by 31st August 2025 you can apply for their school place now. You can apply at www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/admissions

The closing date for applications is the 15th January.

FS Request



Foundation Stage are asking for some kind donations of toys for us to use in our garden space. We would like:

Drain pipes and Tubing
Barbie style dolls
Dolls and Prams
Water toys
Toy cars big and small
Constructions toys such as magnets or K'nex.

Curiosities and loose parts! - This could be anything like candelabras, metal rings, old picture frames, lovely wooden items of any kind. If you have any of these items going spare, we would really love to take them off your hands.

Secondary School Applications

Secondary school applications are now open! If you have a child in Year 6 you have until 31st October to apply.

You can apply at: www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/admissions

Reminders

We now have a second page to our Newsletter with reminders of important updates that come out during the year. Please see the second page of the Newsletter for more information.

Newsletter Reminders

Lost Property

Every year group has a Lost Property box in the shared cloakroom. If your child has lost anything at school please ask the teacher if you can have a look in the Lost Property box.

If the item has been left on the playground at lunchtime it may have been put in another cloakroom's Lost Property box.

Please make sure everything is named.

Staff Car Park

Please remember when crossing the staff car park to use the pavement and not walk across the car park. Parents are not permitted to park in the staff car park,

No Dogs

Dogs are not allowed on school premises. If you need to bring them to school please leave them tied securely to the gates.

Reporting Absences

Please make sure you contact the Office by 8.30am to let us know of your child's absence. You must contact the School Office every day that your child is absent.

You can use ParentHub, call or email to report an absence.

Please give us the full reason for your child's absence. Saying "unwell" is not enough information. Thank you.

Young Voices

We are really excited to announce that we are going to take part in Young Voices in January 2025, the largest children's choir concert in the world! Year 5 & 6 children in September will be invited to join. Please see the attached letter for information and links to the songs so you can start singing along this summer!

School Timings

Foundation Stage doors are opened at 08:45 and close at 08:55

The end of the day is 15:05

KS1 & KS2 doors are opened at 08:40 and close at 08:45

The end of the day is 15:15

If your child is late it will affect their attendance and is disruptive for the class. Please make every effort to arrive at school on time and with everything your child needs for the day.

Uniform Exchange

We have our Uniform Exchange rail in the Office foyer which is free for all parents to help themselves to any of non-branded uniform.

If you have any items you want to donate please put branded jumpers and cardigans in the box opposite the rail, and please hang up any other items on the rail.

Premier Sport Clubs

Premier Sport provide after school sports clubs each day of the week. Your child will be taken from their classroom and taken to the Hall for their club. They need to be collected from the Activity Hall at 4.15pm.

You can book here:

<https://www.premier-education.com>

Forest Waterproofs

Your child will have a regular session in the Forest and will need waterproofs for this. This can be either an all-in-one or separate waterproof coat and trousers. Your child's teacher will be in touch via SeeSaw to let you know which day of the week they will have Forest and will need to bring their waterproofs.

Please also bring a pair of wellies which will live at school for the year and be used for Forest and wet play times.

As we are all-weather school please make sure your child's coat is fully waterproof.

Please make sure to label everything with your child's name