



Longton Lane Community Primary School

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School Holidays 2017-2018

Autumn 1

Weds 6th Sept 17
To
Thurs 19th Oct 17

Autumn 2

Mon 30th Oct 17
To
Thurs 21st Dec 17

Spring 1

Mon 8th Jan 18
To
Fri 9th Feb 18

Spring 2

Tues 20th Feb 18
To
Thurs 29th Mar 18

Summer 1

Mon 16th Apr 18
To
Fri 25th May 18

Summer 2

Weds 6th Jun 18
To
Weds 25th Jul 18

Spring Term Newsletter

19th January 2018

ATTENDANCE SCORES

WE 12.01.18

WE 19.01.18

Apple	95.26%	Apple	94.1%
Apple 2	94.76%	Apple 2	91.1%
Bay	95.67%	Bay	93.8%
Beech	96.13%	Beech	96.4%
Holly	98.62%	Holly	98.3%
Hazel	96.07%	Hazel	93.8%
Laurel	95.52%	Laurel	87.5%
Lilac	96.21%	Lilac	94%

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY

CAPTAIN'S TABLE

CLASS	Week Ending 12.01.18	Week Ending 19.01.18	Week Ending 12.01.18	Week Ending 19.01.18
APPLE	Archie Bennett Lacey Gleave		Eva Astles	Archie Bennett
APPLE 2	Ava McGee Lucas Leahair		Owen Norbury-Patton	Lilly Pennington
BAY	Harry Woods Isaac Cain		Jayden Weallens Lucy Gibson	Isaac Cain Evelyn Arnold
BEECH	Raul Necula Asmika Kuruparan		Ellie Appleton Alfie Harrison	Faith Taylor Jack Mills
HOLLY	Jasmine Reed Daniel Hooker		Isabel Hodgson Niamh Mather	Aseel Ahmed Andrei Draghiciu
HAZEL	Albie Halliwell-Booth Isabelle Bayliss		Rhys Daly Macey Littler	Joseph Jones Albie Halliwell-Booth
LAUREL	Libby Longworth Pablo Cragg		Chloe Gallagher Rihanna Barwise	Grace Hill Chloe Kelly
LILAC	Joseph Garcia Tommy Darwin		Lucy Gray Luca Dale	Tommy Darwin Isobel Akroyd

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

01.02.18—School Nurse Drop-In 2.15pm

SCHOOL CLOSURES—FRIDAY 09th FEBRUARY

SCHOOL RE-OPENS—TUESDAY 20th FEBRUARY

It is quite unbelievable that we have already been back in school for two weeks and the children have packed so much into the start of the year. I would like to take the opportunity to once again thank you for your fantastic support during our festive events and for the hard work of our newly reformed PTFA. I know the support will continue as we move through 2018.

One area of school life that I would ask for support with is lateness into school as over the last two weeks this has been noticeable. Although we recognise that now and again traffic can be difficult around Rainhill when we have reviewed lates this is only a small part of reasons given. The main reason given is overslept or running late and with that in mind I would ask if we could try to work together to reduce the number of pupils that arrive at school past 9.00am. Five minutes late may not sound much but over a week, month, term etc it really does add up and children miss out on valuable learning each day.

There are plenty of activities planned for the year ahead and we look forward to sharing these through our many forms of communication.

Mrs. Speed.

Celebration Assemblies will be held each Friday in the KS2 hall

School Badges & House Points

The new House System has been designed by the children and School Council. During last term, they were busy working with Mrs Andrews and Mrs Speed, coming up with new houses and ways to promote teamwork. The houses are named after four

Goddesses of Wisdom from four different cultures or religions:

Super Saga - a Norse Goddess

Grand Ganesha - a Hindu Goddess

Amazing Athena - a Greek Goddess

Marvellous Minerva - a Roman Goddess.

Children earn points and a weekly winner is announced in celebration assembly. Each half term, there is an inter house competition

winner has a reward e.g. movie afternoon/tea party. Each house has two heads from the

teaching staff and two house captains from Year 6. Every child and adult member of our school community is a member except Mrs Andrews and Mrs Speed who remain impartial. Everyone has a house colour badge- green (Saga), orange (Minerva), Blue (Athena) or Purple (Ganesha).

Additional badges will be available from the school office at 10p per badge.

We will keep you up to date as the year goes on.
The School Council

School Holidays 2018-2019

Autumn 1

Tuesday 4th September 2018
to
Thursday 18th October 2018

Autumn 2

Monday 29th October 2018
To
Thursday 20th December 2018

Spring 1

Tuesday 08th January 2019
To
Friday 15th February 2019

Spring 2

Monday 25th February 2019
To
Friday 5th April 2019

Summer 1

Tuesday 23rd April 2019
To
Friday 24th May 2019

Good Friday 19th April 2019

Summer 2

Wednesday 05th June 2019
To
Wednesday 24th July 2019

Benefit related free school meals:

If you think you may be entitled to benefit related free school meals - even if your child is in the infants (your child would then continue to receive free meals in the juniors) - then please apply on-line at

<https://www.sthelens.gov.uk/benefits/free-school-meals-pupil-premium/>

URGENT

PLEASE SIGN UP TO THE SCHOOL APP TO ACCESS SCHOOL SENT MESSAGES!

School Spider App

There are still a number of parents who have not accessed the school spider app to receive school messages. School no longer uses texts and messages home will be communicated via the app. Please see Mrs Lewis in the office if you need log-in details.

School Closes for half term on Friday 9th February and re-opens on TUESDAY 20th February at the normal time