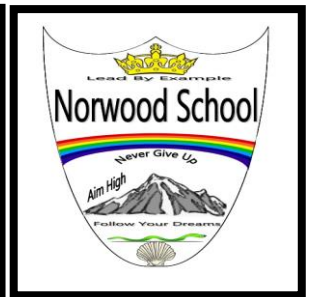


Norwood Primary School

NEWSLETTER

September - 2022

Head Teacher—Mrs D Reynolds



Welcome Back



Welcome back to a new school year at Norwood School. It is just wonderful to see all of the children return looking very smart in their uniform and eager to start their learning in their new classes.



We also say a very warm welcome to our new Reception children and their families who join our Norwood community.

Personal property

Please can we ask that all belongings, uniform, lunch boxes, water bottles etc. are labelled with your child's name to enable any lost items to be returned to their rightful owner.

End of Year School Disco - Thursday 8th September

This was postponed due to the extreme hot weather at the end of last term. Children who have got permission to attend and payment has been made will receive their entrance band on the day of the disco.

The timings will be as followed:

Reception (Year 1 now), Year 1 (Year 2 now) and Year 2 (Year 3 now)-3.15pm-4.00pm.

Parents/Carers to collect children from their current classrooms at the end of the disco at 4.00pm

KS2 (Years 4-6 now and former Year 6 pupils from last academic year)-4.00pm-5.15pm

Entrance and collection for KS2 pupils (Years 4, 5 & 6) will be from the school hall.



Roald Dahl Story Day – Tuesday 13th September

Norwood school will be celebrating Roald Dahl Day.

Children are invited to come to school dressed as a



character from Roald Dahl book. Roald Dahl Day celebrates the wonder of his books whilst supporting Roald Dahl's Marvellous Children's Charity.

<https://www.roalddahlcharity.org/>

Please could families contribute a donation of £1 to the charity using ParentPay link below

[Norwood School Donation Pay \(ParentPay\)](#)

All monies collected will go straight to the charity who fund specialist nurses for seriously ill children. **Thank you.**

Diary Dates:

- **Thursday 8th September** – School Disco
- **Thursday 8th September** – Bikeability training Y3
- **Tuesday 13th September** – Roald Dahl Story Day
- **Monday 19th – 22nd September** – Bikeability training Y5

Reporting a child absence

You must contact the office by 8:45am on each day of the absence. Please advise child's name, year group and reason.

Email – absence@norwoodschool.co.uk

Phone 01733 574717 – option 1 and leave a message.

Xpressions – send a message via the app.

Contact details

If any of your contact details have changed, please could you send in written confirmation to the school office to enable these to be amended.

SEND meetings

SEND meetings will take place during this term. Further details will be sent to you nearer the time. If you need to contact Mrs Cockerill, please use the email senadmin@norwoodschool.co.uk or phone 01733 574717 to leave a message.

SEND Information Report Academic Year 2022 – 2023

The SEND information report is now being reviewed for 2022/2023. Please click on link [Norwood Primary SEND](#).

Parents/Carers are welcome to review and send any comments to Mrs Cockerill via email senadmin@norwoodschool.co.uk by Friday 30th Sept.

Year 6 transition to Year 7 – Deadline 31st October

Parents/Carers can apply for their secondary school places from midday on 12 September 2022. The secondary admissions page will be updated with all relevant information, including a drop down box to show all schools open evening dates www.peterborough.gov.uk/admissions For all applications submitted by 31 October 2022 (secondary deadline date) parents will receive their outcome online on Secondary National Offer Day 1 March 2023. There is a drop down box to show all secondary schools open evening dates.

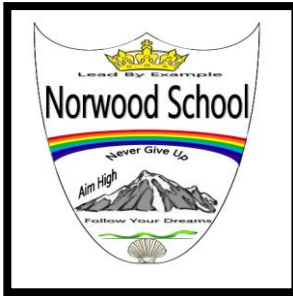
September - Fruit and Vegetable Snack



Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 will be offered a snack of vegetable or fruit which will be provided by the government free of charge.

Years 3, 4, 5, 6 will need to provide their own from home. This must be a healthy snack of vegetable or fruit.

Please remember that Norwood is a nut free school.

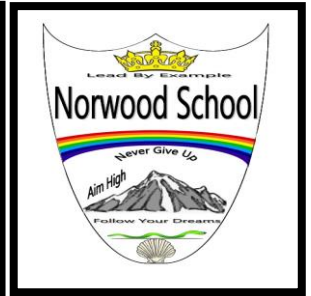


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September - School Meal price increase

From Monday 5th September 2022 the cost of a school meal for KS2 pupils has increased to **£2.65 a day**.

- KS1 pupils will continue to be eligible for a UFSM (universal free school meal) and there will be no change.
- Pupils who receive a FSM (free school meal) there will be no change.

If you think you may qualify for free school meals, and, as yet have not completed the online application, please contact Miss Fletcher in the school office who can assist you with the application process. Further information on this is available on our school website

www.norwood-school.co.uk/ Norwood School> Free School Meals or by direct by clicking link below [Free School Meals](#)

SeaSavers – Year 4 July 2022

As part of Year 4's (now Y5) work on World Ocean Day, they entered a competition which was all to do with protecting our Oceans and coming up with a new way to make fishing more sustainable. As a class the pupils researched all about the problems that fishing causes and set out to create a new ship which would help to reduce the problems that it causes.



The ship had many

features such as:

- robotic fish which ate plastic in the ocean,
- a crab box designed to monitor the weight of the catch and deter unwanted creatures,
- a net that was made out of a durable material with holes only large enough to allow targeted fish to be caught.

This was an international competition with over 200 entries worldwide. Despite being much younger than many entrants, Norwood achieved 3rd place.

Well Done Norwood.

School Contact Details



Phone **01733 574717**



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SEND email senadmin@norwoodschool.co.uk
Absence email absence@norwoodschool.co.uk

Norwood Website

Please check our website www.norwood-school.co.uk for copies of all letters, diary dates and news updates.

Norwood online School Calendar is always being updated as more events are scheduled. Click [here](#)

Children's Zone - September 2022

Click on the link below to see the Welcome page for the new academic year and the adults who will be working in your child's class this year.

Welcome to Reception
Welcome to Year 1
Welcome to Year 2
Welcome to Year 3
Welcome to Year 4
Welcome to Year 5
Welcome to Year 6

Please visit and click on [Children's Zone](#) then click on the year to see your child's curriculum. The Autumn Term Curriculum can also be found here by clicking the links below.

Reception - Autumn 1
Year 1 - Autumn 1
Year 2 - Autumn 1
Year 3 - Autumn 1
Year 4 - Autumn 1
Year 5 - Autumn 1
Year 6 - Autumn 1

Term Dates 2022 - 2023

Autumn Term 2022

Half Term - Monday 24th October - Friday 28th October
Term Finishes – Wednesday 21st December

Spring Term 2023

Term Starts – Thursday 5th January
Half Term - Monday 13th February - Friday 17th February
Term Finishes - Friday 31st March

Summer Term 2023

Term Starts – Tuesday 18th April
Bank Holiday (school closed) - Monday 1st May
Half Term - Monday 29th May to Friday 2nd June
Teacher Training Day (school closed to pupils) – Monday 5th June. School reopens on Tuesday 6th June
Term Finishes – Wednesday 19th July