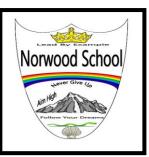


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March - 2024

Head Teacher—Mrs D Reynolds



# **Easter Egg Raffle Donations**

Norwood Primary School would be very grateful for any donations of Easter Eggs from our school community for our Easter Egg raffle. Tickets will be 20p each and be available from



Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March. The draw being on the last day of Spring Term Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March. Donations can be brought to the school office. **Thank you.** 

A reminder that Norwood is a nut free school.

#### **Spring Consultation Meetings**

Spring consultation evenings will take place on the following dates:

- Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March
- Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March

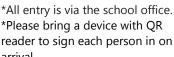
All appointments are made via the booking system. Further details with the link will be sent shortly. Please contact the office if you have any problems.

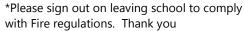
## Parent/Carer Class Engagement - Spring Term

Norwood Primary School staff and pupils invite Parents/Carers to join them in their

class activities.







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Reception	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> March – 9.00am
Year 1	Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> March - 2.20pm
Year 2	Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> March - 2.15pm
Year 3	Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> March - 2.30pm
Year 4	Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> March - 9.00am
Year 5	Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> March - 2.15pm
Year 6	Thursday 21st March - 9.00am

#### Have your say



Ofsted Parent View gives you the chance to tell Ofsted what you think of your child's school. Please click on the link below to share your views. <a href="https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/">https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/</a>

# **Parent/Carer Governor Elections**

Norwood school has a vacancy for a parent governor. An election letter and nomination form was sent out Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March. Please note the deadline for the nomination form to be returned back to school is Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

# **Diary Dates:**

- Thursday 7th March World Book Day
- Friday 8th March Mother's Day Reception
- Monday 11<sup>th</sup> to Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March British Science week
- Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March SOKE Mixed Football event, selected pupils
- Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March Parent/Carer event Y1
- Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March Red Nose Day
- Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March Caterlink Special Menu
- Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March Spring Consultation Evening All years
- Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March SOKE Netball Tournament selected pupils
- Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March Parent/Carer event Y3
- Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March Spring Consultation Evening All years
- Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March Parent/Carer event Y6
- Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March Norwood Science Day Spark2Education, Science Professors in school
- Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March YDP Netball Festival selected pupils
- Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March Parent/Carer event Y2
- Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March Parent/Carer event Y4
- Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March Parent/Carer event Y5
- Spring Term Finishes Thursday 28th March
- Easter School Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup>, Thursday 11<sup>th</sup>, Friday 12<sup>th</sup>
   April Y6 selected pupils
- Summer Term Starts Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April
- Monday 15<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April Balance Bike Training – Reception
- Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> April Soke Cross Country selected pupils
- Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April Learn to ride, Bikeability
- Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April Museum Trip Y4

# **Child Leave of Absence Request**

If you wish to request a leave of absence from school for your child (not medical) you must complete the request form which can be found on the school website <a href="https://www.norwood-school.co.uk/">https://www.norwood-school.co.uk/</a> Norwood School Policies>Leave of Absence Request Form or by clicking on the link <a href="https://www.norwood-school.co.uk/">School Policies</a> The form must be completed 1 month prior to requested date of absence. Religious requests no longer need to complete this form but still need to inform school of the absence. Any queries please email <a href="mailto:admin@norwoodschool.co.uk">admin@norwoodschool.co.uk</a> Please note that leave for family holidays will not be authorised for any reason.

# Red Nose Day - Friday 15th March

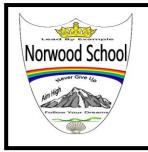






Norwood are inviting children and staff to come to school in non-school uniform, dress up head to toe in red or wear something funny for a minimum donation of £1.00 that will go to this worthwhile charity. Donations must be made via ParentPay. Please use the link below. Thank you.

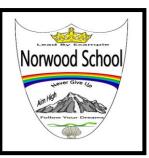
**Donation Page** 



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## Year 4 - Swimming lessons

Year 4 swimming lessons take place on a Thursday morning.

The sessions are scheduled to take place on:

7<sup>th</sup> March 14<sup>th</sup> March 21<sup>st</sup> March 28<sup>th</sup> March

## **ParentPay**

Payment deadlines in March and April

Kingswood Residential 13<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> September

Year 6 (current Year 5)

• Instalment 3 - £50.00 due 31st March

Year 4 Peterborough Museum, Roman Workshop

• Total cost £6.00 due 23<sup>rd</sup> April

# Monies raised by you



British Legion Poppy Appeal November 2023 raised £235.93. Thank you.

# **Table Tennis update**

Year 5 went to Arthur Mellow Village College to attend their table tennis event earlier in January. They all had a wonderful



time and were able to learn and perfect their skills. One of the pupils even got to play a game with AMVC's Deputy Head Teacher.

# Wednesday 14th February - Dance Club



On Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> February, the Dance Club went to the Cresset to perform in the Primary Dance Showcase. Every one of them was amazing on the stage and did the school proud. **Well done Norwood**.

# **Show Racism the Red Card**



Julia in Year 5 won our 'Show Racism the Red Card' competition with this entry. **Well done.** 

## **Norwood Website**

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

Click **here** for the online School Calendar.

Click **here** for the Children's Zone.

The Spring Term 2 Curriculum can be found here by clicking the class links below.

Reception Spring Term 2
Year 1 Spring Term 2
Year 2 Spring Term 2
Year 3 Spring Term 2
Year 4 Spring Term 2
Year 5 Spring Term 2
Year 6 Spring Term 2

# **Term Dates**

## Spring Term 2024

Term Finishes - Thursday 28th March

#### **Summer Term 2024**

Term Starts – Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April Bank Holiday (school closed) - Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May Half Term - Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May Term Finishes - Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July

Teacher Training Day – Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July (school closed to pupils)

Term Dates 2024/2025 (including Teacher Training Days)

## **Autumn Term 2024**

Teachers Training Days (school closed to pupils) – Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> and Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2024

Term Starts – Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2024 Half Term - Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October to Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2024 Term Finishes – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2024

# Spring Term 2025

Teacher Training Day (school closed to pupils) – Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2025

Term Starts – Tuesday 7th January 2025

Half Term - Monday 17th February to Friday 21st February 2025

Teacher Training Day (school closed to pupils) – Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2025

Term Finishes - Friday 4th April 2025

## Summer Term 2025

Term Starts – Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2025

Bank Holiday (school closed) - Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2025 Half Term - Monday 26<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2025

Teacher Training Day (school closed to pupils) – Monday 2<sup>nd</sup>
June 2025

Term Finishes – Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2025