

# St. George's Primary School

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Dear Parents

A belated Happy New Year to you all! I waited until I have this term's dates for you and anything organised at a later date will be conveyed to you via newsletter, text or email.

The term has started well, bearing in mind the weather and winter temperatures are upon us and children must ensure they bring warm clothing, PE kit and adequate footwear.

Under the watchful eye of Mrs Nicholson, lost property has been minimal. Thank you for naming all school clothing as it has helped enormously to return items to their rightful owner.

In January, we welcomed Mrs Maggs, who is currently teaching in Year 5. If parents have any queries about their child's progress, they will have an opportunity to see teachers at Parents' Consultation Meetings later this term.

Our Themed weeks have proved most successful and parents will be invited to school during the 'Chinese New Year' week, to see a host of activities alongside their child.

Please may I remind you all not to park on the zig zag areas on the road directly outside our school entrance. Not only do these areas prevent 'blind spots' where children cross the road, but the police are aware of this and will issue fines should drivers park there.

Many schools experience problems with parking and I must thank all of you for not driving through to the staff car park. This area is strictly for staff and education visitors.

I must, once again, congratulate the school's football team for their success, excellent sportsmanship and remarkable effort representing the school.

Yet again, visitors remark on the manners, respect and overall attitude our children portray on every trip, event and around school generally. As Headteacher, I am immensely proud of all my pupils! St George's has been recognised for the excellent provision we give to all our children by the Local Authority and stakeholders.

## **Dates for Your Diary:**

Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January  
Monday 4<sup>th</sup> – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> February  
Monday 11<sup>th</sup> February  
Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February  
Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February

EYFS parents meeting 3.20pm – 4.00pm  
Chinese New Year Theme Week – parents invited  
Reception Heights and Weights  
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1.30 pm Ashley Wood Class Photographs  
9.00 am Ashley Wood Class Photographs

## **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February**

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February  
Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March  
Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March  
Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March  
Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March  
Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March  
Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March  
Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March  
Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March  
Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April

## **Half Term**

Year 3 Tutankhamun Museum  
Hi 5 Netball at Budmouth  
World Book Day  
Football Nash Cup at Redlands  
Year 4 Tag Rugby at Weymouth Rugby Club  
Year 5 and 6 Swimming Gala  
Red Nose Day – School Games Day  
Year 5 and 6 Tag Rugby at Weymouth Rugby Club  
Parent's Evening  
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Year 5 Parent's Residential Meeting

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April**

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April**

**School Finishes for Easter Holidays at 2.30 pm  
INSET DAY**

**Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April**

**Back to School**

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Luxon

