

William Morris Primary School
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**Date: 25th July 2023** 

# Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had a lovely end of the term and I would like to take this chance to say thank you to you for your support over the year. Thank you to the PTA for their fab events and the Governors for their strategic support. Also a huge well done to all of the children for working so hard. I am very proud of how much you have achieved this year and the fantastic progress you have made. Thank you also to all the amazing staff here at William Morris. The children are lucky to have such a dedicated, hard working team who make their learning so fun and engaging.

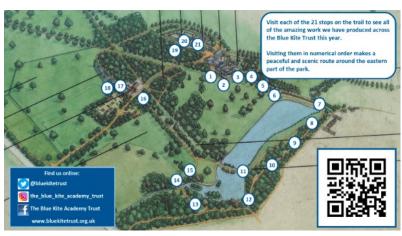
I hope you have a lovely Summer break and we look forward to welcoming the new children and members of staff to our school community in September.

Mrs Fraser, Headteacher

#### **Lydiard Park**

This year, schools from across Blue Kite Academy Trust have worked together to celebrate our local area, and in particular, Lydiard Park.

Children from across the Trust have studied aspects of Lydiard Park and integrated it with their existing curriculum. At William Morris, Reception used their recycling to do some junk modelling. Year 1 created a sign using recycled crisp packets. Year 3 wrote



letters to persuade the public to look after the park and take home their rubbish. Our QR code is near the café. We have set up a trail around the park to encourage visitors to enjoy the beautiful surroundings and take a look at the work that our amazing pupils have produced! Simply scan the QR codes you find around Lydiard Park to see the different work and maybe even learn a little bit about where you are standing...

We hope you enjoy seeing our work!

#### **Summer Free and Discounted Lunches**

The following link lists places that are offering free or discounted lunches for children over the holidays. <a href="https://moneysavingcentral.co.uk/kids-eat-free">https://moneysavingcentral.co.uk/kids-eat-free</a>



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# Gold Book

Well done to all of the children (and staff) who were in the Gold Book last week — we are very proud of you and your achievements!











#### Uniform

Please could we remind parents of our uniform policy. We want our children to look smart when at school and feel proud to wear their uniform.

https://www.williammorrisprimary.co.uk/school-uniform

Our uniform suppliers have be bought out by another company, so the online orders are now available from: https://pmgschoolwear.co.uk/



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# Sports Day











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# SEND Sports Day















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# Nursery Sports Day













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# SEND Sports Day













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## **September**

Mon 4th TD Day

Tue 5th TD Day

Wed 6th First day in school for children

## **October**

Thurs 19th Last day of term 1

Fri 20th TD Day—School closed to pupils

Mon 23rd Half term—school closed for week

Mon 30th First day back—term 2

[New dates in red]

#### TD INSET Days 2023-24

- Monday 4th September 2023
- Tuesday 5th September 2023
- Friday 20th October 2023
- Wednesday 3rd January 2024
- Monday 1st July 2024

(1 more TD Day to be confirmed)

Please see 2023—2024 term dates on the school website. Please note that these are different to the SBC term dates.

#### **School Timings Sept 2023**

|                           | Breakfast<br>club | Gate<br>opens      | Kiss and<br>Drop   | School<br>starts                             | Assem-<br>bly | Morning<br>Break-time | Lunch                   | School finish-<br>es |
|---------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--|---------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Nursery                   |                   | 8:30am             |                    | Morning<br>session<br>8:30am<br>-<br>11:30am |               |                       | 11:30am<br>-<br>12:15pm |                      |
| Recep-<br>tion and<br>KS1 | 7:30am            | 8:30am             | 8:30am -<br>8:40am | 8:45am                                       | 8:55am        | 10:30am –<br>10:45am  | 12:00pm<br>–1:00pm      | 3:00pm               |
| KS2                       | 7:30am            | 8:40am –<br>8:50am | 8:40am –<br>8:50am | 8:50am                                       | 8:55am        | 10:30am –<br>10:45am  | 12:10pm<br>–1:10pm      | 3:10pm               |