



Frome Valley First School News Weekly

*"Together, with God's love, we learn, nurture and grow,
without limits."*



Welcome Back

We hope that everyone had a restful and enjoyable break. The summer term is here and we hope to see plenty of sunshine! As usual we have a busy term with May Day, Sports Day, the School Play and lots more. We hope that parents, friends and relatives can join us for these celebrations.

Star of the Week

Congratulations to the following children who are the:

'Stars of the Week'

Reception Class: Ivy O

Year 1: Joel Ph

Year 2: Harmony

Year 3: Jack R

Year 4: Torben



Puzzles Needed - Happy Valley

Do you have any puzzles (no pieces missing!) that you are happy to donate to Happy Valley and Breakfast Club? A lot of the puzzles we currently use have pieces missing. Please bring any items to the school office. Thank you in advance for any donations.

After School Activities

This half term, we still have space in after school tennis club (Wednesday - Years 2 -4). Acrobatics on a Tuesday is currently full. If you would like to be placed on a waiting list please speak to the school office. There is no street dance this half term.

Industrial Action

Please note that the next dates for industrial action are: 27th April and 2nd May. As soon as we can, we will confirm if any classes at Frome Valley are affected.

Attendance Information

In the next day or two an updated attendance sheet will be sent home for every child. Teachers will then be in contact with some parents to discuss these.

Nut Free School Lunches and Snacks

A reminder to everyone that we are a nut free school. Please ensure that all lunches, snacks and drinks do not contain nuts. Thank you for your help

SchoolComms

A quick reminder to all parents that we use SchoolComms for all bookings of clubs and also payments for school trips etc.

If you have not yet registered, please do so as soon as possible.

The first thing we need parents to do is download the SchoolComms app.

Just to confuse things slightly it is called Schoolgateway.

You need to register with the email address and mobile phone number that we hold on file for you.

The below are instructions from the company.

1. Download the Android or iPhone app.
2. Press Sign Up then enter the email and mobile number your school has on record. If you're not sure if they have the right details, it's best to check and update first.
3. Press Send PIN. You will receive a text message with your unique PIN.
4. You're now ready to log in and start using School Gateway

Diary Dates – Summer Term

May

1st – Bank Holiday

8th – Bank Holiday (Kings Coronation)

16th - Parent Drop In (8.15 – 8.40am and 2.15 – 3pm)

17th – Years 1 and 2 school trip

24th – May Day Celebrations 1.15pm

25th – May Day Celebrations (reserve day if wet on 24th) 1.15pm

26th – Last day of half term

29th – 2nd June: Half term

June

5th – Children return to school

15th – Year 3 trip to Dorchester Museum

22nd – Sports Day: 9.15am (Reception class, Years 1 and 2)

22nd – Sports Day: 1.15pm (Years 3 and 4)

23rd – Reserve sports day (if wet on 22nd – timings as above)

27th – Celebration Assembly 2.15pm (Reception class, Years 1 and 2)

28th - Celebration Assembly 2.30pm (Years 3 and 4)

28th – Reception class trip to Moors Valley

30th – Reception class termly reports to parents

July

3rd and 4th – Parent Interviews (Reception class)

6th – Transfer Day

7th – Years 1 – 4 Summary reports – home to parents

11th – Parent Drop In (Years 1 – 4 only) 8.15 – 8.40am and 2.15 – 3pm

12th – School play – performance 1 at 6pm

14th – School play – performance 2 at 6pm

17th – School play – performance 3 at 6pm

19th – Eco Schools Day

20th – Year 4 visit Moors Valley (Leaver's outing)

21st – Last day of term

Please note: children return to school for the 2023 academic year on Friday 1st September