



HALF TERM

The school will be closed from **Monday 24th October to Friday 28th October**. Children should **return to school on Monday 31st October**.

PARENTS' EVENING

Thank you for attending Parents' Evening. If you were not able to attend please contact the school to make an alternative arrangement.

IS YOUR CHILD IN YEAR 6?

You will need to **apply for a secondary school place by 31st October 2022**. Secondary outcomes will be sent by post or email on 1st March 2023. Apply online at surreycc.gov.uk/admissions

CHRIS GRAYLING CHRISTMAS CARD COMPETITION



Thank you to everybody who sent in entries for the Christmas Card Competition.

Congratulations to Oscar in Year 2 whose design has been sent to the Rt.

Hon Chris Grayling MP to be entered into his Christmas Card Competition; the winner of which will be used for his official Christmas card. Best of luck Oscar.

ATTENDANCE POLICY

The [Attendance Policy](#) for Ewell Grove Primary and Nursery School has been amended in line with the updated DfE guidance [Working together to improve school attendance - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](#).

SCHOOL LED TUTORING

Schools have had confirmation that a small amount of additional funding, totalling approximately £5,000 in the case of Ewell Grove, will continue in academic year 2022/23 to facilitate 'School Led Tutoring'. You will see from this figure that it is only intended to support a small number of children; selection is therefore based on those most at risk of not achieving Age Related Expectation (ARE).

Selected children will be invited to attend a series of School-Led Tutoring sessions, delivered by members of staff, as part of this programme. Sessions for children in KS1 will take place during the school day. Children in KS2 will be asked to attend either before or after school. Should your child be selected, you will be contacted by their teacher who will provide further details regarding times and dates.

ROYAL BRITISH LEGION 2022 POPPY APPEAL



Royal British Legion merchandise will be on sale in school during the week beginning **31st October**. Children will be given the opportunity to purchase these during the day.

PLEASE FIND ATTACHED

- Fireside Fridays flyer
- Half Term at Ewell Library flyer

FRIENDS OF EWELL GROVE



Congratulations and thank you for raising such an amazing amount at the Quiz Night; your efforts are very much appreciated.

Click on the [link](#) for information on the **October half term Smarties Challenge**

HELPING HANDS CO-ORDINATORS/PARENT READING VOLUNTEERS MEETING

Helping Hands Co-ordinators (HHC) and parents wishing to become Parent Reading Volunteers are invited to a meeting on **Thursday 3rd November at 2:30 pm**.

PHONICS WORKSHOP FOR PARENTS

On **Thursday 10th November** we will be holding a Phonics Workshop. Time will be confirmed after half term.

DRESS UP FOR CHRISTMAS DAY

Children are welcome to attend school wearing something with a Christmas theme; for example a Christmas jumper, t-shirt, hairband or socks on **Wednesday 14th December**.

KNOWN DATES FOR AUTUMN TERM²

November

Tuesday 1 st 4 ^{pm}	Nearly New Uniform order deadline Letter to Parents
Thursday 3 rd	HHC/Reading Volunteer Meeting
Thursday 3 rd 6 ^{pm}	FOEG Bags2School
Friday 4 th 9 ^{am}	Letter to Parents
Thursday 10 th	Phonics Workshop
Friday 25 th	Governing Board Meeting
Monday 28 th	FOEG Meeting
Wednesday 30 th	Non Uniform Day

December

Thursday 1 st	Y3 Christmas Performance 9:15 ^{am}
Friday 2 nd	Nursery Christmas Performance 9:15 ^{am} Parents invited to see classroom decorations at end of day
	Y1 Christmas Performance 9:15 ^{am}
Wednesday 7 th	Y2 Christmas Performance 9:15 ^{am}
Thursday 8 th	Reception Christmas Performance 9:15 ^{am}
	Y5 Christmas Performance 9:15 ^{am} School Christmas Fair 4-6 ^{pm}
Saturday 10 th	Pantomime : Cinderella
Tuesday 13 th	Talent Shows
Wednesday 14 th	Dress Up for Christmas Day
	Christmas Lunch
Thursday 15 th	Year Group Parties
Friday 16 th	Last day of Autumn Term School finishes at the usual time

School Closed 19th December to 2nd January
Children return to school on Tuesday 3rd January