



SUNNING HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Building a Bright Future Together

Enriching Our Curriculum

As a school, we always try to find ways of making our curriculum fun, exciting and engaging by providing practical experiences, visiting places or inviting visitors into school. These opportunities help to give our children a wide range of different experiences and develop a range of skills.

Here are some of the things we have done so far this year:

Nursery 3 year olds - Visit to the park

Reception - Balance Bikes

Y1 - Blackpool Zoo, Aqualease

Y2 - Smithills Hall, Aqualease

Y3 - Stone Age Workshop, Curious Critters, Romans trip to Chester

Y4 - Bolton Museum, Curious Critters

Y5 - Geography trip, Fort Alice Workshop, Computing workshop, KAPLA workshop

Y6 - Swimming, Anderton Centre, Quarry Bank Mill, Bikeability, Bolton Museum, KAPLA workshop

Whole school - Visit from an Olympian, World Book Day, Number Day.



Litter

We hope that our community has noticed a huge improvement in the local environment around school. Each day a different class is going out into our community to collect litter.

Our Junior Leadership Team think that we all need to work together to make the environment around school safer and a more inviting place to be. They have a simple message for everyone:

PLEASE PUT ALL YOUR LITTER IN THE BIN.

If there is not a bin then take your rubbish home.



Spring/Summer Term Diary Dates

Spring/Summer Term 2025		
Mon - Thurs	17 th - 20 th March	Book Fair
Monday	31 st March	School Closed for Eid
Wednesday	2 nd April	Eid Party – Children can come in their own clothes
End of spring term Holidays – school closes Friday 4th April and reopens Tuesday 22nd April		
Tue - Fri	22 nd April-2 nd May	Y5 Swimming
Friday	25 th April	Y5 Coffee & Cake in aid of Urban Outreach
Monday	28 th April	Y1-Y5 Parents' Evening
Tuesday	29 th April	Parents' Morning 1H 2P 3H 4T 5R
Thursday	1 st May	Parents' Morning 1M 2T 3E 4J 5L
Friday	2 nd May	Y6 Coffee & Cake in aid of Urban Outreach
Monday	5 th May	School closed Bank Holiday.
Wednesday	7 th May	Reception Smithills Farm
Half term holiday – school closes on Friday 23rd May and reopens on Monday 2nd June.		

Please note all dates may be subject to change for unforeseen reasons.

Eid Gifts for the community

There will be many people within our community celebrating Eid. We know that some people are on their own or who are selfless in supporting the community and we want to bring some joy to them by sharing an Eid gift. If you know someone who you feel would appreciate one of these gifts then please email the office by Friday 14th March 2025.

The family or person nominated will need to live within walking distance of Sunning Hill as the children will be hand delivering the gifts.

World Book Day

On Thursday, we celebrated World Book Day by dressing up as our favourite characters, everyone looked fantastic. This week the children have been able to go to a different classroom to listen to a story of their choice.

All children will receive a £1 off book token, this can be used at our school book fair which will take place from Monday 17th – Thursday 20th March.

Reading doesn't just have to be about reading books. Words are everywhere so please encourage your child to read the back of a cereal box, shop names or signs on the motorway.

Parents' Meetings

Parents' Evening for Y1 – Y5 will be on Monday 28th April. We will also have two morning sessions:

Tuesday 29th April - 1H 2P 3H 4T 5R
Thursday 1st May - 1M 2T 3E 4J 5L

We will be using the MCAS parent app to arrange parents' evening this year.

You will have been sent a google form. Please complete this to indicate your preference for either an evening or morning appointment.

Pupils will be allocated to your chosen day on a first come, first served basis. You will then receive a link to choose your time slot.

Please remember that if you have any concern regarding your child, no matter how small, please get in touch. We are always keen to ensure that all our pupils are happy and settled in school. If you or your family needs support, advice or information please visit families@bolton.gov.uk