



Shortlanesend School

Newsletter



12th January 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

The vast majority of children have all settled back into school life really well. It can be difficult returning to school after the Christmas holiday, as children have rooms full of new things and have spent needed and warm time with their families. Thank you for your efforts supporting your child. We look forward to working with you and your children during another busy term.



BINGO Night

FOSS will be holding a night of eyes down action on *Thursday 25th January* starting at 6pm. They are asking for help sourcing the prizes for the evening. As in previous years, if anyone would like to donate any items, including unused or unwanted Christmas gifts, please deliver them to school by *Monday 22nd January*. Items donated in the past include toiletries, confectionary, bottles of wine. Thank you for your support.



Contact Details

If you have moved house recently or changed your mobile number then please call at the office with your new details. Notifying the school with phone numbers is very important in case of any emergency with your children.

P.E . Kit

Can all children have tracksuit bottoms provided in their P.E kit. With the unpredictable weather, a warm P.E kit is essential.



Parents' evenings

These are scheduled for week beginning Monday 12th March - more details to follow

Uniform

As a reminder please do not send your child to school wearing non uniform items such as trainers, non-uniform sweatshirts or jeans (except on special non-uniform days).



Swimming

Swimming on Monday 22nd January will be the last session until it begins again on Monday 19th February due to maintenance of the pool.

Clubs

All clubs are up and running W/C 15.1.18. If your child has not returned their club form then please do so on Monday.



Story Time

Please see attached list with the dates for each class.

If you are booking a holiday make sure it coincides with school breaks. Government guidelines need to be followed regarding holidays. The calendar dates this year are below:

Dates for Spring Term

2018

Monday 22 nd January	Swimming
Thursday 25 th January	Theatre Trip Y234
Monday 12 th February	Half Term Week
Wednesday 28 th March	Last Day of Spring Term
Monday 16 th April	First day of Summer term
Monday 7 th May	School closed
Monday 28 th May -1 st June	Half term
Monday 4 th June	School Closed
Friday 20 th July	Last day of Summer Term