

# The Manor CE Primary School

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### Dates for the Diary



⇒23 Jan: Y2 Jewish Synagogue

⇒25 Jan: YR Phonics Workshop 9am

⇒30 Jan: Y1 Phonics Workshop 9am

⇒30 Jan: Positive Parenting Workshop 1—3pm (email sent today)

 $\Rightarrow$ 9 Feb: Coffee Morning after drop off

⇒9 Feb: Term 3 ends ⇒19 Feb: Term 4 starts

⇒7 Mar: World Book Day (details to follow)

⇒7 Mar: FOMS Clothes Collection

⇒15 Mar: Y6 Residential trip meeting 3.30pm

⇒25/26 Mar: Parent/Carer Consultations (details to follow in due course)

⇒27 Mar: Easter Church Service 1.30pm

⇒28 Mar: Term 4 ends

(new additions in bold type)

## Inset Days 2023/2024

⇒Friday 3 May 2024

⇒Friday 28 June 2024



Please come and join Mrs Mann for a cup of coffee/tea and a natter in the school hall on Friday 9th February 2024 straight after morning drop off.

There is NO Agenda - This will be an opportunity to meet and chat to other parents/carers. The chance to ask questions, share experiences and have a friendly chat while enjoying a much needed cuppal



#### Lost Property

There is a significant collection of hats and gloves in Lost Property. Please see box in foyer if you are missing any. Many thanks

It's been another great week at The Manor. The children continue to amaze us every day with their gem powers in class and outside on the playground.

This weekend, we have a number of children representing our school at a Swimming Gala. Well done to all the children who take part and compete against other children - we know you will all shine like stars! Also, a big thank you to the members of staff who give up their free time to help supervise the children at this event.

We have a number of phonics workshops coming up for parents/carers in Year R and  $\boldsymbol{1}$ 

If you are able to attend, we warmly welcome you! These sessions always prove to be invaluable for parents who are wishing to further support their child with their early reading.

Thank you to all families who have ensured their child comes to school with suitable winter clothing. We know that a number of children prefer to brave the cold and wear shorts, but this isn't something that we encourage in these lower temperatures.

Team Manor



#### Polite Reminder

It is vital that as a parent you inform the school of any absences. We have a duty of care to ensure every child is safe every day. If your child is unwell please telephone or email the school before 9.30am to report the absence, stating the reasons—every day.

#### Norovirus

There has been an increase in cases of Norovirus across the South West. We are following all guidance given by Health Protection Team, South West and UK Health Support Agency.

Norovirus is generally a self-limiting illness probably caused by a virus, but it is very infectious. The most usual symptom is vomiting. Some people may have diarrhoea and/or abdominal pain. Symptoms rarely last for more than 24-48 hours. The incubation period (time it takes for the illness to develop) is between 12 and 48 hours.

If your child is affected, please keep them away from the setting. They should not return until 48 hours after the diarrhoea and vomiting have stopped.

The virus is easily spread from person to person. Good hygiene by everyone in the family reduces the risk.



# Important Dates and things to remember!



We will now be sharing important class dates and any remember to's on this part of our newsletter. Please remember to keep an eye on our Facebook page for class activities! <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/930513833807729">https://www.facebook.com/groups/930513833807729</a>

YR—Phonics Workshop on Thursday 25th January. Google Form link in letter sent this week—please let us know via link if you are able to join us!

Y1—Phonics Workshop on Tuesday 30th January. Please return the form which was sent home last week if you are able to attend—we hope to see as many of you there as possible!

Y1—Please can all children bring Forest School clothing in to school on Thursday 25th January.

ALL children (EXCEPT YEAR R) to wear PE kits in to school next Tuesday 23rd January. Many thanks







## Extra Curricular clubs and activities



We have been asked to share the information on this page with our families. Please note: as a school, we are not able to endorse any of these clubs - we are unable to comment on their suitability or their safeguarding procedures.

Many thanks







Executive Headteacher: Mrs Amanda Flanagan Head of School: Mr John Israel