



Dear Parents/Carers,

We were delighted to return last week for our final term of the academic year. We have lots planned for the children this term. I hope that the warm weather continues so we can enjoy the outside space as much as possible.

I am sure you will have seen the announcement by the Prime Minister that the current restrictions will be in place until 19<sup>th</sup> July. We will continue with the current safety measures in school until the end of the summer term. If the guidance changes during the summer break, I will update our operating procedures and communicate these to parents and carers prior to the start of the autumn term.

### **STAFFING UPDATE**

Mrs Marchant will be leaving Foxmoor at the end of this term. She is moving to Edinburgh where her husband has taken up the post of Deputy Headteacher. Mrs Marchant has been a member of the Foxmoor team for 13 years and has made a huge contribution to the school. I know you will want to join me in saying thank you and wishing her good luck in the future. We have started the recruitment process for an additional teacher. I will keep you updated once the process is complete.

Miss Hayward will be starting her journey to become a qualified teacher in September. She will be attending university one day per week over a period of four years. She will still be working with Mrs Tuck for the remainder of her week.

### **RUGBY TRIAL SESSION**

Minchinhampton RFC are running a 'try' it session for girls from Year 4 upwards on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> June from 10 to 11am. No booking necessary just turn up on the day. Use the postcode GL6 9BA for Satnav directions

### **RSE INFORMATION AND PARENTAL/CARER SURVEY**

Please look out for the email this week that will give information regarding our updated Relationships and Sex Education curriculum. There will also be a link to a parental/carer survey. We will use the results of the survey to inform our updated policy. Please ensure that you read all of the documents you receive, including the frequently asked questions, before you complete the survey.

### **TRI GOLF**

The children had a fantastic time during their Tri-Golf sessions last week. If you are interested in golf sessions outside of school then please click the links below.

[http://www.foxmoorprimary.co.uk/application/files/1716/2375/3779/Foxmoor Primary School you can join the JOLF Club for FREE.pdf](http://www.foxmoorprimary.co.uk/application/files/1716/2375/3779/Foxmoor_Primary_School_you_can_join_the_JOLF_Club_for_FREE.pdf)

[http://www.foxmoorprimary.co.uk/application/files/7816/2375/3847/JOLF Club Flyer.pdf](http://www.foxmoorprimary.co.uk/application/files/7816/2375/3847/JOLF_Club_Flyer.pdf)

## WHOLE SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPH CANCELLATION

Due to the current operating procedures being in place until the end of term we have regrettably had to cancel the planned whole school photograph. We will rearrange this as soon as the guidance allows.

## DIARY DATES

I have added a diary dates section for the 2021/22 academic year at the bottom of this newsletter. All Inset days have already been allocated and I have included other dates that have been set so far. Further dates will be added, so please check the calendar each time the newsletter is issued.

## MENTAL WELL BEING RESOURCES

Please follow the link below for access to a free well-being guide.

[https://03bc9962-9325-4534-93fd-eeee5dede1c0.filesusr.com/ugd/d8edcb\\_187152ac145c417985090c70df2a7d78.pdf?fbclid=IwAR0AYx-iYyHTRgrnXOr\\_j3hnAOCbll3HFwQTtp-7P8NRgm2BwBgUMsiVmcs](https://03bc9962-9325-4534-93fd-eeee5dede1c0.filesusr.com/ugd/d8edcb_187152ac145c417985090c70df2a7d78.pdf?fbclid=IwAR0AYx-iYyHTRgrnXOr_j3hnAOCbll3HFwQTtp-7P8NRgm2BwBgUMsiVmcs)

## CORONAVIRUS REPORTING

Details of the three main coronavirus symptoms and what to do if your child or a family member has symptoms or tests positive is set out in the section below. **Under no circumstances are parents to send children into school knowing that their child has been in contact with a suspected or confirmed case.** This is so we can keep all of our school community safe.

## INFECTION PREVENTION AND RESPONSE

It is vital that we all work together to minimise the risk of any coronavirus outbreak. The government have issued clear guidance on what to do if anyone within your household has any of the three main coronavirus symptoms. The three main symptoms are fever, a continuous dry cough or loss of sense of smell or taste. Please see the table below for what to do if any member of your household shows any of these symptoms.

What to do if...	Action needed	Return to school when...
My child has coronavirus symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Do not come to school</li><li>Self-isolate</li><li>Get a test</li><li>Inform school immediately about the test result</li></ul>	The test comes back negative
My child tests positive for coronavirus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Do not come to school</li><li>Self-isolate for at least 10 days</li><li>Inform school immediately about the test result</li></ul>	They can return to school after 10 days even if they have a cough or loss of smell/taste. These symptoms can last for several weeks once the virus has gone
Somebody in my house has coronavirus symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Do not come to school</li><li>Self-isolate</li><li>Household member to get a test</li><li>Inform school immediately about the test result</li></ul>	The household member test is negative.
Somebody in my household tested positive for coronavirus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Do not come to school</li><li>Self-isolate for 10 days</li></ul>	The child has completed 10 days of self-isolation
NHS test and trace has identified my child as a 'close contact' of somebody	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Do not come to school</li><li>Self-isolate for 10 days</li></ul>	The child has completed 10 days of self-isolation

with symptoms or confirmed coronavirus		
We/my child has travelled and has to self-isolate as part of a period of quarantine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do not take unauthorised leave in term time</li> <li>Consider quarantine requirements and FCO advice when booking travel</li> <li>Provide information to school as per attendance policy</li> </ul> <p>Returning from a destination where quarantine period is required</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do not come to school</li> <li>Self-isolate for 10 days</li> </ul>	The quarantine period of 10 days has been completed
We have received medical advice that my child must resume shielding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do not come to school</li> <li>Contact school to discuss distance learning</li> <li>Shield until you are informed that restrictions are lifted and shielding is paused again</li> </ul>	Medical professional informs you that restrictions have been lifted and your child can return to school again

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Headteacher

## **INFORMATION**

### **School and Governor Contact:**

01453 757251

Facebook @foxmoorprimaryschool

### **Family Lives Helpline:**

0808 800 2222

[www.familylives.org](http://www.familylives.org)

### **Early Help Partnership Families First Plus Stroud:**

01452 328130

[www.glosfamiliesdirectory.org.uk](http://www.glosfamiliesdirectory.org.uk)

### **School Nurse Contact:**

0300 421 8959

### **Early Years and Childcare:**

0800 542 02 02

### **Gloucestershire County Council:**

[www.gloucestershire.gov.uk](http://www.gloucestershire.gov.uk)

### **Friends of Foxmoor (FOF)**

Facebook @friendsoffoxmoorschool

Contact: Natalie Hombrado via the school office

## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

Please find below a list of current visits planned and some important dates. I hope you find it useful. Further dates will be added in subsequent newsletters.

<b>Summer 2021</b>	<b>Term 6</b>
16 <sup>th</sup> June	Class and Leavers' Photographs
18 <sup>th</sup> June	Bridget Durrant (Archway) to meet Year 6 and Parents
21 <sup>st</sup> June	Year 5 Bikeability Week
21 <sup>st</sup> June	Archway Lesson Year 6
22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Reception Height and Weight Check
24 <sup>th</sup> June	KS1 Maypole Dancing - TBC
28 <sup>th</sup> June	Archway Lesson Year 6
30 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Day
30 <sup>th</sup> June	New parents Meeting
1 <sup>st</sup> July	Dance Workshop
2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Year 6 Transition Day - Archway and Stroud High School
5 <sup>th</sup> July	Archway Lesson Year 6
6 <sup>th</sup> July	End of Year Reports to Parents
7 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Wilderness Centre
8 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Wilderness Centre
9 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Transition Day - Maidenhill
9 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 5 Activity Morning at Archway
12 <sup>th</sup> July	Maidenhill New Parents Meeting 6.30pm at Maidenhill
19 <sup>th</sup> July	Meet New Teacher Session for Children
20 <sup>th</sup> July	Last day of Term 6 for children
21 <sup>st</sup> July	Inset Day

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2021/22

<b>Autumn 2021</b>	<b>Term 1</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> September	Inset Day
3 <sup>rd</sup> September	Inset Day
6 <sup>th</sup> September	First Day of Term for Children
7 <sup>th</sup> September	Year 5 Visit to South Cerney Water Park
8 <sup>th</sup> September	Year 4 Visit to Far Peak
9 <sup>th</sup> September	Year 3 Visit to Far Peak
22 <sup>nd</sup> October	Last day of Term 1
<b>Autumn 2021</b>	<b>Term 2</b>
1 <sup>st</sup> November	Inset Day
2 <sup>nd</sup> November	First day of Term 2 for Children
17 <sup>th</sup> December	Last day of Term 2
<b>Spring 2022</b>	<b>Term 3</b>
4 <sup>th</sup> January	First day of Term 3
18 <sup>th</sup> February	Last day of Term 3

<b>Spring 2022</b>	<b>Term 4</b>
28 <sup>th</sup> February	Inset Day
1 <sup>st</sup> March	First day of Term 4 for Children
8 <sup>th</sup> April	Last day of Term 4
<b>Summer 2022</b>	<b>Term 5</b>
25 <sup>th</sup> April	First day of Term 5
2 <sup>nd</sup> May	May Day Bank Holiday
9 <sup>th</sup> May	KS2 SATs Week
23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Year 5/6 BMX Day
24 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 3/4 Skateboard Day
26 <sup>th</sup> May	Last day of Term 5 for children
27 <sup>th</sup> May	Inset Day
<b>Summer 2022</b>	<b>Term 6</b>
6 <sup>th</sup> June	First day of Term 6
6 <sup>th</sup> June	KS1 Phonics Screening Check Week
22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Sports Day
22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Last day of Term 6 for children