

Sculthorpe CE Primary Academy



Half Term Newsletter
20th December 2023

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Our vision

We are 3 small schools where big things happen;
We celebrate the hidden treasure that we can nurture with joy and hope in every child.
We foster independence, develop courage and resilience and shape our children to be life-long learners so that they may -
Have faith, FLOURISH and fly high.

Head of School

Another busy term has come to an end with a whole range of Christmas fun and activities. Many thanks to you all for supporting all our Christmas events, I am sure you will agree with me what amazing children we have here at Sculthorpe. They have sang, danced and performed brilliantly and I have been so proud of them all.

I am always more than happy for you to contact me either on Class Dojo or through the office, please note my non-teaching days are Mondays and Tuesdays.

Wishing you a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

School Day Timings

Our school hours are...

Arrival - gates open from 8:40 to 8:50am, registers close at 8:55am

Departure - school day ends at 3:15pm

Breakfast Club - 7:45 to 8:45am

After School Club/Childcare - 3:15 to 4:30pm

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Staff News

Following Miss Bennett's resignation, we are delighted to let you know that we have appointed Mrs Alice Daynes as Dragonflies Class Teaching Assistant and Miss Freya Nash as a Teaching Assistant who will initially be working in the Butterflies Class. We welcome them both to our school on 4th January.

Uniform

At Sculthorpe Church of England Primary Academy we require all students to wear a school uniform. Our school uniform helps our pupils to feel part of our school community and has been chosen to be comfortable and appropriate for the activities pupils will undertake during the school day. We are promoting positive behaviours and attitudes in school at the moment, uniform is an important part of this. We would value your support as parents in promoting this with your children at home and ensuring that they are correctly dressed for school at all time.

School Uniform - dark trousers, skirt etc with white polo shirt, royal blue jumper or cardigan.

PE - Monday - children to come in school in their PE kit. This will consist of dark tracksuit bottoms, leggings or shorts. We would like children to wear a coloured t-shirt for their house team to encourage a sense of belonging. We will let you know which colour house team if you don't know. These don't need to be with a logo they can just simply be from a supermarket.

Forest School - Wednesday (we will let you know when this affects your class) - dark clothing to be worn with a minimum amount of pattern/logo etc. Warm clothing, a coat and welly boots!

Morning Break Snack

We are promoting healthy eating at school and to help with this, the children in Fireflies and Dragonflies Classes can bring a piece of fruit or vegetable for them to eat during morning break time. Please can these be the only snacks brought to school for morning break time, if they have a packed lunch then other snacks can be provided for lunch. Children in Butterflies Class have free fruit and vegetables provided by the Government for their morning snack.

Diary Dates

This Half term ~

PE days are a Monday

Dragonflies Swimming on Thursdays

No Forest Schools sessions

January

Thursday 4th ~ Return to school

February

Friday 16th ~ PTA Valentines Disco 4:30-6pm (tbc)

Friday 16th ~ Break up for Half Term