



Franklin Times

13<sup>th</sup> October

Dear Parents

I have enjoyed visiting the children in their after school clubs this week, now that they are well underway.

Next week is our hedge planting day, on Thursday the 19<sup>th</sup> October, each class will have a 20 minute slot, see below; parents are invited to join us during their child's timeslot to help plant a hedge along the length of our Harvist and Kempe Road borders; access will be via the KS2 gate on Kempe Road (Reception will have a planting day in the Spring term).

Time	Class
09.00 – 09.20	Y1 East Anglia
09.20 – 09.40	Y1 Queensland
09.40 – 10.00	Y1 Hibernia
10.00 – 10.20	Y5 Deakin
10.20 – 10.40	Y5 Auckland
10.40 – 11.00	Y5 Limerick
11.00 – 11.20	Y3 Manchester
11.20 – 11.40	Y3 Wimbledon
11.40 – 12.00	Y3 Birmingham
12.00 – 12.20	Y6 Exeter
12.20 – 12.40	Y6 St Andrews
13.00 – 13.20	Y2 Royal Holloway
13.20 – 13.40	Y2 Sheffield
13.40 – 14.00	Y2 Nottingham
14.00 – 14.20	Y4 UCL
14.20 – 14.40	Y4 Liverpool
14.40 – 15.00	Y4 Sussex

Next Friday after school, there will be a bake sale organised by the PTA in the KS2 playground, please drop off all contributions to the school office by midday on the day: no nuts allowed.



Headteacher's thought for the week

Wherever you go, no matter what the weather, always bring your own sunshine.

Year six parents: applications for secondary school

You must apply online by 31<sup>st</sup> October for your child's secondary school place for September 2018; Mrs De Lucia in the office can assist with this.

NB We break up for half term next Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October, this will be a non-uniform day, a £1 donation is requested for the privilege; monies collected will go towards replenishing our library.

Key dates for your diary

Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> October	Community hedge planting
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> October	Half term holiday begins Bake Sale
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> November	School Discos R/KS1 from 4.00-5.00pm KS2 from 5.30-7.00pm
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> December	Staff training day Franklin closed
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	Winter Fayre from 3.00-6.00pm
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> December	Nursery, Reception & Y1/2 Christmas performances
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Y3/4/5/6 Christmas performances
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Last day: Christmas holidays from 2.00pm

Please note the PTA are organising two school discos on the 1<sup>st</sup> November, timings above, tickets will be available from the school office from Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October and will be priced at £3.00 per child; supplies are limited to 200 tickets per disco, so do not delay.

Have a wonderful weekend, looking like a sunny one!

Warmest regards  
Janine Ryan  
Principal of Ark Franklin