



## Newsletter

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News and events from Salisbury Primary

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## WELCOME BACK!

Welcome back, we hope that you all had a wonderful holiday and are prepared for another fantastic year ahead at Salisbury Primary. We already have a lot planned for this half term, including International Week, Harvest Festival, Arts Week, Art Open Morning and, as always, much much more!



## NEW FAMILIES

We are pleased and excited to extend a warm welcome all our new families, especially our Early Years pupils who are at the very start of their learning journey here at Salisbury. We know that you will all make one another feel comfortable and supported. We have two events for our new families taking place on 20th September. There will be an opportunity for new families to meet one another, as well as to find out information from our PTA, Friends of Salisbury School (FoSS) at 9am in the canteen. Our Nursery and Reception parents and children are invited to attend a Welcome to EYFS Afternoon Tea in the Greenspace at 3.30pm.



## CONTACT US

If you have any questions or issues you would like to discuss, please speak to any member of school staff. You may contact them via the school office in person or by phone 020 7624 0311 or email to [admin@salisbury.brent.sch.uk](mailto:admin@salisbury.brent.sch.uk). You can usually speak to your child's class teacher or make an appointment at the end of the school day during pick up. We appreciate your patience and understanding that staff need to ensure that pupils are dismissed safely before they can meet with parents.



## PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT

We have planned lots of opportunities for families to come into school over the year. In addition to meeting with teachers at parent conferences and looking in books, families are invited to open mornings for different subjects to see your children learning in lessons. We hold regular coffee mornings to share curriculum and other information in workshops that give parents an insight into the way we teach your children. Hopefully you can come along to the ones that interest you and enjoy a coffee (or tea). We are looking to offer different times for these sessions as we know that our usual Friday mornings do not suit everyone. Please make sure you keep an eye out for dates and times by reading the newsletter, website and by following us on Twitter.

Our first meetings start next week giving you the opportunity to visit your child in their new class and their new class teacher. The dates and times are as follows:

- Monday 9th September: **Year 1**
- Tuesday 10th September: **Year 2**
- Wednesday 11th September: **Year 4**
- Thursday 12th:September: **Year 3**
- Friday 13th September: **Years 5 and 6**

The meetings will take place in your child's classroom between 8.30-9am.

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## ENRICHMENT WEEKS

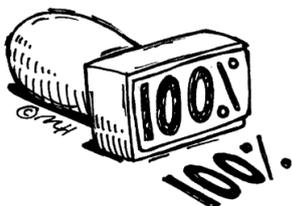
At Salusbury Primary, we offer variety of enrichment weeks across the academic year that enhance your child's learning. In the next couple of months we have International and Arts week.

### INTERNATIONAL WEEK: 23<sup>RD</sup>-27<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER

We are a multicultural school with over 35 ethnicities and 41 languages spoken. During International Week which commences the week beginning 23rd September, we will be celebrating learning about different continents and countries. The week ends with a wonderful FoSS-organised International Evening event that this year will take place on Thursday 26th September where you will be able to see wonderful displays, as well as try a variety of international cuisines.

### ARTS WEEK: 14<sup>TH</sup>-17<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER

As a Platinum Arts Mark Award School, we are enormously proud of the amazing Art provision in our school. Ms Lynne, our Art Leader, is planning a fabulous week for everyone to enjoy and participate in. We will be sharing more information later in the month but please put the following date in your diary. All parents are invited to see Art at Salusbury during the Art Open Morning that will take place on Thursday 17th October at 9am.



### ATTENDANCE

We ended last year with an attendance percentage of 96.1% and this year we will continue to work with you towards achieving at least 97% attendance. We are delighted to announce the pupils who achieved 100% attendance last year! Well done to the following 31 pupils on coming to school every single day!

Name	2018/19 Class	Name	2018/19 Class
Ewan AH	SUNS - 2	Da'Jarne MG	TANZ - 5
Grace B	AZUR - 1	Jahmel M	OBSID - 4
Cissy C	RHOD - R	Joaquim M	TANZ - 5
Nova C	OBSID - 4	Ella M	MORG - 3
Theo D	RUBY - R	Alice N	TOPAZ - 5
Syrie D	AZUR - 1	Ella RW	AQUA - 1
Fleurmarie G	AMET - 1	Isaiah R	MALA - 3
Jeanne G	MOON - 3	Max R	TANZ - 5
Joel H	TANZ - 5	Daniel T	MALA - 3
Samara H	TURQ - 5	Dylan T	MALA - 3
Sabrina H	TOPAZ - 5	Maria VA	AZUR - 1
Leo H	SUNS - 2	Ionela V	SUNS - 2
Alice L	AQUA - 1	Perry W	AQUA - 1
Jacob L	OBSID - 4	Eddie Y	RHOD - R
Alice M	ONYX - 4	Zac Y	MORG - 3
Omar MEM	MALA - 3		

### BEFORE SCHOOL SUPERVISION

Please be reminded that whilst the school gate opens at 8.30am, children should not be left unsupervised in the playground. Staff are in class preparing for their lessons and getting ready to welcome pupils into school when the bell rings for soft start at 8.45am. Just to confirm that school does not start until 9am but teachers open their classrooms early every morning to support parents and pupils to have a great start to the day. If you are not able to supervise your child until 8.45 and require childcare in the morning, please contact Fit4Sport for information about the breakfast club they offer.

### KEY DATES

Autumn 2019

EYFS Welcome  
Tea Party  
20th September

Y5 Residential  
w/c 23rd  
September

International  
Week  
w/c 23rd  
September

International  
Evening  
26th September

Jade Assembly  
3rd October

Jasper Assembly  
10th October

Arts Week  
w/c 14th October

Jet Assembly  
16th October

Art Open  
Morning  
17th October  
9am

INSET  
Friday 18th  
October

Half-term  
21st-25th  
October

Pupils back  
28th October



Artsmark  
Platinum Award  
Awarded by Arts  
Council England