



Thank you to our fantastic PA who have organised lots of successful events and raised a significant amount of money towards our Waddesdon visit and our playground project. The children are really enjoying their playtimes!

Thank you also to our volunteers and parent helpers who have supported children's learning, educational visits and our Forest School provision.

Best wishes to our Year 2 children and their families. We have loved having the children with us over the last three to four years. We are sad to see them go but know that they are all ready for their next challenge.

We are really proud of all of the children for their behaviour, courage and enthusiasm over our **Waddesdon visit, our Sports Day and our end of year performances.** It is easy to forget how very young these children are when they show such mature team spirit and cooperation!

Curricular Clubs

Mrs Starr has worked hard to organise our clubs for next term. We do follow set criteria for the allocation of club places.

For some children in the first term of Year 1, we suggest that they settle into their new routines and become acquainted with their new adults before they take on a club. We will look at our processes for doing this as parents have suggested it is done before, rather than after, the clubs letter.

We do make sure that the children who have not been allocated a club in the first round get priority in the next round.

Zumba Gold – classes for adults run from our school hall on Thursday evenings at 6:15pm. Classes last 45 minutes and cost £2 for the first class and £5 after that. Contact Julia on 07779 339984, email exstress@tiscali.co.uk

Reports

We hope that you found your child's end of year report informative. Thank you to all parents who have returned their comment slip. Your feedback is always much appreciated.

School Uniform

From September our school uniform is as follows:

- Red or navy sweatshirts / cardigans
- Polo shirts (red, white or blue)
- Grey, black, navy 'bottoms', e.g. trousers, shorts, pinafores, skirts. In Nursery we suggests tracksuit bottoms or leggings
- In the summer an optional extra of red or blue gingham dresses
- Sensible footwear, i.e. closed toed and flat
- A change of clothes for PE including: plimsolls, black shorts and a white 'T' shirt
- No jewellery, other than plain stud earrings which should be taped on PE days

Please note that children **can wear their own football, gym kits** for after-school curriculum clubs.

Attendance Reports

Well done to all of the children who achieved the expected 95% attendance. Check our website for school holiday dates. Please avoid booking holidays in school time as it does impact on learning and on friendships. We are required by law to chase absence below 95%, whatever the reasons.

Due to popular demand Mr Cooksley has started a **girl's football club at the Radcliffe School** on a Saturday. Following a successful first block of sessions this club will continue next term. For more information please email girlsfootballstony@gmail.com The aim of the sessions is to get active, socialise, enhance the girl's ability and to have fun.

We hope that you all have a lovely summer!



Russell Street School

Dates for your diaries

See also: www.russell-street-school.co.uk

AUGUST

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SEPTEMBER

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| 4-9-18 | School Starts |
| | Reception Stay and Play |
| 4 th to 7 th | Nursery Induction visits |
| 5-9-18 | Reception morning session 9am to 12noon |
| 6-9-18 | Reception all day offer |
| 10-9-18 | Nursery starts |
| | Clubs start this week |
| 27-9-18 | Governor committee meeting |
| 28-9-18 | Harvest collection and assembly |

OCTOBER

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| 1-10-18 | Poetry Week |
| 11-10-18 | Open Day |
| | Governor committee meeting |
| 24-10-18 | Parents' Evening 3pm to 6pm |
| 25-10-18 | Parents' Evening 3pm to 5pm, 6pm to 8pm |
| | Full Governing Body meeting |
| | End of half term |