



# Lancastrian News



Lancastrian Academy Newsletter  
July 2021

MESSAGE FROM MRS HARDY

Dear Parents and Carers,

'Hello', to you all from once again a rather empty school! Sadly we had to send our Year 2 pupils home to isolate last week, along with some members of staff. We very much miss all our staff and pupils who are not with us at the moment and we look forward to when you are back with us next Monday.

We are now fast approaching the end of term. Just to remind you that we will have our transition morning on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July when all pupils will have the opportunity to meet with their new teacher.

We will be saying goodbye to our lovely year 2 class. Mrs Turner will let you know what we have planned for our year 2 children.

I am aware that quite a few children are coming to school in trainers. I have let this go as it has been a difficult time and many children grew out of school shoes in lockdown. That said, as from September, pupils will be required to wear black school shoes in line with the school uniform policy. I will send out the policy as a reminder.

You many have noticed flowers springing up in baskets and tubs around Lancastrian. These are the entries for the DCAT in bloom competition. I'll let you know how we get on. I would just like to say a thank you to Hilliers Garden Centre at Bosham for their generous donation of plants. It was greatly appreciated.

This is the last newsletter before the holidays so it just leaves me to say, have a great, safe summer.

Mrs Hardy

## NEWS AND UPDATES

### DCAT in bloom

Thank you to staff and pupils for the display of flowers and vegetables around the school.



## Pupil Reports

Pupils reports will go out on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> July. This is slightly later than planned due to some pupils and teachers not being in school.

## Clubs

There will be no year 1 football club this week. This was to be the last one of the term but unfortunately both Mr Mac and Mr Savage will not be able to lead it. Therefore football club has now finished for this academic year.



**SCHOOL  
UNIFORMS**

For those of you who will be in Lancastrian in September, your new jumper or cardigan and book bag are ready for collection from the school office.

**CELEBRATE**



<b>Class</b>	<b>Good work award</b>	<b>Demonstrating Lancastrian 5 value award</b>
Squirrels	Xander Bruno	Eliza Harvey
Foxes	Daisy Harvey	Prakriti Arthur
Owls	Tilly Indiana	Ellie Junior

Well done to these children who were chosen by their teacher for good work.

## DATES TO REMEMBER



Save the date! Friday 10<sup>th</sup> September at 2pm, share in the celebrations of our new school name with us. We look forward to seeing you all then

### School Term Dates – 2021



<b>Summer Term 2021</b> Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> April 2021	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July 2021
<b>Half Term</b> Monday 31 <sup>st</sup> May 2021	Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> June 2021

**INSET DAYS:**

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2021

### School Term Dates – 2021/2022

<b>Autumn Term 2021</b> Thursday 2nd September 2021	Friday 17th December 2021
<b>Half Term</b> Monday 25th October 2021	Friday 29th October 2021
<b>Spring Term 2022</b> Tuesday 4th January 2022	Friday 8th April 2022
<b>Half Term</b> Monday 21st February 2022	Friday 25th February 2022
<b>Summer Term 2022</b> Monday 25th April 2022	Friday 22nd July 2022
<b>Half Term</b> Monday 30th May 2022	Friday 3rd June 2022

**INSET DAYS:**

Thursday 2nd & Friday 3rd September 2021

Tuesday 4th January 2022

Monday 28th February 2022

Monday 6th June 2022

## REMINDERS



### **Please Note as this continues to be an ongoing problem**

#### **Parking**

The yellow zig zag markings in Orchard Gardens are a '**no stop zone**' and no cars should be stopping on these zig zags at any point. Zig Zag lines outside schools are there to protect your children.



During the summer children are encouraged to wear a sun hat at playtimes and to have suncream applied before school.

Please remember to send your child in with a water bottle, especially as the weather is getting warmer.



Ofsted Parent View gives you the chance to tell Ofsted what you think of your child's school, the questionnaire can be completed at any time - you do not have to wait until the school is being inspected.

Parent View

<https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/>

If you go to the above website and click on 'give your views' you will need to register and then you will be sent a log in password. You will then be able to complete the questionnaire online.

**You will be aware that guidance for schools has changed following the latest Government announcement on the removal of restrictions. This is a link to the latest Government guidance for schools:**

[https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment\\_data/file/999689/Schools\\_guidance\\_Step\\_4\\_update\\_FINAL.pdf](https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/999689/Schools_guidance_Step_4_update_FINAL.pdf)

## INTERNET SAFETY

This is a link to a website you may find useful when thinking about internet safety for your child:

Help and advice for families in a digital world <https://parentinfo.org/>

Attendance Matters!



Every Student, Every School, Every Day

## **Attendance Expectations:**

It is vital for all children to attend school to minimise, as far as possible, the longer-term impact of the pandemic on children's education, wellbeing and wider development. Missing out on more time in the classroom risks pupils falling further behind. Those with higher overall absence tend to achieve less well in both primary and secondary school. School attendance has been mandatory from 8<sup>th</sup> March 2021.

*Attendance expectations from the WSCC Compliance and Pupil Entitlement Office include the ability to issue sanctions, including fixed penalty notices in line with the local authorities code of conduct.*