

**21st May 2021****Summer 1 Week 6****Special Points of Interest**

- Swimming Y5/6
- Nursery
- FS2 Places
- Attendance

**Dates for your diary**

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w/c 24th May  
Class 5/6 swimming

**INSET DAY**  
Friday 28th May

**HALF TERM**  
31st May - 4th June

**Lottery Winner**

*This could be you !*

This week's winner was Ms Fogg staff member. Next week it could be you. Join now.

Hello there!

As you can see from the attendance figures below, we have a couple of classes doing really well with attendance. In fact, from March 8th to now, our whole school attendance is 95% which is incredible and a massive improvement on previous years.

Attendance is one of the many aspects of school evaluated by Ofsted. School's with low attendance will be judged as less than good.

We want our attendance to stay above 95% so, please:

Every child in school every day;

No holidays, day-trips or treat days during term-time;

Send your child in even if they are a bit tired—we will look after them!

**Foundation Stage 2 : September 2021**

Reminder for parents whose child has been offered a place in Foundation 2 at Sandbrook in September - you need to accept the place for your child. Foundation places are administered by the Local Authority, so please follow the instructions received in your offer letter / email.

**This week's class attendance**

FS2	1/2	3/4	5/6
90.9%	94.4%	96.4%	97.8%

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## Half Term

School will be closed Friday 28th May till Monday 7th June.

The closure incorporates an INSET Day and the Whitsun half term. We are still in a pandemic so please follow the social distance rules of HANDS, FACE, SPACE and only meet up with other families in an outside space where possible.

## Reminder : Swimming—Week 2—Y5/Y6

Children in year 5/6 are swimming next week Monday to Thursday. Please make sure children come to school swim wear ready—changing rooms will only be available after their swim. Please ensure your child has their towel and change of underwear with them every morning.

## Sandbrook Nursery

Do you know anyone looking for a nursery place? Children are able to attend Sandbrook's nursery from the term after their 3rd birthday.

Following a successful trial, we are no longer restricting sessions to 'morning only'. There are numerous options possible, for example, children can:

- stay for full days (to fit around parent's working hours)
- attend afternoons only
- attend mornings, then stay for paid 'additional hours'

Please call into reception for an application form or for further details. It's never too early to put your child on the waiting list.