



The Southbourne Junior School Satellite



November 2025 NEWSLETTER

Welcome to our November newsletter. Please remember to send your child to school with a suitable coat for wet and cold weather.

- ◆ **PARENT CONSULTATIONS**—It was wonderful to see so many of you at our parent consultation evenings. If you were unable to attend or missed your appointment, please speak to the office or directly to the class teacher to arrange a convenient time to rearrange a meeting or phone call.
- ◆ **WORLD OUTDOOR CLASSROOM DAY**— Our children had a wonderful time celebrating World Outdoor Classroom day. Look out for our article which should appear in the Village magazine!
- ◆ **CHILDREN IN NEED**—The school council would like to thank you for your donations for Children in Need, raising £238! As a school we would like to thank our school council for their ideas of wearing something Pudsey, yellow or spotty and the time given in their lunch hour for organising and running the craft activities.
- ◆ **CHRISTMAS DINNER AND JUMPER DAY**—Christmas jumper day, for Save the Children, is on Friday 12th December. Children are invited to wear Christmas jumpers, or decorate a jumper with tinsel, for a voluntary donation towards this charity. Don't forget to order your child's Christmas lunch. There will be roast turkey or Quorn roast, with roast potatoes, carrots, broccoli, mini sausage, stuffing and gravy. For dessert the children will receive a festive chocolate brownie. You can book directly on ParentPay.com by Thursday 27th November.
- ◆ **CHRISTMAS DISCO**—Our staff will be hosting the Christmas Discos on Wednesday 17th December. Year 3 and 4 will run from the end of the school day until 4.30pm, followed by Year 5 and 6 at 4.45pm –5.45pm. Please complete the slip and send in the money as soon as possible so we can purchase the correct amount of snacks. Thank you.
- ◆ **SWIMMING** - Swimming lessons for Year 4 children start in the spring term, 16th January –27th March, (10 weeks). A letter with further information will be given in early January. A voluntary contribution of £7.50 per week covers the lesson and travel.

◆ DIARY DATES

Fri 28th Nov	Y3 Egyptian workshop
Tues 2nd Dec	Flu nasal spray vaccination
Fri 5th Dec	FOSS Secret Shopping
Tues 9th Dec	CYE Christmas assembly
Fri 12th Dec	Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day
Fri 12th Dec	Christmas concert rehearsal
Mon 15th Dec	Christmas concert 2.15pm
Tues 16th Dec	Christmas concert 9am and 2.15pm
Wed 17th Dec	Christmas Disco
Fri 19th Dec	Last day of autumn term
Mon 5th Jan	Back to school for spring term
Wed 21st Jan	Young Voices at O2 (club)
Wed 4th Feb	Open afternoon
Tues 10th Feb	Safer Internet Day
Mon 16th Feb	Half term
Mon 23rd Feb	INSET DAY
Wed 25th Feb	Parents' Evening
Thurs 26th Feb	Parents' Evening
Thurs 5th March	World Book Day
9th—13th March	British Science Week
Fri 27th March	FOSS Easter Tombola
Fri 27th March	Last day of spring term
Mon 30th March	Easter Holidays
Mon 13th April	Children return to school for summer term
Wed 29th April	Open afternoon
Mon 4th May	Bank Holiday
Mon 11th May	SATs week
Mon 18th May	Sports Week
Fri 22nd May	Sports Day am
Mon 25th May	Half term
Mon 1st June	INSET DAY
Wed 1st July	Transition Day
Wed 22nd July	Last day of term

Online Safety For Parents - Shopping Scams:

Every year hundreds of thousands of people in the UK fall victim to fraud when buying something online. With Christmas rapidly approaching, fraud and scams will be significantly on the increase.

GetSafeOnline has a plethora of information to help :

<https://www.getsafeonline.org/purchasescams/>

<https://www.getsafeonline.org/checkawebsite/>

