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Dear Parent/s,

Last Day of Term

Friday 17th July will be our last day before the summer break and we will be finishing early. Please see finish times below. Year 3 are due into school that day and in order that they get maximum time in school they are invited to attend Thursday 16th instead. Same gate, same time, just Thursday 16th!

Last day of term finish times

Year	Gate	Time
Nursery	4	1.30pm
Reception	2 & 4	1pm
Year 1	1 & 3	1pm
Year 5	1 & 4	1.15pm
Keyworker	Pedestrian	1.15pm

We have now received further guidance from the government regarding the full opening of schools in September 2020. We are able to provide you with an update of how St Ives will look in September.

The new academic year begins on the 3rd September 2020 for all children apart from Reception and Nursery. Reception and Nursery will receive individual letters regarding transition and settle sessions during the first two days of term before starting full time on the 7th September. We look forward to welcoming all children back to school. The guidance states that bubbles will now be 'class bubbles' which allows the school to provide at least some consistent staffing throughout the school day. The rules regarding attendance will resume as of September, it is therefore expected that your child returns to school in the normal manner.

Staggered start and finish times will continue in September to ensure children do not mix with other children from a different 'bubble'. This will be between 8.40- 9am. You will be notified which time and gate your child will need to come in through nearer the time. Each class will be split in half and will be met by the class teacher or TA at two different gates, this allows for children to arrive and leave safely and swiftly. There will continue to be no parents on the school site and it will be your responsibility to adhere to social distancing whilst queuing and ensure only one adult drops off and picks up.

Breakfast School Club and After

This will resume from 3rd September with Breakfast club starting at 7.45am and After School club finishing at 6pm. Social distancing will be in place as much as possible for children in different year groups. Please book and pay online through Bookwhen.

www.bookwhen.com/stivesprimary

Forerunner

Don't forget to log onto forerunner and register your child for school lunches for September. Any problems please contact the school office.

<https://forerunner.myschoolmealorders.com/login.aspx>

School uniform

There is still school uniform available from the school office. Black school shoes will be expected to be worn as of September.

Winter uniform:

Grey trousers/skirt/pinafore, white school polo shirt, blue school jumper/cardigan, black shoes

PE kit:

Blue shorts, white school t-shirt, black jogging bottoms, plimsolls, trainers for outside (NOT Reception)

KS2 - school hoody, blue socks

Music Lessons

Please make sure you respond to the music letter sent out through Teachers to Parents if you wish your child to have the opportunity to learn a musical instrument. This is for Y3-6.

Nursery Closure

Nursery is closed Monday 13th and Tuesday 14th July for Reception transition sessions.

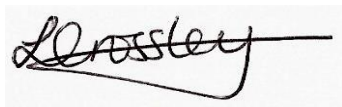
Key Workers

Government guidance states schools will not remain open over the summer holidays to key/critical workers. However, if you are having difficulty finding childcare please contact www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/children-families/get-help-for-your-family/family-information-service and they will be able to support you.

Class News

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| Nursery | - | have been impressing Fred by practising their letter formation using their froggy fingers. |
| Reception | - | have been practising their addition skills and learning to count on from the biggest number. |
| Year 1 | - | have been regrouping ones and tens when adding in maths this week! |
| Year 2 | - | have enjoyed finding out about the Moon and writing their own fact pages. |
| Year 3 | - | have enjoyed designing treehouses and making up PE games to do at home. |
| Year 4 | - | have had great fun playing dodgeball in PE getting Miss Medcraft and Mrs Aldous involved too! |
| Year 5 | - | have been discussing the theme of discrimination and exploring what we can do to prevent it. |
| Year 6 | - | have finished all their Ringwood pride pieces and are now looking forward to spending their last 4 days together at St Ives Primary School. |

Thinking of you all, stay alert, stay at home.



Mrs L Crossley
Headteacher

