



Dates for the Diary

HALF TERM HOLIDAY

Monday 21 October 2019 to Friday 25 October 2019

AUTUMN TERM (CONTINUED)

Monday 28 October 2019 to Friday 20 December 2019

SPRING TERM

Monday 6 January 2020 to Friday 21 February 2020

HALF TERM HOLIDAY

Monday 24 February 2020 to Friday 28 February 2020

SPRING TERM (CONTINUED)

Monday 2 March 2020 to Thursday 9 April 2020

EASTER HOLIDAY

Friday 10 April 2020 to Friday 24 April 2020

SUMMER TERM

Monday 27 April 2020 to Friday 22 May 2020
May Day Bank Holiday, Friday 8 May 2020

HALF TERM HOLIDAY

Monday 25 May 2020 to Friday 29 May 2020

SUMMER TERM (CONTINUED)

Monday 1 June 2020 to Tuesday 21 July 2020

SUMMER HOLIDAY

Begins Wednesday 22 July 2020

All term dates are on our website:

<http://www.johngulson.coventry.sch.uk/parents-info/term-dates/>

Friday 27th September

Macmillan Coffee Morning 9-10am

Dinner Money Reminder

Dinner money has increased this term to £2.20 per day, £11.00 per week. Can you please make sure that this is paid every Monday in an envelope with child's name, class and amount paid written on the front.

Remember your child must be school dinners every day or packed lunch every day. We do not allow mixing.

All changes must be reported to the office a week in advance.

Thank you



Attendance

Overall 95%

Reception **100%**

Year 1 **92%**

Year 2 **96%**

Year 3 **94%**

Year 4 **94%**

Year 5 **96%**

Year 6 **96%**

Macmillan Coffee Morning

Come and join us to help raise money for a worthy cause! Meet us on Friday 27th from 9-10am in the KS1 hall for tea, coffee and cake.



Cake sales will also take place for children on the day. Please send children in with a small amount of money if you would like them to take part.

Ready for Reception

New reception parents! Help your child get...

'READY FOR SCHOOL'

TUESDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER, AND 1ST OCTOBER

This is a really important time for you and your child. Come along to these 2 sessions on Tuesday 24th September, and 1st October to find out about:

- what to expect in the first few weeks of starting school
- what your child will start to learn in Reception
- how to help your child with 'early reading'
- lots of fun ways to help your child at home
- These sessions are friendly and fun with free resources. If you would like to come and join in, we'd love to see you and you really will be helping your child!

This is a FREE course and there is a free crèche too!

Please complete the reply slip and hand it to your child's teacher, or the school office



Year 1's Memory Boxes

To start our year 1 topic we have been designing and making memory boxes – they are a special place to keep all of our happy memories –



Year 3 Making Skeletons

In Year 3 we have been taking our Science learning beyond the classroom and into the natural environment. Children have creatively used materials from nature to create stunning skeleton images and then used the images to learn the names of the major skeleton parts, e.g. skull, rib cage, pelvis.



Special Menu

On Thursday 3rd October we will be having a special menu in the school based around "A day at the zoo".

- Rhino Wraps
- Mini Monkey Bite Pizza
- Safari Salad
- Wallaby Wedges
- Jaguar Jacket Potato with BBQ Beans
- Snake Cakes



Ahoy there mateys!

To launch our Learning Journey topic, Land Ahoy Year 2 had a pirate day. Children came dressed as a pirate, made a pirate hat and sang some sea shanties. We also painted pirate ships, made our own treasure maps and even had a treasure hunt! We found some real gold (chocolate) coins and shared the booty out between us!



Naming children's clothing

Please can we remind all parents/carers to write your child's name inside their clothes. We have hundreds of children at the school all wearing almost identical uniform.

If it does not have a name inside you may not get it back if it is lost.

We will be expecting every child in school to wear the correct school uniform in order to ensure consistency across school. If your child isn't in the correct uniform we will contact you on that day for this to be corrected.

