



School Term Dates 2011-2012

Children should attend on the following days:

Autumn Term 2011

Monday 5 September 2011 to Friday 21 October 2011
Tuesday 1 November 2011 to Friday 16 December 2011

Spring Term 2012

Thursday 5 January 2012 to Friday 10 February 2012
Monday 20 February 2012 to Friday 30 March 2012

Summer Term 2012

Monday 16 April 2012 to Friday 1 June 2012
Monday 11 June 2012 to Thursday 19 July 2012

There are **5 Teacher Days** for the academic year when **children do not attend**:

Thursday 1 September 2011
Friday 2 September 2011
Monday 31 October 2011
Wednesday 4 January 2012
Friday 20 July 2012

Monday 7 May 2012 [May Day] is a Public Holiday - **school will be closed**.

The additional Bank Holiday for the Queen's Diamond Jubilee will be taken by schools on Tuesday 3 January 2012 instead of Tuesday 5 June 2012.

Malawi Fundraising

Last summer we raised a fantastic £2757.05 towards the building of a classroom at the Church School in Malawi, which the Diocese of Birmingham has been supporting for over 40 years. This was so successful and enjoyable, that we have decided to continue to support the project this year. Each class will be designing their own fundraising idea and planning the entire event.

RR	Tombola
RY	Sponsored Disco in PJs
RB	Mug Shop
1R	Art & Craft Sale
1Y	Decorated Money Box Collection
1B	Sponsored Multi-Sports
2R	Sponsored Goal Shoot
2Y	Classroom Fun Fair and Joke Book
2B	Fill a Pot

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September 2011 Classes

On Wednesday 6 July 2011 the children will visit their teachers for next year, either here or at the Junior School. Classes for September 2011 will be:

YR

Miss Murphy [Year Group Leader]	Red
Miss Ricketts	Yellow
Miss Douglas	Blue

Y1

Mrs Wheale	Red
Mrs Wallach & Mrs West	Yellow
Mrs McFall [Year Group Leader]	Blue

Y2

Miss Pugh	Red
Mrs Whitehouse [Year Group Leader]	Yellow
Mrs Griffin	Blue

The children stay in the same colour classes as they move between YR, Y1 and Y2:

Mrs McFall's class [RR] to Mrs Wheale [1R].
Miss Pugh's class [RY] to Mrs Wallach & Mrs West [1Y].
Miss Murphy's class [RB] to Mrs McFall [1B].

Miss Rickett's class [1R] to Miss Pugh [2R].
Mrs Wallach's & Mrs West's class [1Y] to Mrs Whitehouse [2Y].
Miss Douglas' class [1B] to Mrs Griffin [2B].

Sports Days

We would like to welcome parents to join us for our **Sports Days**, which will begin shortly after 9.00 am, **weather permitting**, and will be held on the field. Please ensure your child has their PE kit at school and their water bottle with them. If the weather is hot we recommend that the children wear a sun hat and you apply sun cream. We anticipate that each Sports Day will last for approximately 1 hour.

Dates

Tuesday 5 July

Y2 Educational Visit to Ragley Hall

Friday 8 July

Reports sent home today

Monday 11 July

Physical Activity Week

Monday 11 July	YR Sports Day	9 am
Tuesday 12 July	Y1 Sports Day	9 am
Wednesday 13 July	Y2 Sports Day	9 am

Friday 15 July

Children bring their work home today
PALS Y2 Disco 6.00 pm - 7.30 pm

Tuesday 19 July

Y2 Leavers' Celebration at
Birmingham Cathedral 10.30 am - 11.30 am

Tuesday 19 July

Parents' Evening 3.30 pm - 6.00 pm

Thursday 21 July

Last day of Summer Term for children

Parents' Evening

Tuesday 19 July 3.30 pm - 6.00 pm

Parents' Evening this term is to give you the opportunity to discuss your child's Report with their teacher. Reports will be sent home with the children on Friday 8 July 2011.

If you wish to make an appointment please sign the sheets, which will be on classroom doors from 8.50 am on Monday 11 July 2011.

The evening is for parents/carers only and children should not be brought into school.

'Goodbye'...

Sadly, we have to say 'goodbye' to Mrs Young and Mrs Brooks at the end of this term. Both are retiring after many years of dedicated service. We would like to thank them for their commitment to our school community. We wish them every happiness for the future.

...and 'Congratulations'

We are delighted that Mrs Sam Baban has successfully completed her teacher training with us. Mrs Baban will be leaving at the end of this term and we are sure she will have a rewarding and happy teaching career ahead of her.

'Goodbye Year Two'

