

HOLIDAY DATES—2017-2018

| | SCHOOL CLOSURES | | SCHOOL OPENS | |
|------------------|--------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| CHRISTMAS 2017 | Friday 22 nd December | | Monday 8 th January 2018 | |
| SPRING HALF-TERM | Friday 9 th February | | Monday 19 th February | |
| EASTER | Friday 23 rd March | | Mon 9 th April <i>Inset day</i> | Tuesday 10 th April |
| MAY DAY | School will be closed Monday 7 th May | | | |
| SPRING BANK | Friday 25 th May | | Mon 4 th June <i>Inset day</i> | Tuesday 5 th June |
| SUMMER 2018 | Friday 20 th July | Mon 23 rd July <i>Inset day</i> | TBC | |

Year 6 SATs – 14th May 2018

Remaining Inset Days

9th April 2018—4th June 2018 -23rd July 2018

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

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| Monday 8th January | Children back to school |
| Monday 15th January | Eye tests for reception children |
| Wednesday 17th January | Choir at Young Voices Sheffield |
| Monday 22nd January | Parents meeting for Kingswood children |
| Sunday 4th February—Friday 9th February— | Children away at residential Kingswood, Norfolk |
| Tuesday 20th February | National child measurement for reception and Y6 children |

*School lessons begin at **8.50am** and end at **3.15pm** (3.10pm for Reception class)

*Children arriving after 9am should use the main door

*Please make contact with school on 284147 if your child is ill/absent from school

*Please update school with any changes to phone numbers and addresses

*Please make sure your child's water bottle is washed thoroughly each week



Information
Brochure
Class Triceratops
Spring
1st half term
2017-2018

Music

- ◆ To learn how to devise and interpret graphic scores.
- ◆ To learn about the instruments in an orchestra.
- ◆ To develop pitch sense.
- ◆ To develop rhythmic sense and to learn a new note value – The dotted minim.

MFL

Spanish

- Colours and alien story
- Colours and opinions
- word order of adjectives
- word order and opinions
- the enormous turnip

P.E

- Games – Invasion games
- Gym shape / balances floor
- Monday and Wednesday—PE

History/Geography

Where is North America and what is it like?

- Locate countries in North America concentrating on its environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics and major cities- wildlife and national parks
- Understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography-linked to North America
- Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/ computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied.

R.E

Islam

1. Why are some words special?
2. Why are some places special?

Maths

- Fractions
- Decimals
- Percentages
- Time
- Measurement

Art/DT

- ◆ Textiles/Texture – use stories, music, poems as stimuli
- ◆ Select and use materials
- ◆ embellish work
- ◆ fabric making
- ◆ artists using textiles

English

- Instructions
- Persuasive text
- Non-Chronological report

TOPIC - Native Americans

Trips/experiences:

- Creative writing trip to Barnsley museum
- Planetarium in school

Computer Science

- Audio: DJ Skills - Teach24
- E-safety

PHSCE

- Going for goals

Science:

EARTH AND SPACE

- Describe the movement of the Earth, and other planets, relative to the Sun in the solar system.
- Describe the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth
- Describe the Sun, Earth and Moon as approximately spherical bodies.
- Use the idea of the Earth’s rotation to explain day and night and the apparent movement of the sun across the sky.

Class teacher – Miss Pearson