









### **NEWSLETTER - Issue Nº 5**

### 24th November 2023

Dear Parents / Carers

Thank you to FoNS and the whole Neston Team for raising a whopping £8,500 for the school. It was an incredible event and so lovely to see pupils (old and new) coming together to help, watch the fireworks and have fun. Thank you FoNS team; without you the school would be a very different place.

On January 11<sup>th</sup>, a wonderful production of Jack and the Beanstalk will be coming to school. We are asking for a donation via ParentPay (details to follow) The children have been wowed by this experience in the past as the school hall is turned into a theatre. I know that this performance is going to be just as fabulous as in previous years.

As we head into the Christmas season, please check the calendar for important dates such as Willow's Nativity, Christmas Lunch, Choir concert and Christmas parties. There is such a lot going on!

Yesterday, Beech Class visited the Victorian school at Sevington. The children looked amazing in their Victorian costumes and quickly got into character. Some were a little taken aback by the strictness of the school teacher and were grateful that Neston's approach is slightly different!

On Wednesday after school, Neston hosted a fantastic friendly football match with Colerne Primary School. Despite it being a friendly, it is wonderful to be able to tell you that we won 1:0. Go Neston! Thank you to Ms Sims for organising the event.

Have a wonderful weekend

With warmest wishes

Pam Evans Head Teacher











Neston Primary School is committed to safeguarding all children











### REPORTING ABSENCE

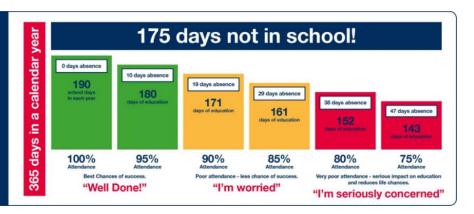
Please could we remind parents of the following procedures for reporting your child absent:-

- If your child is absent from school, please call 01225 810478 and leave a brief explanation on the absence answerphone before 9.10am —Please phone for <u>every day</u> of absence
- If you need to notify us that your child will be absent due to an appointment please email the office admin@neston.wilts.sch.uk
- If you wish to request a leave of absence, please complete and return the relevant form (which can be obtained from the school office or online via <a href="http://nestonprimary.co.uk/useful-links-forms">http://nestonprimary.co.uk/useful-links-forms</a>) which will then be passed to Mrs Evans for consideration.

As part of our Safeguarding procedures, we will contact parents of those children who are not present for registration.

## Good attendance means...

Being in school at least 95% of the time or 180 to 190 days



Percentage attendance	What this means for your child
98%	Excellent attendance that will contribute towards excellent learning and progress.
96-97%	Good attendance that will contribute towards good learning and progress.
93-95%	Average attendance & monitored closely
80-92%	Below average attendance that may begin to have an adverse effect on learning and progress. The school will closely monitor the absences and reasons for them. The Educational Welfare Officer may become involved and a school attendance meeting may take place.
Less than 80%	Very poor attendance that will have a negative effect on learning and progress. The Educational Welfare Officer will become involved in supporting the family to improve attendance.











### **School Dinners**



### Please can we remind you that meals need to be ordered at least one week in advance.

The **booking deadline is midnight on a Wednesday** and a text is sent out at 6pm on Wednesday every week.

If you miss the midnight deadline, ParentPay will not allow you to book meals for the following week. You will still be able to order for subsequent weeks, with the option to book for the whole term, if you wish.

If you do miss the booking deadline, you will need to provide a home packed lunch for the whole of the following week.

Our kitchen orders the food and prepares the meals based on the number of dinners booked on a Wednesday. This helps to reduce food wastage and keeps costs down, which is especially important with the current economic climate.

We thank you for your co-operation and understanding.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE PACKED LUNCH OPTIONS ARE FOR CHILDREN IN KS2 ONLY (YEARS 3 TO 6)



#### **Children In Need**

A huge thank you to everyone who supported Children in Need this year.

Neston School has raised £184 for this great cause.

Should you wish to make a donation, please visit

https://app.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Foc/Default.aspx?shopid=11746



### **Neston Primary School**

Community, Creativity, Courage









### **TERM DATES 2023-2024**

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December 2023						January 2024							February 2024						
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March 2024						April 2024							May 2024							
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Bank and Public Holiday	ys 2023/2024
Christmas Day Holiday	25th December 2023
Boxing Day Holiday	26th December 2023
New Year's Hollday	1st January 2024
Good Friday	29th March 2024
Easter Monday	1st April 2024
May Day Holday	6th May 2024
Spring Bank Holiday	27th May 2024
Summer Bank Holiday	26th August 2024

Term dates su	mmary:	
Term 1	34 days	
Term 2	38 days	
Term 3	27 days	
Term 4	29 days	
Term 5	29 days	
Term 6	38 days	
TOTAL	195 Days	

KEY:	
	School Holidays
	Bank & Public Holidays
	Inset Days (SCHOOL CLOSED)
	SATS week – Year 6

September 1st and 4th 2023
February 9 <sup>th</sup>
June 3rd & July 24th

Church Rise, Neston, Corsham, Wiltshire SN13 9SX

**:** 01225 810478



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### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY - 2023-2024**

	November 2023									
DATE	EVENT									
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Beech - Sevington Victorian School									
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup>	Oak / S Birch – Webinar – Meet the Author – Jim									
	Dougherty									

	April 2024							
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup>	Term 5 Starts							
W/B 15 <sup>th</sup>	Workshare Sessions							
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Parents' Evening							
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup>	Parents' Evening							

	December 2023								
DATE	EVENT								
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup>	Yr R – 6 Nasal Flu Vaccinations								
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Willow Nativity – 9.10am								
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Dinner								
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup>	KS2 Intra House Football Tournament								
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Class Christmas Parties								
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup>	Christmas Break								

May 2024	
DATE	EVENT
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup>	KS2 SATs Week
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup>	School Games Day
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup>	Half Term

January 2024		
DATE	EVENT	
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup>	Term 3 Starts	
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Jack & The Beanstalk Pantomime	
Monday 15th	Chestnut - Multiplication Table Check Briefing -	
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup>	2.45pm	
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Beech – SATs Briefing – 2.45pm	

June 2024	
DATE	EVENT
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	TD Day
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup>	Term 6 Starts
W/B 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Chestnut – Multiplication Tables Check
W/B 10 <sup>th</sup>	Oak – Phonics Screening Check
17 <sup>th</sup> - 19 <sup>th</sup>	Chestnut - Braeside Residential

February 2024	
DATE	EVENT
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup>	TD Day
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Half Term
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Term 4 Starts

July 2024	
DATE	EVENT
W/B 1 <sup>st</sup>	Workshare Sessions
W/B 8 <sup>th</sup>	Meet the Teacher Sessions
W/B 15 <sup>th</sup>	Meet the Teacher Sessions
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup>	New Class Changeover
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Beech Leavers Assembly (TBC)
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup>	KS2 Intra House Cricket Tournament
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup>	TD Day
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Summer Holidays

March 2024		
DATE	EVENT	
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup>	Cricket Taster Sessions	
5 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup>	Beech Residential	
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup>	World Book Day	
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup>	Books & Bacon – Details to Follow	
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup>	Comic Relief / Red Nose day	
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	KS2 Intra House Rugby Tournament	
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup>	Reports	
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup>	Easter Break	

**New Dates Will Be Added In Red** 

Church Rise, Neston, Corsham, Wiltshire SN13 9SX

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### FoNS Fireworks 2023









On Saturday November 4th, two thousand ticket holders enjoyed the spectacular event which was Neston Fireworks. The weather, which threatened to dampen our spirits all week, suddenly turned in our favour and our panic for gazebos was unnecessary! The huge bonfire, made from pallets donated by local businesses, was lit at 17.30. It had taken a team of volunteers most of the day to build and it continued to burn brightly throughout the evening. Soon Mrs. Evans was on the loud speakers and the countdown was on for the main event! The sky was alight with flashes and booms, much to the delight of the audience. Our large venue meant that there was plenty of space for everyone to see the show. The fireworks entertained the crowd for nearly half an hour, then many people stayed by the fire and enjoyed an evening with family and friends. What a great event for Mrs Evans' last year as Head at Neston Primary School; we hope she was proud of her school community!

This event takes approximately 200 volunteers to be a success; and what a success it was! We cannot even begin to name everyone who helped, but we are so grateful to you all. Until you have been a part of the effort you cannot comprehend what a massive job it is! Thank you to those who built the fire, cleaned the toilets and quite literally everything in between. We could not do it without you; the event is totally reliant on you being so generous with your time, and we are so appreciative of your efforts.















FoNS would like to thank the many local businesses and individuals who sponsored or supported the event, thank you for all your help! Hunter French, Mendes Doors, Manu Packaging, P & B Weir Electrical, West Events, Corsham Print, Toby Haynes Family Butcher, Smart Renovations, The Madd Sandwich Company, Molehill Waste Clearance, Nigel Unwin and Harry the tractor driver.













We are delighted to announce that in excess of £8000 was raised; we look forward to voting on how to spend the money - why not come along to a FoNS meeting and help us? Fireworks 2024 will be with us in no time, maybe you would like to join the organising committee? It is such great fun and you get to be with wonderful volunteers and happy people all weekend. We would also love to hear any feedback from this year to help make 2024 even better. Please get in touch with Paul on pjbott1@gmail.com or Sharon kalidoski\_peaple@icloud.com

Headteacher: Mrs Pam Evans B.A. (Hons) PGCE



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### Neston Fireworks 2023



### **Neston Fireworks**

Neston Fireworks is one of the most popular family-friendly fireworks display in the Wiltshire area.

A volunteer-run charity event for Neston Primary School and Neston Pre-school.

All proceeds from the event go towards additional resources and events for the children of Neston Primary and the Pre-school.

Our goal is to deliver a safe, enjoyable and affordable event for all ages.

The support of your company, team and community helped us raise a whooping profit of...

### £8,500 wow! Thank you!

We thank all the parents, your teams, companies that supported us, for wood for the bonfire and against sponsorship, Corsham Running Club and the army of volunteers that made the day happen so smoothly. Plus, Northern Lights which put on a beautiful display!

We are proud to be part of our community, which comes together to deliver an amazing event for ALL.











Friends of Neston School is a Registered Charity: 1088052 www.nestonfireworks.com













The Children's Commissioner for England, Dame Rachel de Souza, has launched **The Big Ambition**, a national survey of children and young people across England.

The Big Ambition aims to hear from children across England on what they think is important! In the lead up to the next General Election, the Children's Commissioner wants to take children's thoughts, opinions and ideas to decision-makers, to make sure that the Government hears young people's voices on what they think needs to be done to make children's lives better in England.

**The Big Ambition** survey will be open until Friday 15th December.

To start the survey click here <a href="https://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/the-big-ambition/">https://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/the-big-ambition/</a>

The Big Ambition is open to children and young people in England aged 0-18 years old. Parents can assist children who cannot complete the survey themselves.

The survey takes around **10 minutes** to complete and can be completed on mobile phones, tablets, laptops and computers.

The survey asks for information about the person responding, the child's age, and what school they attend. There is also an option to complete an easy-read version with larger text. The questions are slightly different depending on the age of the child answering, but, everyone is asked what they think the Government should do to make children's lives better.

It's important to remember that the survey is not a test and that there are no right or wrong answers.

Everything in the survey is anonymous. If you would like to find out more about their data protection policies, please visit their <u>information and privacy page</u>.

If you have any questions about the survey or The Big Ambition, you can contact them using the <u>contact form</u> on their website https://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/the-big-ambition/







# CALLING ALL ENTER! YOUNG WRITERS IN CORSHAM!

# Corsham Story Prize

Prizes

If you are aged between 8-14 and live in Corsham, or attend a Corsham-area school, this writing competition is for you!

### Deadline:

31st January 2024.

### Judge:

Local children's writer, Alex Cotter – you can read more here: www.alexcotter.co.uk.

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Writing can take you on the best adventure! -Anon-

To email your story or for more information, please email:

CorshamStoryPrize@gmail.com

### 8-11 12-14

1st £25	1st £25
2 <sup>nd</sup> £15	2 <sup>nd</sup> £15
3 <sup>rd</sup> £10	3 <sup>rd</sup> £10

Plus, x2 Runner-Up prizes per category: £5

### What you need to know:

- Your story needs to be a maximum of 300 words, excluding the title.
- It can be hand-written or typed.
   You can email it or drop it off at the Town Hall.
- It must be linked to Corsham in some way.
- It must have a climate change and/or environment theme.







## Corsham Story Prize 2023

### **Entry guidelines**

You must be aged between 8 and 14 years-old on 31 January 2024. Only one entry per person will be accepted.
Stories needs to be a maximum of 300 words, not including the title.
Stories can be hand-written or typed.
Stories need to have some link to Corsham AND also be linked to the
environment/climate change in some way.
Short stories must be emailed to CorshamStoryPrize@gmail.com OR handed
into Corsham Town Hall by the deadline of 31 January 2024.
StoryTown is not responsible for late, lost, damaged, incomplete or illegible
entries.
Invented spelling is accepted, but your intended words should be clear.
Short stories should include a title page that lists the title of the story and
your full name.
All fictional story characters should be original. Copyrighted names and
images are not allowed. However, you can illustrate your entry if you wish.
Short stories will not be returned so you should keep a copy of what you

### **Key information:**

submit.

Ш	Local writer Alex Cotter ( <u>www.alexcotter.co.uk</u> ) will judge the stories
	anonymously.
	There will be a Q&A (Question and Answer) session on Zoom on
	Wednesday 8 November at 6.00-6.30pm where Alex will be on hand to
	give story-writing advice and answer any questions. Please book through
	CorshamStoryPrize@gmail.com.
	There will be a writing workshop on Saturday 2 December at 10.00-
	11.30am to be held in the Blue Room at the Three Brewers pub, Corsham.
	This is free to attend and refreshments will be provided. Please book
	through CorshamStoryPrize@gmail.com. Details are available on the Three
	Brewers' Facebook page about this workshop. It is perfect for those who
	want some inspiration or just to have some fun with words!
	Prize-winners will be announced in March 2024 – date to be confirmed.
П	There will be a celebratory event in April 2024 – date to be confirmed











## Corsham's Wishing Tree

Come and make your Christmas wish and we'll hang it on the High Street tree.



Wishes are FREE but a donation to our charities will be very much appreciated.

PLUS: CORSHAM TRANSPORT PLAN
CONSULTATION - YOUR CHANCE TO HAVE
YOUR SAY



www.corsham.gov.uk







# A TRANSPORT PLAN FOR CORSHAM We Need Your Views

The Town Council wants to produce and implement a sustainable Transport Plan for Corsham, covering public transport, walking, cycling and wheeling. Please let us know, via our short survey, what issues we need to look at and where improvements should be made.



Scan the QR code

OR GO TO

https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/TransportPlan

OR

Pick up a paper copy of the survey from the Town Hall

SURVEY CLOSES 27 NOVEMBER 2023

www.corsham.gov.uk





















# REPA

Corsham Climate Action for a greener future

CAFE

Dates for 2023

10.30AM - 12.30PM

Pound Arts Centre, Pound Pill,

27th May

24th June

22nd July

23rd Sept

28th Oct

25th Nov

Corsham Mechanical

Electronics



Sewing









@ShareRepairBath

Email: hello@shareandrepair.org.uk

#MendItDontEndIt

MEND IT

DON'T

END IT

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT WWW.SHAREANDREPAIR.ORG.UK

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### FoNS dates 2023









Monday 16th October - all Christmas card artwork returned to school. Orders made online directly with Cauliflower cards

Saturday 4th November - Fireworks night. Help needed throughout the weeked. Save the date and tell your friends and family

Monday 11th December - all hamper donations by this date please. Raffle to be drawn on Monday December 18th. More information and raffle tickets to follow in term 2

Friday 15th December - Christmas disco in Neston Memorial Hall. Details to follow, save the date



**2**: 01225 810478





for more information about FoNS please email lauraholdship@gmail.com









### **Family and Community Learning**

#### Who are we and what do we do?

Family and Community Learning (FaCL) offer adults a range of single-session and short courses taught online or at venues across Wiltshire.

Our courses are designed to enable adults to build confidence, gain new skills, reconnect with learning and take their next steps to further learning, volunteering or employment

Our courses cover a variety of topics including:

- Wellbeing and confidence building
- Skills for adults English, ESOL, maths, IT, work-related skills
- Family skills helping your child with learning and emotional wellbeing
- Independent living skills for adults with learning difficulties and disabilities.

Information about our courses can be found here: What's On? - Work Wiltshire

### Who do we work with?

Our courses are funded by the Education and Skills Funding Agency.

Courses are no cost to learners who are 19+ and resident in UK/EU for 3+years\* and live in Wiltshire, and if they can tick any one of these criteria:

- less than 5 GCSEs grades A-C
- in receipt of benefits
- military family
- · family with SEN child
- are unemployed and seeking employment

\*Adults with certain types of immigration status and their family members are also eligible to join our courses.

If you are unsure about eligibility, or if the person you are referring has any questions, please contact us for more information and support:

Call us: 01225 770478

Email: familyandcommunitylearning@wiltshire.gov.uk

Website: <a href="https://workwiltshire.co.uk/family-and-community-learning/">https://workwiltshire.co.uk/family-and-community-learning/</a>

Facebook: <u>www.facebook.com/Wiltsfamilylearning/</u>











# Feel confident to help your child





2023 Helping My Child to Learn Phonics

Discover how phonics is taught in schools today. Help your children to develop phonic awareness. Explore games and activities to support phonics learning at home.

Our courses are **free**, if you are 19+ years old, and a resident in the UK/EU for over three years (some immigration status exempt), and have a Wiltshire postcode and meet **any** of the following criteria:

- less than 5 GCSEs grades A-C
- in receipt of benefits
- a military family
- have a child with SEND (no diagnosis necessary)
- unemployed and looking for work

To find out more email: familyandcommunitylearning@ wiltshire.gov.uk or call 01225 770478 Online course 5x 2hr sessions 12:30 -2:30pm

Monday 20 November Monday 27 November Monday 4 December Monday 11 December Monday 18 December

Apply by Monday 13 November













### Family and Community Learning

## UNDERSTANDING SCHOOL AVOIDANCE

Free online course for parents and carers



Two hour, online course

Taught by a friendly tutor, plus Q & A with an assistant psychologist

Free for eligible learners

### **Upcoming course dates**

Thursday 16 November 2023 10am-12pm

Tuesday 23 January 2024 10am-12pm

Wednesday 6 March 2024 10am-12pm

### Joining our course:

Enrolment closes one week before the course start date.

For more information or to request a place, please contact:

familyandcommunitylearning@wiltshire.gov.uk or call 01225 770478

Please see our website for who can join our free courses:

https://workwiltshire.co.uk/important-information/

### This course covers:

- What is emotional based school avoidance, and its impact.
- Strategies to use when children are at crisis point.
- Knowledge of reasonable adjustments school can use to support good attendance.





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If you could spare some time, or for more information please contact us: 01380 722 241

Email: linkproject@communityfirst.org.uk









### For the attention of all parents

## Will your child be four years old before September 2024?

You must apply for a primary school place

Apply online at **wiltshire.gov.uk** or complete an application form, available at all Wiltshire Council offices.

The deadline for applications is

12 midnight, 15 January 2024

All forms must be returned to the school admissions team at County Hall, Trowbridge, Wiltshire.

Contact customer services on 01225 713010

For more information or to request our guide to finding a primary school place in Wiltshire.















Please visit our website to view all the before and after school clubs that are on offer

http://nestonprimary.co.uk/school-clubs

Please note, in line with our *Safeguarding* and *Child Protection* policies, parents cannot remain on site during their child's club.



At Neston school we are committed to keeping our young people safe online. We teach online safety as part of our computing curriculum and support our children to learn how to stay safe from different risks online and where they can go to get help and advice.

We want all the children at Neston school to feel confident that they can stay safe online. If you need any further support with issues relating to online safety then please speak to a member of staff. You can also check out our online safety page on the school website <a href="http://nestonprimary.co.uk/e-safety">http://nestonprimary.co.uk/e-safety</a> which contains up to date information and links to further online safety resources.













### FoNS - Who We Are

Friends of Neston School (FoNS) formed in 1998 and registered as a charity in 2001 with the purpose to advance the education of the pupils at Neston School with two main aims:

- Developing effective relationships between the staff, parents and others associated with the school
- Engaging in activities or providing facilities or equipment which support the School and advance the education of the pupils

We are always seeking ways to improve and evolve as your children progress through the school. We welcome any new ideas and suggestions for events.

### facebook

Did you know that FoNS have their own Facebook page?

https://www.facebook.com/Friends-of-Neston-School-711133625923126/

Follow us for our school fundraising activities!

Dates and events will be added to the Newsletter once a they have been finalised.













### **MEDICATION IN SCHOOL**

Please can we remind parents that if your child requires medication during school hours, that a form is completed and returned to the school office, along with any medicines that are clearly named.

Children should not have medicine in their school bags and self-administer. This can include creams, calpol, ibuprofen, hayfever tablets etc.

If you need to complete a form, these can be collected from the school office or downloaded from our website via - <a href="http://nestonprimary.co.uk/useful-links-forms">http://nestonprimary.co.uk/useful-links-forms</a>

If you have any queries regarding the above, please contact the school office on <a href="mailto:admin@neston.wilts.sch.uk">admin@neston.wilts.sch.uk</a>

We thank you for your support in this matter.



Please can we remind parents that dogs are not allowed on the school premises. We'd be grateful if they could be kept back from the school gate too. Thank you











### **MUSIC LESSONS**

Did you know we have some amazing music teachers who offer private music tuition in piano and guitar?

> Please visit our webpage for further details http://nestonprimary.co.uk/parents

















Please can we ask that parents are considerate of our neighbours and cautious where you park at drop off and pick up times. This includes leaving the bus stop free for the school bus and not blocking the entrance to the school car park, as this is required at all times.

Please also be mindful that cars leaving the car park cannot always see out onto the road clearly.

We have received complaints from local residents in Pitts Croft of driveways being blocked.

We thank you for your continued support in this matter.

### **OUR SCHOOL DAY**



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8.30am	School Office Opens
8.45am	School Gates Unlocked
8.50am	Our school day starts. Children will be welcomed
	into class where an activity will be waiting for them.
9.00am	Registration
9.10am	Registration Closes / School Gates Locked
10.15am	KS1 Break / Snack Time
10.30am	KS2 Break / Snack Time
12.15 – 1.15pm	Lunchtime
3.15pm	School Gates Unlocked
3.15pm	Home Time
3.30pm	School Gates Locked & School Office Closes