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The Federation of
**Fryern Infant &
Junior Schools**

Growing Together, Learning for Life

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Fryern Federation News #4

Year R – We are so proud of all our new Year R children. They have settled into school life so well. It has been lovely to see them make lots of new friends and enjoying all aspects of learning and play.



Year 1/2 Post box – The Year 1/2's enjoyed their walk to the post box last week, as part of their knowing my address and where I live. We hope families enjoyed opening their post this week!



Year 2 Football Tournament – Well done to the Year 2 children who took part in a football tournament this morning at Merdon Junior School. The children had an amazing time and Mrs Brooks was very proud of how well the children played as a team. Thank you to our parent helpers that helped walk the children to and from Merdon.

Medical Tracker – We are pleased to announce we have introduced Medical Tracker. Now, if your child has any first aid administered, you will be sent a notification via email with all the details.

Flu Immunisation – Thank you to everyone who has submitted their responses to the Flu immunisations. It is so important for the school community to be vaccinated, if anyone will like help completing the consent form, please let the school office know. Infant Immunisations will be taking place on Friday 4th October and the Junior School will be on Tuesday 15th October.

Full Governors Body Meeting - The Full Governing Body met on Monday 23rd September. After 5 years of service as Chair of Governors, Miriam Bokhove has chosen to stand down as Chair. As you will know we elected Karen Murray as her replacement, and we are delighted that Miriam will continue to support the Federation as a Governor moving forward. At the meeting we were able to review a number of policies including those covering Safeguarding and Child Protection to ensure they continued to work best for the Fryern Federation. We received a regular report from Miss Piggitt and Miss Roberts as Acting Headteachers and were pleased to note the progress being made to implement the combined Year 1 and Year 2 teaching and the expansion of the Zen Den to cover the whole school.

Christmas is Coming - Mrs Jones is running the ever-popular fund-raising Christmas card project again this year. This project involves your child's artwork being printed onto Christmas cards, gift tags and other products. In the next few weeks children will complete artwork in school which will be sent home for your approval in the week beginning 16th October, with instructions and a code for you to use to order products online. This artwork and form must be returned to school no later than **Monday 21st October**. Any artwork received after this date will have to be posted at your expense. Samples of cards are available in school and any enquiries can be sent to Mrs Jones via the school office. All funds raised will be for used for both the Infant and Junior school.

SEND Parent Workshops – We will be continuing to deliver our parent workshops this year and welcome all parents to attend. Please come to reception to sign in and you will be taken to the room.

When:	Theme:	Time:
Thursday 17 th October 2024:	Coffee and chat- Opportunity to talk to the Special Educational Needs Co-ordinator and meet other parents of children with SEND.	2pm-3pm
Thursday 14 th November 2024:	Supporting children with literacy difficulties. Led by Rachael Young- Educational Psychologist	1.30pm-2pm Coffee and chat 2pm-3pm Talk
Thursday 16 th January 2024	Nicola Shergold- Primary Wellbeing service.	1.30pm-2pm Coffee and chat 2pm-3pm Talk
Thursday 27 th February 2024	Coffee and chat- Opportunity to talk to the Special Educational Needs Co-ordinator and meet other parents of children with SEND.	2pm-3pm

Daily Echo Photos - The Daily Echo are visiting schools to photograph the Year R students across Hampshire and will be visiting our Year R children on Monday 30th September to take the children's first Reception class pictures. Please note any children that have been opted out from having photos taken **will not** be included in these photos.

Change of menu – There will be a change of menu on Thursday 3rd October. Please see attached the Super hero menu choices.

Well Done – Well done to one of our Year 5 pupils who took part in a two day karate course over the summer holidays. He came first place in his group after demonstrating some excellent karate moves. What a fantastic achievement, we are so proud of you!



Year R admissions - Do you have a child due to start school in September 2025? Information about applying to Fryern Infants and school tours are now available on our website:

<https://www.fryernfederation.co.uk/our-school/starting-school-in-september-2025/>

Applying for Secondary School Places - A reminder that applications for applying for secondary school places for September 2025 opened on **Monday 9th September 2024**. You can apply online at hants.gov.uk/admissions. You must apply to Hampshire County Council even if you wish to apply for schools in another local authority.

If you do not live in Hampshire (including Portsmouth and Southampton) you must apply through your home local authority.

The deadline for submitting applications is on **Thursday 31st October 2024**. Applications received after this deadline will not be considered until after all on-time applications have been processed, which means late applications are less likely to be offered a place at one of their preferred schools.

Before completing your application, please read the online guidance on applying for a school place at hants.gov.uk/admissions. If you are unable to apply online, you can request a paper form and a copy of the guidance brochure by emailing the Admissions Team at admissions.team@hants.gov.uk

With our best wishes,

The Fryern Team

Workers of the week

YR: Emil, Hester, Haisley, Charlie

Y1/2: Niyansh, Summer, Evie G, Eddie,

Y3: Francesca, Liam, Sophie, Naya, Cora, Eliza

Y4: Alan, Annie, Sara, Megan, Keira, Elliott, Toby, Willow

Y5: Jasper, Harriet, Dexter,

Y6: Alivia, Ashton, Sam G, Billie,

Head Teacher Awards

Y1/Y2: Olivia, Priscilla-Rose, Chloe, Theo G, Tilly
Y3: Leo, Albert,
Y4: William, Sara, Willow
Y5: Millie, Tabitha, Joshua, Nyla, Bella, Austin,
Y6: Maiko, Liela, Zeke, Caitlin, Autumn

Dates For the Diary

September

27th Friday Year R Family Learning 2pm-3pm
27th Friday PTA Annual General Meeting
30th Monday Daily Echo Photographer for Year R

October

4th Friday Year R Family Learning 2pm-3pm
4th Friday Infant Flu Immunisation
7th Monday Year 5 Butser Farm Trip
7th Monday Year 1/2 Victorian School Day
9th Wednesday Year 1/2 Parents Evening
10th Thursday Year 1/2 Parents Evening
11th Friday Year R Family Learning 2pm-3pm
14th Monday Harvest Festival – Methodist Church Willow/Oak 1:30-3pm
15th Tuesday Junior Flu Immunisation
16th Wednesday Harvest Festival – Methodist Church Cherry/Chestnut 1:30-3pm
17th Thursday SEND Parents Workshop 2pm – 3pm
17th Thursday Year 1/2 Come & share your child learning - straight afterschool
18th Friday Year R Family Learning 2pm-3pm
22nd Tuesday Individual School photos – Both schools
24th Thursday Last day of term
25th Friday **INSET day – School Closed**

November

4th Monday Return to school - both schools
6th Wednesday Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 Parents Evening
6th Wednesday Year R Parents Evening
7th Thursday Year R Parents Evening
7th Thursday Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 Parents Evening
11th Monday Year 3 Iron Age Workshop – am
13th Wednesday Year 4 Fishbourne Palace
14th Thursday SEND Parents Workshop 1:30 –2pm Coffee & Chat 2pm-3pm Talk
27th November School Nurse visit for Autumn born Year R's Height, Weight & Vision
27th Wednesday Year 1/2 Parents Evening
28th Thursday Year 1/2 Parents Evening

December

11th Wednesday Rocksteady Concert 9:30am
13th Friday Rocksteady Concert 9:30am
20th Friday Last day of term

January 2025

6th Monday Return to school – both schools
16th Thursday SEND Parents Workshop 1:30 –2pm Coffee & Chat 2pm-3pm Talk
17th Friday School Nurse visit for Spring born Year R's Height, Weight & Vision
23rd Thursday School Nurse visit Year 6 Height & Weight

February 2025

13th Thursday Last day of term

14 th Friday	INSET day – School Closed
24 th Monday	Return to school – both schools
27 th Thursday	SEND Parents Workshop 2pm – 3pm

April 2025

2 nd Wednesday	Year 3 Marwell Zoo
4 th Friday	Last day of term
22 nd Tuesday	INSET day – School Closed
23 rd Wednesday	Return to school – both schools

May 2025

12 th -15 th	Year 6 SATs
19 th -23 rd	Year 5 Stubbington Residential
23 rd Friday	Last day of term

June 2025

2 nd Monday	Return to school – both schools
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July 2025

22 nd Tuesday	Last day of term
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