

Henbury View First School



Summer Term 2023. Newsletter 7.

Headteacher's Update

Welcome back to the Summer Term, a term which is often very busy and this one already seems to be packed with lots of events and visits which the children will gain a great deal from and we look forward to sharing our news of these throughout the term.

Parent survey:

Thank you to everyone who completed the parent survey last term, please find attached the outcome of the survey, if you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact the office to arrange a meeting.

Staffing:

It is with sadness that I share with you that Mr Dennis will be leaving us next Thursday to begin a new role at Winchelsea. He has been at Henbury for 14 years and during this time has supported a range of pupils and has also been responsible for completing a great deal of maintenance around the school for which we are very grateful. We would like to wish him in all the best in his new role as we sure he will be amazing and sadly missed from our school. I would also like to share with you that Miss Shannon (year 3) teacher is also getting married next week and we would like to wish her all the very best to her and her future husband.

The King's Coronation

Due to strike action on the 2nd May which may impact our school we have made the decision to forward plan and move Foundation's tea party to the Wednesday to avoid any disappointment nearer the time. The children will have the opportunity to invite a special guest.

Wednesday 3rd May—Foundation, Years 1 & 2

Thursday 4th May—Years 3 & 4

Friday 5th May— pupils may come to school in party clothes and we will have a whole school picnic outside and enjoying playing some games together.

Water bottles

Please can we remind parents that only water should be in the children's drinks bottles and not squash, in line with school expectations. Unfortunately squash in the water bottles does lead to ants being attracted into our classrooms and if they spill they do create a sticky mess. Thank you for your support and understanding.

Earrings

Please can I remind you that children should only be wearing stud earrings and that they should be removed for PE lessons.

School start reminder.

Please remember that our school day starts at 8.50 am. Gates will open at 8.40 am and close at 8.50 am, class teachers will take the register at 8.50 am and start teaching.



School calendar dates

2022-2023

Parent Shares.

Year 3—18th May

Foundation—25th May

Book Looks

Year 1 & 2—24th May

Summer Term Dates

1st May — Bank Holiday
Monday

Coronation celebrations

3rd May — Foundation,
Years 1 and 2 (tea party)

4th May — Years 3 and 4
(tea party)

5th May — Whole school
picnic

8th May - Coronation Bank
Holiday

11th May — Class photo-
graphs

12th May — Friends School
Disco

22nd May — Walk to school
week.

26th May — Non-uniform
Hamwic Education Trust
Day.