



Federation Headteacher: Mrs Lucy Howe
 Deputy Headteacher: Mrs James
 Assistant Heads: Mrs Foster and Mrs Ferris



Friday 23rd January 2026

Dear Foxhills Families,

Important Notices and information

Here are a few important reminders and notices for this half term. Please remember to contact the school office for further information if you are unsure of anything.

Upcoming dates for your diary (in some cases, further information will follow):



Dates for your Diary
Friday 23rd January 2026 – Parents Evening – Booking Opens at 8pm
Wednesday 28th January – Y4 Forest School - Hazel
Thursday 29th January – Y5 Swimming
Thursday 29th January - Y4 Forest School - Hawthorn
Friday 30th January – Neurodiversity Parent Workshop Day 2, 09.30-10.30
Friday 30th January – Parents evening - Booking closes at 12pm
Wednesday 4th February - Y4 Forest School - Hazel
Thursday 5th February - Y5 Swimming
Thursday 5th February – Parent Consultations 1pm-7pm (not Elder class)
Tuesday 10th February – Parent Consultations 1pm-7pm – Elder Class
Tuesday 10th February – Smart Phone Free Parent Meeting – Abbotswood School
Wednesday 11th February - Y4 Forest School - Hazel
Wednesday 11th February – FOF School Disco TBC – Non-Uniform Day - Information to follow
Thursday 12th February - Y5 Swimming
Thursday 12th February - Y4 Forest School - Hawthorn
Friday 13th February – Celebration of Work – 14.30-15.10
Friday 13th February – FOF Swap Shop
16/02-20/02/26 – February Half Term
Monday 23rd February – New term starts (Spring 2)
02/03-06/03/2025 – Reading Week
Friday 6th March – World Book Day - Information to follow
09/03-12/03/26 – FOF Mother’s Day Gift Shop – Information to follow
Friday 13th March – Inset Day
30/03-10/04/2026 – Easter Holidays
Monday 13th April – New term starts (Summer 1)

<https://www.foxhills-jun.hants.sch.uk/diary/grid/2023/01/>

Change of Office Hours

Monday – Thursday 08.00-16.00
 Friday – 08.00-15.30

INSET Days for the Academic Year 2025-2026

Friday 13th March 2026

Friday 26th June 2026



No Drive Zone

08:20 – 08:45 15:00 – 15:25

No vehicles will be allowed on site during these times except for blue badge holders.

Private Property in the Surrounding Community

Please can we remind families to be respectful of our neighbours' property. It is not acceptable to walk along private land especially when the children have been asked to stop.

Reporting

Reporting Absences



Please could all absences be reported via the phone and not email. When leaving a message please including the following details;

Absences

- Child's Name
- Child's Class
- Reason for absence, including symptoms to help us monitor in school.

PLEASE



NO PEANUTS
OR
NUT PRODUCTS

Nut Free School

Please can we remind families that we are a nut free school as we have children with a severe allergy to nuts in school. Please ensure that your children do not have any snacks and lunch items containing any form of nuts.



Access to Toilets

Due to safeguarding reasons, we are not able to give adults or children that do not work or study here access to our toilets.



Medical Appointments

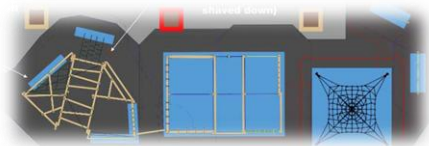
Please could we ask that, where possible, medical appointments are booked outside school hours.

We understand that this is not always possible; however, could we ask that you send into school confirmation of the appointment for your child's file. If this is a morning session and your child requires a lunch, please inform the office of your child's lunch order before 9am.

School Uniform & Equipment

Please could we remind you of the following:

- **Ensure all items of your child's clothing are labelled.**
- **Please send your child into school with weather-appropriate clothing.**
- Send your child into school with a water bottle (Please do not send children with energy drinks or water in such bottles, e.g. Prime bottles).



School Play Equipment – Important

Please can we ask all families not to use the play equipment in the playground when you drop your children off in the mornings. The play equipment needs to be supervised by school staff and we have allocated times during break and lunch when children can use the play equipment.



Voluntary one-way system

To help with congestion at school pick up and drop off, we have adopted a voluntary one way system during these times. Please could we ask you to help by following the one way system (flowing from the A326 towards Whartons Lane), this will ensure traffic travels in one direction and hopefully eases congestion.

Driveway safety

A polite reminder that, for the safety of all members of our school community, when entering and leaving the school site...

- **Pedestrians** should walk on the pavements.
- **Scoters** should be dismounted and walked along the pavements.
- **Cyclists** may ride on the driveway, or dismount and walk bikes along the footpath.



Term Time/Holiday Activities

We have been informed of fun activities for your children during term-time/holidays. Please follow this link for more information;

<https://www.foxhills-jun.hants.sch.uk/page/?title=Local+Activities%2C+Clubs+%26amp%3B+Events&pid=107>



FOF Bookshop

Dates for the Year Group visits are as follows:

<u>Year 6</u>	<u>Year 5</u>	<u>Year 4</u>	<u>Year 3</u>
20th January	20th January	3 rd February	3 rd February

Foxy baby news!



We are thrilled to announce the safe arrival of Miss Lee's baby; Florence. Mum and baby are doing really well and we're excited to meet her.

Kind regards,

The Foxhills Junior School Team