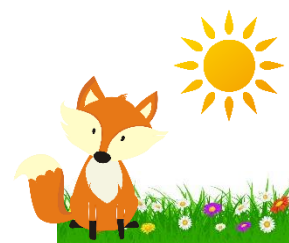




Federation Headteacher: Mrs Howe
Deputy Headteacher: Mrs James
Assistant Head: Mrs Foster



Friday 26th June 2026

Dear Foxhills Families,

Important Notices and information

Here are a few important reminders for the upcoming weeks. Please do remember if you are unsure of anything to contact the school office or your child's teacher for further information.

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

- **Friday 26th June** – Inset day
- **Tuesday 30th June** – Totton Library to visit school to launch the Summer Reading Challenge (details below)
- **Thursday 2nd July** – Transition Day 1
- **Thursday 2nd July** – No reading assembly on this day
- **Friday 3rd July** – Transition Day 2
- **Friday 3rd July** – 2:45pm reading assembly in new class (see email for details)
- **Tuesday 7th July** – Take One Picture exhibition
- **Wednesday 8th July** – FOF Shorts & Shades Summer Disco
- **Thursday 9th July** – Year 2 leavers concert to outreach group (1.30-3pm)
- **Friday 10th July** – Year 2 leavers concert to parents 9:15am and 2pm (see email for details)
- **Friday 10th July** – FOF Colour Run 3:15pm (pre-booking required) / non uniform day
- **Tuesday 14th July** – Rocksteady Concert 2:30pm – Invites to be sent
- **Thursday 16th July** – Sports Day 9am-12:15pm
- **Friday 17th July** – FOF Swap Shop
- **Wednesday 22nd July** – 12pm Family Picnic
- **Wednesday 22nd July** – Last Day of Term 1.15pm finish.
- **Thursday 23rd July** – Monday 31st August – Summer holiday
- **Tuesday 1st September** – Inset Day
- **Wednesday 2nd September** – New term starts (Year 1 and 2)
- **Wednesday 9th September** – New Year R start date
- **Wednesday 30th September** – Hallett Sibling photos 8am & Individual school photos (more info to follow)
- **Thursday 19th November** – Infant Flu Vaccinations

Inset Days for the Academic Year 2026-2027

Autumn Term

- Tuesday 1st September 2026
- Friday 9th October 2026
- Monday 12th October 2026

Spring Term

- Friday 12th March 2027

Summer Term

- Friday 25th June 2027

Hampshire Library Service - The Summer Reading Challenge 2026

From Saturday 11th July to Saturday 12th September you can take part in this year's Summer Reading Challenge, 'Read to the Beat'. Children aged 4 - 11 can read or listen to 6 books over the summer, collect stickers and receive a medal and certificate. Sign up at:

<https://www.hants.gov.uk/librariesandarchives/library/about-us/news/Summer-reading-challenge-2026>

Bring your certificates and stickers to school in September so we can celebrate your reading achievements!

School Start time:

08:30 – Gates open

08:35 - 08:45 – Children to enter school and register

Office Hours

Monday – Thursday 8am - 4pm

Friday – 8am – 3.30pm

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.

PE Days for this half term

Monday: ACE Sports (see timetable)

Tuesday: Year 2

Wednesday: Year 1

Thursday: Year R

Friday: Year 1 and Year 2



DATE	CLASS	LESSON 1 FOCUS	LESSON 2 FOCUS
Summer Term 2			
1/6/26	Year R	Ace Core Skills Lesson 7 (Agility)	Ace Athletics Lesson 2 (Aids with Sports Day Prep)
8/6/26	2 Owls	Ace Athletics Lesson 3 (Aids with Sports Day & Athletics Competition Prep)	Ace Athletics Lesson 4 (Aids with Sports Day & Athletics Competition Prep)
15/6/26	2 Robins	Ace Athletics Lesson 3 (Aids with Sports Day & Athletics Competition Prep)	Ace Athletics Lesson 4 (Aids with Sports Day & Athletics Competition Prep)
24/6/26 (changed to a Wednesday due to sports day practice)	Year R	Ace Core Skills Lesson 7 (Agility)	Ace Athletics Lesson 2 (Aids with Sports Day Prep)
29/6/26	1 Squirrels	Ace Athletics Lesson 3 (Aids with Sports Day & Athletics Competition Prep)	Ace Athletics Lesson 4 (Aids with Sports Day & Athletics Competition Prep)
6/7/26	1 Hedgehogs	Ace Athletics Lesson 3 (Aids with Sports Day & Athletics Competition Prep)	Ace Athletics Lesson 4 (Aids with Sports Day & Athletics Competition Prep)



Food Treats

From Monday 20th April 2026, staff will no longer be able to accept or distribute food treats brought in to celebrate children's birthdays or other occasions.

This change has been introduced following a couple of recent near misses, where children with allergies were given sweets or chocolates that they are allergic or intolerant to.

Thank you for your understanding as we prioritise the safety and wellbeing of all children.



Friends of Foxhills

Swap Shop Dates:

- Friday 17th July 2026

School Colour Run

- Friday 10th July at 3:15pm
- Non-uniform day – wear an old, light coloured t-shirt to make the colours pop!
- Purchase entries online prior to the event (no entries on the day as you need to sign the online waiver)
- Parents will need to pick their children up at the normal pick-up times and bring their children to the event to register.

This exciting event is guaranteed to bring fun to all who take part and we hope to see as many of you there as possible. All money raised will go back into resources for the school.

<https://www.pta-events.co.uk/friendsoffoxhills/index.cfm?event=event&eventId=117665>



Local Events and Half term Activities

We regularly update our website with news and updates of local activities including half term holiday clubs / childcare support. You can find this by clicking on the Parent tab > Parent resources > Local Activities, Clubs & Events or by clicking the link below.



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

Uniform and School Equipment

Please could we remind you of the following:

- **Ensure all items of your child's clothing are named (name and class if possible).** It is extremely difficult to return lost items to their rightful owner if they are not named.
- **Ensure clothing is weather-appropriate.** The weather in England is very changeable; to allow children to go outside whenever possible for breaktimes, it is important that children are always prepared.
- **Send your child into school with a water bottle.** Water bottles should be plain and school-appropriate. For example, please do not send children with energy drinks/sugary drinks (or water in these bottles).

PLEASE



**NO PEANUTS
OR
NUT PRODUCTS**

Nut Free School

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



Medical Appointments

Please could we ask that where possible medical appointments are booked outside of school hours. We understand that this is not always possible, 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.

Parking outside the school gate

Parking outside school continues to be problematic. Please could we ask that you are considerate towards our neighbours and other road users when parking. Do not park or drop off in the yellow zig zag zone.

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



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.

Ace Sports Summer Holiday Club

Ace Sports are delighted to announce that they will be coming to Foxhills Federation this Summer to run 12 days of Summer Holiday Club FUN!!

Based in the junior school the holiday Club will be packed full of fun sports and activities.

FOXHILLS SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUB 2026

Week 1... Monday 27th to Thursday 30th July

Week 2... Monday 10th to Thursday 13th August

Week 3... Monday 17th to Thursday 20th August

You can book individual days or all 4 days in a week for just £110

Ace Sports offer the following benefits:

- Sibling Discounts
- Full Week Booking Discounts
- Payment via Childcare Vouchers & Tax Free Childcare
- Extended Day Passes
- FREE Ace Mini's Half Day Passes for Year R's Under 5
- Huge Range of Sports & Activities

Clubs are open to children from any school with full days for children aged 5 and upwards.

Full info can be found on the poster and online at www.acesportsandeducation.com/holidayclubs

Kind regards,

The Foxhills Infants Team