



**September 2018**

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**Dates for your diary**

**September**

- 4<sup>th</sup> School starts back
- 6<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> year group meetings for parents
- 17<sup>th</sup> After school clubs start
- 20<sup>th</sup> Y1,2&3 swimming starts
- 25<sup>th</sup> School photographs
- 28<sup>th</sup> 9am Work of the month

**October**

- 19<sup>th</sup> Work of the month and harvest festival

**19<sup>th</sup> end of half term**

**Half term 22<sup>nd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup>**

- 29<sup>th</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> half term starts
- 31<sup>st</sup> internet challenge reward afternoon

**November**

- 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> target setting Parents evening
- 12<sup>th</sup> last after school clubs this week

- 29<sup>th</sup> last swimming

- 30<sup>th</sup> Work of the month

**December**

- 4<sup>th</sup> rec-Y3 flu vaccine day
- 7<sup>th</sup> xmas stories & disco
- 11<sup>th</sup> 2pm nativity play
- 12<sup>th</sup> 9.30am nativity play
- 13<sup>th</sup> 4-6pm Xmas bingo night
- 18<sup>th</sup> Xmas party day

**21st End of term 1.30pm**



**Parkside GGI Academy Newsletter**

'Nurturing, Developing, Inspiring'

**Special Skills:**

This month we are learning to try new things!



**Welcome Back:** We are delighted to see you all and welcome you back to our school which is now a Primary Academy. It is also nice to see so many new faces joining our academy and we hope your child will have a fantastic time here with us. We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at our work of the month assemblies. Year group parent meetings will take place this week and next please see classroom boards for day and time. It is vital you attend we will be sharing crucial information to support your child in their year ahead.

**Communication:** We communicate electronically with all our parents. This is via parentpay for letters, trips, payments etc and we update social media daily so you know what is happening within school. It is vital we have up to date email addresses for all parents involved with each child. If parents are separated, we can set up separate accounts. Every child has an online learning journal, Tapestry which again both parents can have a separate account to access.

**Academy Uniform:** Our uniform and looking smart is a huge part of the ethos in our academy. Please ensure your child follows the uniform policy, including jewelry requirements, and that they have

a PE kit in school this week. Can you also make sure you put your child's name in their uniform including bags, shoes and coats.

**Breakfast club:**

Our breakfast club is extremely popular and runs every morning from 8am no need to book just turn up but you must pay each day as you arrive (£1 from 8am 50p from 8.30am)

**Internet challenges:** These have been very popular from pre school right through year 3. They will be launched every Monday and finish on the Friday. They will start this week and the aim is to complete 5 each half term to win a treat. You must post your challenge on your child's tapestry. Please try to join in with this weekly and support your child's learning at home.

**School Photographs**

Individual and family photographs will be taken in school on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> Sept. On behalf of myself and the staff at Parkside GGI can I thank you for your continued support as we look forward to another exciting year ahead.

Mrs. Caroline Walker

**Term dates 2018-2019**

<b>Autumn Term</b> Tues 4 <sup>th</sup> Sept	<b>Spring Term</b> Tues 8 <sup>th</sup> Jan	<b>Summer Term</b> Mon 15 <sup>th</sup> April
Half term Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup> Oct- Fri 26 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Half term Mon 18 <sup>th</sup> Feb- Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup> Feb	Bank holidays: Good Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> April Easter Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> May
Ends: Fri 21 <sup>st</sup> Dec 1.30pm	Ends: Fri 29 <sup>th</sup> March 1.30pm	Half term Mon 27 <sup>th</sup> May- Fri 31 <sup>st</sup> May
		Ends: Fri 19 <sup>th</sup> July 1.30pm