



Be the best we can be

Head's Lines

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you are all continuing to enjoy the late summer sunshine. It was very pleasant on the gate this morning saying hello to all our lovely children and families.

The curriculum evenings have all taken place this week, so thank you to all parents who attended. I hope you found them useful and you now have a flavor of what to expect in terms of all the exciting things your children will be learning.

We have continued to focus on the value of respect this week and it has been brilliant to see the children doing their best to show off their 'fabulous walking' in school. If you don't know what this is, please ask your child to show you! We are particularly proud of the children of 6DF who demonstrated respect beautifully this afternoon at Woking tennis club by walking through the club absolutely silently, while a tournament was taking place. Members of the public commented to Mrs Dutton to say how impressed they were with the children's behaviour. Well done 6DF!

Can I give all parents a quick reminder that children should not be dropped off at school before 8:30. A few children have been arriving earlier than this and there is no-one to supervise them, so it's important they don't arrive too soon.

I hope you all have a great weekend.

Best wishes,

Mrs Kozlowski

Important Notices:

Please ensure you have the term dates in your diary. The school will not be able to authorise any term time holidays, so please ensure you book within holiday periods.

School dates:

2023-2024 INSET DAYS:

Monday 30th October 2023
Tuesday 2nd January 2024
Monday 19th February 2024



Fabulous Walking!!

Weekly Reminders

Whole School	<p><u>School Day:</u> 8.30 Gates open (Please do not drop children off any earlier) 8.40 Children should be in class for registration 15.15 Gates open 15.20 School Finishes</p> <p><u>Playground Equipment:</u> For Health and Safety reasons, please do not allow your children to play on the playground equipment before or after school.</p>																																																																
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Swimming timetable

Please refer to the swimming timetable below for the forthcoming two weeks. Please ensure that your child/ren have their swimming kit on the day their class is due to swim.

Week commencing	Session	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
18 th September	AM	4C	4C	4C	4C
	PM	5G	5G	5G	5G
25 th September	AM	4E	4E	4E	4E
	PM	5C	5C	5C	5C

Wise Owl Club

Wise Owl have had lots of emails regarding spaces and the waiting list since we started back in September. Unfortunately, the waiting list is still closed, and spaces for the club are not being offered at this current time. When the waiting list reopens, or a space is available to be offered to your child, you will be notified via email.

Many Thanks,
Dawn - Wise Owl Manager

Whats on!

Proud to be part of
Mineworks
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Partnership
NHS Foundation Trust

Separation Anxiety

A short presentation about separation anxiety and how to help your child, followed by an opportunity for an informal chat with any questions.

Who is this for?

This is for parents of children in reception who struggle to go to school in the morning and who may be anxious about leaving you.



Details of the group

Date: 18/09/2023

Time: 8:45-9:15am

Location: Goldsworth Primary

How long for: 30 minutes

How to access

Join us for a chat about separation anxiety at drop off on Monday morning (18/09/23)

Your MHST



Key Dates for autumn 1 term

Please check this weekly as new dates may be published. We will indicate these in red.

Date	Event	Year Group	Community Participation
September			
Please note the Reception Curriculum Evening date will be published in due course			
Monday 18.09.2023	Friends of Goldsworth AGM (7pm in class 5C, please enter via the Year 5 gate)	Whole School	Parents/Carers are invited to attend the Friends of Goldsworth AGM
Monday 18.09.2023	Separation Anxiety	Reception (only)	8.45 – 9.15
Tuesday 19.09.23	Around the World workshop	Year 1 & Year 2	Year 1 and Year 2 children
Friday 29.09.23	Viking workshop	Year 3	Year 3 children
Monday 02.10.23	Reception Bus visit	Reception	Reception children
Wednesday 04.10.23	Year 1 RWI Phonics workshop for parents (9am)	Year 1	Year 1 Parents/Carers are invited to attend. More details to follow
Friday 06.10.23	Year 2 Ancient Greek workshop	Year 2	Year 2 children

Friends of Goldsworth Key Dates

News from the Friends of Goldsworth

Hello and welcome back! We hope the children have enjoyed their first full week in their new classes.

The Friends of Goldsworth are already hard at work planning lots of fun events to help raise money for our wonderful school.

Dates for your diary:

18th September - Friends of Goldsworth AGM (details below)

16th October – second hand uniform sale (3.20pm in the main hall)

3rd November – Happy Bags clothes donations

5th November – Fireworks Festival

Keep Up To Date

All our events, as well as where to buy tickets and how to volunteer as a parent helper, can be found on our website www.pta-events.co.uk/friendsofgoldsworth

Please also follow us on social media for updates and reminders:

Facebook www.facebook.com/friendsofgoldsworth

Instagram www.instagram.com/friendsofgoldsworth

Friends of Goldsworth AGM – this Monday

Don't forget that the annual general meeting of the Friends of Goldsworth is taking place on Monday (18 September) at 7pm.

All families in the school are automatically part of the Friends and are invited to attend either in person in class 5C or by dialling in using the Microsoft Teams link below.

The Friends raises tens of thousands of pounds each year for the school, and at the AGM you can find out where the money is spent, and plans for the year ahead.

All activities run by the Friends are organised by volunteers – everything from the summer fayre to the disco. Supporting the Friends is a great way to get involved with the school community, while raising much needed money to support the school.

There are all kinds of ways to support the Friends – please email trustees@goldsworthfriends.org.uk to find out more. One way is to join the trustees committee, which is elected every year at the AGM. The Friends is particularly interested in hearing from anyone who would like to take on the role of secretary.

Microsoft Teams meeting

Join on your computer, mobile app or room device

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 334 088 381 952

Passcode: YHLJBS