



NLS Newsletter

Autumn term 13.09.2024

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Diary Dates 2024/2025



Autumn Term 2024- Tuesday 3rd September-Friday 20th December

Half term - 28th Oct-1st Nov

Inset days Monday 2nd September & Monday 4th November

Spring Term 2025- Monday 6th January-Friday 4th April

Half term - Monday 17th-Friday 21st February

Summer Term 2025- Tuesday 22nd April-Monday 21st July

Bank holiday Monday 5th May

Half term- Monday 26th-Friday 30th May

Inset days Monday 23rd May, Monday 21st July & Tuesday 22nd July



Flu vaccinations 26th November 2024

Individual/sibling photos 29th November 2024

Cut off dates for booking meals via ParentPay

	Book by	For W/C
Menu week 1	12-Sep	23-Sep
Menu week 2	19-Sep	30-Sep
Menu week 3	26-Sep	07-Oct

Menu week 1	03-Oct	14-Oct
Menu week 2	10-Oct	21-Oct
Menu week 3	17-Oct	28-Oct

Menu week 1	24-Oct	04-Nov
Menu week 2	31-Oct	11-Nov
Menu week 3	07-Nov	18-Nov

Menu week 1	14-Nov	25-Nov
Menu week 2	21-Nov	02-Dec
Menu week 3	28-Nov	09-Dec

Please note when ordering meals for your child: DO NOT book a trips packed lunch. This is only for schools who offer a Chartwells packed lunch for day trips and does not mean that your child will get a packed lunch provided at school.



Attendance winners

Every week we celebrate attendance.

The class with the best attendance this week are 6K & 2M

They both had an amazing 98.8% attendance for this week!

Year Group Meetings

We were delighted to see so many of you at the yr4,5 & 6 year group meetings this week. It was lovely to see you all and we do hope you found them useful.

The lower school meetings take place this week:

Year group	Date	Time	Location
1	Tuesday 17 th Sept	3:05-3:35	1A
2	Wednesday 18 th Sept	3:05-3:35	2M
3	Thursday 19 th Sept	3:05-3:35	3M

These meetings are hugely important for parents to attend as we will be setting out our expectations and giving out key information for the year ahead. We do hope to see you all there.

Secondary School Application

If your child is currently in year 6 then you can now apply for a place at secondary school online. **The deadline for applications is 31st October.**

It is easy and safe to apply for a secondary school place online by logging on to www.westsussex.gov.uk/admissions. Please read the relevant pages on the website before you begin your application. Please be aware that the email address that you provide will be shared with the allocated and preference schools, as parents and schools increasingly communicate electronically. If you do not have access to the internet, either at home or at work, free internet access to make school applications is available at all West Sussex libraries and Children and Family Centres.

Any application received after the deadline will be considered as out of time or late and will not be processed until after all on time applications

You can express up to three preferences for secondary schools. All your preferences will be considered against the oversubscription criteria of your preferred schools. If your child can be offered a place at more than one school listed on the application, they will be offered a place at the higher listed school. Please do not put down the same preference more than once as your child can only be ranked once for each preferred school. Please do not include independent schools, schools where you do not want a place for your child or Elective Home Education as preferences.

- Children with Education Health Care Plans: parents should already have been contacted by the Special Educational Needs Assessment Team (SENAT). If you have not, please contact them using the details shown on our website or call 03330 142 903. DO NOT APPLY ONLINE.
- Children resident outside West Sussex: parents are required to complete a transfer application through the local authority responsible for their address, even if the preference is for a school in another local authority's area. If you have any questions, please contact your local authority, or visit their website for information on how to apply. If you wish your child to be considered for a place at their catchment school, you must include this as one of your three preferences.

The national allocation of places will be released on Monday 3 March 2025 and parents who provide a valid e-mail address with their application will be sent an email advising of the school offered to their child on this day.

See the information leaflets at the end of the newsletter for more information.

Asda Rewards App- Cashpot for schools

Calling all parents/carers/grandparents/extended family friends-we need your support!

Please download Asda Rewards app- it is free to sign up and every time someone nominates North Lancing School, the school receives £1!

Then if you shop, a percentage of the cost goes back to our school. This great scheme has already raised £183.52! There are only 78 days left of the campaign so don't delay!

INTRODUCING CASHPOT FOR SCHOOLS

Download and opt-in with Asda Rewards and we will donate ££s to schools.

CASHPOT FOR SCHOOLS

Only with **ASDA Rewards**

Download and opt-in today

HERE'S HOW

- 1 Download the Asda Rewards app & sign up today
- 2 Opt-in to Cashpot for Schools and follow the steps in your app
- 3 Shop, scan and we donate

With **Parenikind**

Selected stores. Minimum spend £2+. Exclusions apply including Asda Express & George.com. Subject to availability. UK 18+. App & Opt In required. 0.5% of the value of a customer's eligible shop is donated. Publicly funded primary schools, must register with Parenikind charity 1072633. Full T&Cs at asda.com/cashpotforschools. Rewards T&Cs at asda.com/rewards/terms. Ends 30.11.24

Staff Car Park

Polite reminder that parents **should not be** parking in the staff car park unless they have a parking permit issued by Mrs Brown. Thank you

School Census Day

Thursday 3rd October is school census day. As such, all children in years R-2 will be offered a hot meal. All schools' annual funding for hot meals is based on uptake on census day therefore all children in those year groups will have the opportunity to try a hot meal on that day. If you do not book a meal option yourself via ParentPay then a meal will be automatically allocated for your child just for that one day. They can still bring a packed lunch as normal if you think they will not want to try a hot meal. See poster at the end of the newsletter for more details

Thank you

PTA AGM

The PTA are holding their Annual General Meeting on Tues 24th Sept at 7pm in the school studio. All parents are welcome to come along; we would love to see you there!

Clubs

Clubs run by staff will start next week. There are a few exceptions to this. **Cartoon drawing club, Drop, Draw & Doodle & Lego club all start after half term.** Some clubs (Netball, Wheels & School Social Media Clubs) were an expression of interest only. We will contact you to let you know if your child has a place.

Pupil Achievements

Lyra B completed a 12 mile sponsored walk (in terrible weather conditions!) to raise money for Malawi last weekend.

Florence D earned her Royal Lifesaving Society Rookie Lifeguard Bronze Award, receiving a badge and certificate.

Robyn H achieved her Swim England Water Safety Level 2 certificate and badge.

Ozzy R completed the Library Summer Reading challenge and earned a certificate and medal.

Hot Chocolate Superstars

Olivia C, Henry G, Kya-Rose N, Georgie J, Asa L-B, Grace C, Finley J, Jude G, Brodie L, Olivia J, Chiwetelu I, Thea M, Isobel G, Marty R, Caro H, Poppy C, Abby H, Owen R.

Headteacher's Awards

Max N, Sonny D, Phoebe C, James G, Darcey G, Sienna-Mae M, George A.

PARENTS & GUARDIANS

HOW CAN YOU HELP OUR SCHOOL'S FUNDING?

WHAT IS CENSUS DAY?

Census Day is an important day in the Primary School calendar, as the Government will use the numbers of those who eat school meals on this day to identify the level of funding each school receives.

Put simply, the more children eating a school meal on this day, the more funding your school can access.



WHEN IS IT?
3RD OCTOBER
2024

WHEN DO I
NEED TO
BOOK?

BEFORE THE
19TH SEPTEMBER

WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT TO GROW OUR GOVERNMENT FUNDING... HERE'S HOW!

Make sure you book a meal for the day! Use your ParentPay login and order a meal for the 3rd October 2024, whichever meal your child would prefer. Please note the dessert for this day will be a vegan pancake with syrup, to make it extra special!

If your child has a special diet, we have a GF vegan shortbread available for dessert or their usual menu will remain in place.



CENSUS DAY 2024

AMERICAN THEME DAY
3RD OCTOBER 2024

MENU

Beef Burger & Chips,

Macaroni & Cheese,

-

Side of Sweetcorn or Baked Beans or
Salad

-

Vegan Pancake with Syrup



SPECIAL DIETS

SD GF Tomato & Lentil
Pasta

-

Side of Sweetcorn or
Baked Beans or Salad

-

GF Vegan Shortbread
*or usual menu remains in
place

Apply online at:
westsussex.gov.uk/admissions



Is your child due to transfer to secondary school in September 2025?

Apply online!

It's simple, convenient and time-saving. If your application is received after the deadline, your chance of securing a place at one of your preference schools could be seriously affected.

You can apply online from **Monday 2 September 2024**. If you would like further advice or information, phone: **03330 142 903**.

Deadline: Thursday 31 October 2024

Free internet access to apply online is available at all West Sussex libraries.



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West Sussex SENDIAS Service

Is your child starting primary school or transferring to junior or secondary school in September 2025?

Do you think, for

- whatever reason, you**
- may struggle with the**
- Admissions process?**

Secondary School

Online applications open:

Monday 2 September 2024.

Deadline for applying for a secondary school place for your child is:

Thursday 31 October 2024.

Primary School (inc. infant/junior)

Online applications open:

Monday 7 October 2024.

Deadline for applying for a school place for your child is:

Wednesday 15 January 2025.

For more information on the admissions process:
www.westsussex.gov.uk/admissions

If so, the West Sussex SENDIAS Service can:

- explain the admissions process to you**
- help you to make an informed decision about your child's schools of preference**
- help you to fill in the online application form.**

Please contact the SENDIAS Service:

Helpline: 0330 222 8555

Email: send.ias@westsussex.gov.uk

www.westsussexsendias.org



Children's Yoga & Wellbeing sessions

Monthly workshops

Saturday 21st Sept 1-3pm
 Sunday 20th Oct 1-3pm
 Sunday 17th Nov 1-3pm
 Sunday 15th Dec 10:30am - 12:30pm

£16 per session
 £60 all four

BOOK

With Natalie

07738297587

Facebook.com/dramaticwaves

St Michael's Church Hall, South St, Lancing BN158AJ

Yoga Bears

Increases

- ★ Confidence & self-esteem
- ★ Communication & social skills
- ★ Well being & mental health
- ★ Emotion regulation
- ★ Sense of calm

Reduces

- ★ Stress
- ★ Anxiety
- ★ Aggression



Dramatic waves
 life skills through creative experiences

- ★ Individual & paired yoga
- ★ Group games
- ★ Mindful and sensory activities
- ★ Storytelling
- ★ Music

"It is brilliant - my daughter really enjoys it. I have also seen an improvement in anger management and self-control" - mother of daughter aged 9



Book our hall for your children's party!

£20/HOUR
 MONDAY-SATURDAY
 9AM - 10PM
 KITCHEN AVAILABLE



FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO EXPRESS AN INTEREST
 VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT WWW.CHALKSPRINGCHURCHES.ORG/HIRE-OUR-HALLS,
 EMAIL THE OFFICE ON OFFICE@CHALKSPRINGCHURCHES.ORG OR PHONE 01903 750286



TOP GUN CHEERLEADING SCHOOL CLUB

We are excited to announce our cheer club at North Lancing. Here you can learn new skills, have a blast, and make new friends. Whether you're a beginner or looking to enhance your cheer skills, our club is perfect for everyone. Don't miss out on the fun—join us today and experience the excitement of cheerleading!

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO JOIN PLEASE EMAIL TOPGUNJAGSUK@GMAIL.COM

TUESDAYS 3:00-4:00PM

Run Half Termly, dates for the first term: 10/09, 17/09, 24/09 and 01/10, 08/10, 15/10, 22/10
 £38.50 for the Half Term



DAVISON

 C.E. High School for Girls

Come and have a look at our school

OPEN MORNINGS 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th September 9.00am - 11.00am

OPEN EVENING 1st October 5.00pm - 7.00pm

Presentation and Headteacher talks 5.30pm - 6.30pm

For further details: www.davison.w-sussex.sch.uk

**We are delighted to be able to invite you to our forthcoming open events
for admissions in September 2025**

Please come along and have a look at our school, the preferred date for families of your primary school to attend the Open Morning is **Thursday 26th September** and there is no need to book.

Please see the link below to our e-prospectus for more information:

<https://www.davison.w-sussex.sch.uk/admissions/prospectus/>

We are very much looking forward to meeting you.

Davison CE High School for Girls