

April 2024



As we come to the end of another term, we wish everyone a safe and happy holiday. To our families celebrating Eid, we wish you a very happy day. To our families celebrating Easter, we wish you a very happy day.



Awards

Congratulations to children who received a spring term award!

Each term our awards recognise important values that our school holds. Over the year all children will be recognised for their good work in developing at least one of these important values, their progress or through a subject award.



A big thank you to The Teesside Family Foundation and The National Literacy Trust whose kind donations made for a lovely end of term raffle. Everyone went home with a lovely treat!



Sports' Morning Invitation to parents

As part of our commitment to the Creating Active Schools programme, we would like to share our good work around sport and PE and invite parents/carers to join us with a carousel of activities that show skills of teamwork, collaboration, encouragement and fair play.

Please look out for a letter and ticket with more details.

Star Performers!

Congratulations to Emily and James who performed at His Majesty's Theatre in the heart of London recently. We are very proud of them both!



We Need You

FOR AN ALBERT PARK PHYSICAL ACTIVITY STEERING GROUP



Steering Group
Questionnaire

WHAT IS A STEERING GROUP?

A steering group is a group of people with a joint ambition. In this case, it will be to make Albert Park more active, appealing and exciting for families to use.

1 MEET ONCE EVERY SIX WEEKS

The group will plan to meet every six weeks, organised by Lucy the Creating Active Families Officer, to discuss wishes, plans, actions and outcomes of the group.

2 WHY A STEERING GROUP?

We know so many families are not using Albert Park and we also know a lot of families have ideas on how to improve the park. With your ideas and commitment, we want to make Albert Park more active and exciting.

3 ENJOY THE PARK, LED BY YOU

As the ideas will be led by you (parents/community members surrounding the park), it will be your pride and joy to enjoy. The hope is that the group will have the insight to be able to make the park a booming social venue once again.

Interested? Contact lucy.melville@ressp.co.uk or leave your name and contact details at the school

BRING IT ON!

Free holiday activities for children and young people in Middlesbrough and Redcar & Cleveland.*

GET INVOLVED!

Sports, Fitness & Dance • Arts & Crafts
Park Activities & Nature Trails • Cooking Skills
Health & Wellbeing Activities & more!

BOOK NOW!

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What are you waiting for?



* for children and young people in receipt of benefit related free school meals.
For more information call 01642 728888.



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The holiday activities and food programme (HAF)
is funded by the Department for Education



Online Safety

Advice and support from the following websites may be useful for keeping your child safe online.

Internet matters - for support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online

Net-aware - for support for parents and carers from the NSPCC

Parent info - for support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online

Thinkuknow - for advice from the National Crime Agency to stay safe online

UK Safer Internet Centre - advice for parents and carers

O₂ NSPCC
Let's keep kids safe online

The Local Offer is developed, monitored and reviewed with the help of young people, parents, carers and professionals.

The website will help you to find information as well as helping us to identify and commission services that Middlesbrough's young people with SEND need.

For more information on Middlesbrough's Local Offer, please visit



www.middlesbrough.gov.uk/localoffer

or call 01642 727 598

Find information on:

- Education and training
- Early years and childcare
- Health and wellbeing
- Leisure activities
- Transport
- Social care
- Support services
- Money and benefits
- Becoming an adult

STEMFEST

TEES VALLEY

We are learning about the world of work opportunities. Our pupils joined many other children to learn about the world of career opportunities at Stemfest this March. About 40 North East companies delivered hands-on activities about job roles available in the Tees Valley. The children have a great time and we know they are excited for their future!



Silverlining Animation



A big thanks to ex pupil Ben White and his company, Silverlining Animation, who came to school to talk to us about what a career in animation looks like. We learnt how to make an animation and how they can be used in the everyday media around us. A great morning, thank you!

ECO Club News

Eco club joined in with the RSPB Bird watch last month and made our feathered friends some treats!



Y5 Enjoy Forest School In All Weather!



Attendance at School

When children attend school consistently they are more likely to do well in their work but also build strong relationships. It also shows a reliability which will help prepare children for life beyond education. By law, parents are responsible for ensuring all children of compulsory school age attend school or are educated at home. If your child misses school for at least 10% of the time they will be classed as persistently absent, which is treated seriously (unless there is a valid reason such as serious illness). Parents can be fined or even prosecuted.

Types of absence

Unauthorised Absence There are times when children are absent for reasons, which are not permitted. These are known as “unauthorised absences”. Examples of unauthorised absence are:

Waiting for a delivery

Taking or collecting a relative to/from the airport

Going for a family day out

Sleeping in after a late night

Going shopping or for a haircut, uniform, shoes

Because it is your child’s birthday or any other family member’s birthday

Term time holiday/cheap flights/visiting family

Family weddings

Parent’s or grandparent’s illness

Where there is no explanation for an absence or where the explanation or reason for the absence is considered unsatisfactory, absence will be recorded as ‘unauthorised’.

Continued unauthorised absence can lead to legal procedures against parents and this may mean parents are issued with a penalty notice fine or even a summons to the magistrate’s court.

Authorised absence — You must apply for permission and school may also request further evidence to support the reasons.

If your child is too ill to attend, please let us know. It’s important to stay in touch with the school so we can work with you to minimise disruption to your child’s learning.

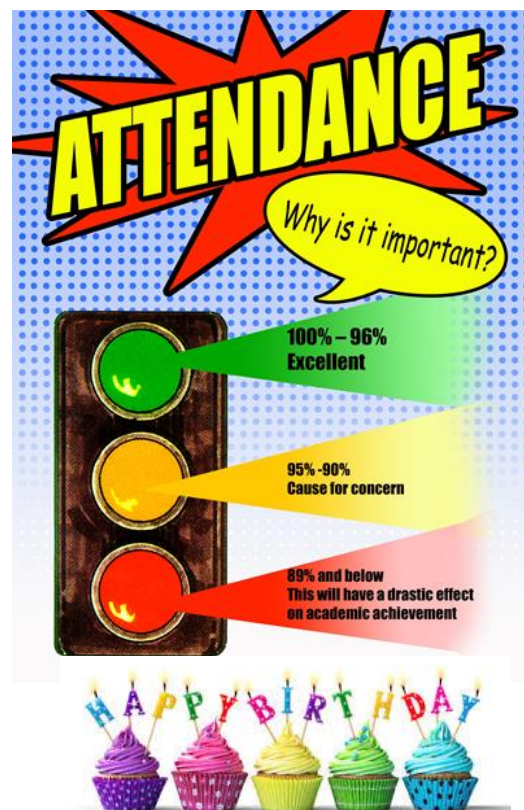
We value your support in helping us to maintain the high standards to which we always aspire.

**Be on time 8.30am
gates close 8.40am!**

Diary Dates



Thursday 28th March	Last day of term
Friday 29th March—Friday 5th April	Easter Holidays—School Closed
Monday 8th April	Back to school
Monday 6th May	Bank Holiday
Monday 27th May—Friday 7th June	School Holidays—School Closed
Monday 10th June	Back to school



Shehzeena	Joseph
Inaya	Tanisha
Mohammad	Prosper
Ifeatu	Mohamed Yousif
McKenzie	Ritaj
Zaryaab	Salihom
Adyan	Hano
Daniyal	Aseel
Jessica	Liyana
Fayha	Kristina
Ayaan A	Lami
Amira	Balkees
Laiba	Khadija Parves
Ali	Shehreedha
Samit	Asnaa
Isaac	Benjamin
Hassina	Safina
Ziyad	Leila
Walter	Ayaan R
Chizaram	William
Zohaib	Maya
Suad	Ben
Daisy	Dilbagh
Sebastian	Leo
Eshal	Lina
Joshua	Ilana-Violet