

Marshbrook Newsletter

Marshbrook cares!



Year 2 trip to Stafford Castle ...

Year 2 visited Stafford Castle this week and had a fantastic time. Children were able to explore, dress up and take part in a workshop in the afternoon.

They all learnt lots of information which is all helpful with the Topic that they are learning about this half term.



Attendance

It is important that children attend school every day. Attendance should remain at 96% across the year.

Reception	97%
Year 1	99%
Year 2	96%
Year 3	94%
Year 4	97%

Reception Places 2024...

The application process for a reception place for September 2024 will open on 01 November 2023.

Issue 7: Friday 19th October 2023



OCTOBER:

25th- Halloween Disco 3.15-5.00pm

27th- Halloween Themed lunch

27th- Dress Down Day, please donate some chocolate

NOVEMBER:

6th- Bonfire Themed lunch

7th- Parents Evening 3.30pm-5.00pm

8th- Parents Evening 4.30pm-6.30pm

17th- Children In Need

DECEMBER:

12th- Nursery/Reception/Y1 Xmas Nativity at 10.00am

12th- Nursery/Reception/Y1 Xmas Nativity at 2.15pm

13th- Y2/Y3/Y4 Xmas Play at 9.30am

14th- Y2/Y3/Y4 Xmas Play at 2.00pm

21st- Christmas Party at dinner time

21st- WOW assembly

22nd- INSET Day

STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAYS FOR
2023-2024

22nd December 2023

22nd July 2024

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Staffordshire Schools Term Dates

Autumn Term 2023

Inset day: Monday 4 September

Term starts: Tuesday 5 September

Holiday: Monday 30 October - Friday 3 November

Term ends: Friday 22 December

INSET Day Friday 22 December

Holiday: Monday 25 December - Friday 5 January

Spring Term 2024

Term Starts: Monday 8 January

Holiday: Monday 12 February – Friday 16 February

Term Ends: Friday 22 March

Holiday: Monday 25 March – Friday 5 April

Easter Sunday: Sunday 31 March

Summer Term 2024

Term Starts: Monday 8 April

May Day: Monday 6 May

Holiday: Monday 27 May – Friday 31 May

Term Ends: Monday 22 July

INSET Day Monday 22 July

Holiday: Tuesday 23 July – Friday 30 August

WALK TO SCHOOL MONTH

We are encouraging pupils and parents to take part in Walk to School Month this October. Walking is a healthy, active and non-polluting way of getting to school. For those that live too far away to walk the whole distance, try parking 5-10 minutes from school and walk the rest of the way. Walking also promotes a less congested environment around the school gates making it safer for everyone. Let's all try to walk to school if we can!

Marshbrook First School Parent Teacher Association Presents



**Marshbrook
Halloween Disco
Years R to Y4
Wednesday 25th
October
3.15pm - 5.00pm**

This is open to all Marshbrook pupils from Reception to Year 4 and will be held in school (sorry no parents or siblings).

Admission is £3 per child including a snack and drink.

There will be a tuck shop available with other snacks and toys to purchase. Please send no more than £3 in change, in a purse or bag which your child will keep with them during the evening. Refreshments will be available at all times.

There will be no tickets for this event. **Please give consent and pay for your child(ren) to attend using ParentPay.** There is no closing date for payment before the event and payment can be made on the day. Unfortunately, we are not able to accept cash payments. Please ensure all payments are made through ParentPay.

Collection after the disco will be from the door your child(ren) normally exits from at the end of the school day.

Emergency contact details (if needed) will be taken from the school system so please ensure contact details are up to date.

May we take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support of PTA events - it is very much appreciated.