# **Canterbury Cross Newsletter**



## **Extended Holidays**

In line with Government requirements and Birmingham City Council policies, we are unable to authorise absence in term time.

Prosecution of parents/carers, Education Act 1996 Section 444

# Attendance

If your child is feeling unwell or has a medical appointment, please inform the school by 9.30am. If you do not inform the school, a truancy call will be sent out. If a reason is still not given your child's absence will be recorded as unauthorised. Please ensure your child attends school regularly and does not have unnecessary time off. The school's target for attendance is 95%. If a child's attendance figure is 95% or below, then we consider them to be a cause for concern, as this level of absence can severely affect a child's education.

Dates for your Diary	
24/05/2024	School closes for half term
03/06/2024	School re-opens
03/06/2024	Year 1 Twycross Zoo
03/06/2024	3SM start swimming (03/06/24-11/06/2024)
12/06/2024	3Q start swimming (12/06/2024-20/06/2024)
17/06/2024	Teacher training day (school closed to pupils)
18/06/2024	Eid activities (non-uniform)
21/06/2024	Sports Day Reception-Year 6
24/06/2024-26/06/2024	Year 6 residential to Bell Heath
02/07/2024	Year 4 class trip to Woodlands
09/07/2024	Year 5 class trip to Woodlands
10/07/2024	Reception Graduation AM
10/07/2024	Year 6 Graduation PM
15/07/2024	Parents' Evening drop in (3.50-5.45)
17/07/2024	Nursery celebration assembly
17/07/2024	Year 6 leavers' party
19/07/2024	Year 6 leavers' assembly
19/07/2024	School breaks up for end of year
22/07/2024	Teacher training day (school closed to pupils)
02/09/2024	Teacher training day (school closed to pupils)
03/09/2024	Teacher training day (school closed to pupils)
04/09/2024	School re-opens to pupils

#### SIMS Parent App – Reminder

We will be sending the majority of our letters out via the parent app.

Please ensure we have your updated email address on the system. Any issues, please visit the school office.

## Twitter

Please scan the QR code or search our twitter/X name to take a look at our school Twitter/X page!



@Canterburycross

## Dinner Money

Dinner money for next half term from Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June to Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July is £ 85.00 (£2.50 per day).

If you want to change your child's meal arrangement, please complete a meal change form from the school office. Any changes to meal arrangements without completing a form will need to be paid for!

<sup>\*</sup>Please be aware be these dates or events are subject to change