



**Rise Park**  
Academy Trust



**March 2020**

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are now moving through the Spring term and are busy with many curricular and enrichment activities, including Book Week, Sports Relief, sporting events, Reception spring assemblies. Some interesting and enjoyable year group visits have also been arranged in order to support the children with their current topic work.

We are also approaching Mothers' Day; the PTFA will be holding their usual Mothers' Day stalls in the Infant hall on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March, if your child would like to purchase a gift for someone special on that day. They are organising Easter parties for the Infant children, with the Reception party being held on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> April and the Year One and Two party on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April. A PTFA Junior Inflatables event is also being planned for Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May.

Please note that the May Bank holiday had been moved to Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May this year, which falls after the Polling Day on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May, so the nursery and schools will be closed for this two-day period.

All other calendar events that have been confirmed for the remainder of this school year are listed on the next pages, for your information and reference.

With many thanks to you for your support of our nursery and schools.

*Carolyn Fox.*



Please be advised that the local authority are now undertaking regular parking patrols within our schools' locality in order to enforce all required parking restrictions.

Any breach of this will result in a fixed term penalty charge. Thank you for your support with the safeguarding of our school community at all times.



As part of the trust's planned maintenance programme, the school car park will be resurfaced during a holiday period in order to improve this site facility.

The Multi Use Games Area project is now undergoing its final planning approvals after which its construction is planned for the summer break, in preparation for its use in the forthcoming school year.

### Site Projects

### Uniform Policy

Please note that the following items are not permitted to be worn in school at any time:

**Nail polish**

**Earrings/necklaces/bracelets  
Fitbit/Apple i-watches**

**Multi coloured jumpers/light jackets  
instead of regulation green  
jumpers/sweatshirts.**

**Please contact your class teacher if  
you have any concerns with regard to  
uniform provision. Thank you.**



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## TERM DATES – SPRING/SUMMER 2020

W/c Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March	Book Week
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day (Pupil Dressing Up Day) Both Schools.
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> March	Sports Relief Day Both Schools
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> March	Infant Metropolitan Police Assemblies
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> March Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March	Parents' Evenings
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	PTFA Mothers' Day Stalls Infant hall
Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> March	Junior School Book Fair Arrives
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> March	Reception Spring Assembly
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April	<b>TERM ENDS</b>
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	<b>INSET DAY</b>
	<b>Easter Break 6<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> April</b>
<b>SUMMER TERM</b>	
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> April	PTFA Reception Easter Party
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April	PTFA Years 1 and 2 Parties
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>POLLING DAY</b>
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>May Bank Holiday</b>
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> May	KS2 SATs Week KS1 SATs Assessments Commence
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	PTFA Junior Inflatables Event
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> – Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 5 Visits to Valence House



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	Half Term 25 <sup>th</sup> - 29 <sup>th</sup> May
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June	<b>INSET DAY</b>
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 3 visit to Colchester Castle
W/C Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 1 Phonics Testing
	Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check (3 weeks)
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> June – Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 Residential Visit to Stubbers
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> June	Arts Week (both schools)
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Reception visit to Bedfords Park
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	Infant Sports Morning
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Nursery Sports Morning
Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	PTFA Summer Fayre
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	Junior Sports Morning
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> July	Infants Sports Morning Reserve
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 2 Concert
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Reports Out
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> July	Display Evenings 3.30 - 6.00pm (Nursery 3.45 – 5pm)
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Junior Sports Morning Reserve
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	PTFA Year 2 Leavers' Party
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Concerts 9.15 /2.15pm
	Year 3 Transition meeting 6pm
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly 2.15pm
	<b>TERM ENDS</b>

## **SCHOOL CLOSURE DATES**

Please note that the schools will be closed for the following days:

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April (INSET)**

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May (Polling Day)**

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May (May Bank Holiday)**

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June (INSET)**

**N.B. We return to school for the summer term on **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2020****

**For further information, please visit our school websites:**

[www.riseparknursery.co.uk](http://www.riseparknursery.co.uk)

[www.riseparkinfants.co.uk](http://www.riseparkinfants.co.uk)

[www.riseparkjuniors.co.uk](http://www.riseparkjuniors.co.uk)