



Dear Parents/Carers,

A very warm welcome to you and your children. I hope that you have had an enjoyable and relaxing summer and that you are looking forward to the year ahead.

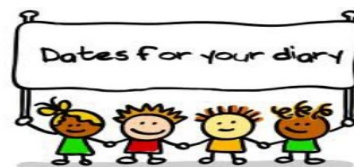
There have been some very exciting changes to the Tollgate staff this September, we have recruited some excellent additions to our team. Firstly, I would like to welcome Emma Gent, a fantastic teacher, who will be working alongside Miss Pitter in year 1. I would also like to introduce Gerry Norton. Gerry will be joining the year 6 team as a Teaching Assistant. His passion for creative writing will be a skill that greatly benefits the children.

Kerry Stubbs is our newly appointed Welfare Assistant. She will be on hand to deal with any minor first aid issues that may arise. The start of the new academic year has been a successful one. However, please remember that if you have any worries or concerns, no matter how trivial you may feel they are, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind Regards

Emma O' Connor

Headteacher



Half Term

Last day of school
Friday 19th October 2018
Return to school
Monday 5th November 2018

Christmas Break

Last day of school
Friday 21st December 2018
Return to school
Friday 4th January 2019

Half Term

Last day of school
Friday 15th February 2019
Return to school
Monday 25th February 2019

Easter Break

Last day of school
Friday 5th April 2019
Return to school
Tuesday 23rd April 2019

Half Term

Last day of school
Friday 24th May 2019
Return to school
Monday 3rd June 2019

May Day

Monday 6th May 2019

Homework Timetable

Monday	Spelling
Tuesday	Multiplication Tables
Wednesday	English
Thursday	Mathematics
Friday	Reading

Road works

The surrounding roads outside our school are currently undergoing construction. This will be continuing over the next couple of weeks. We ask that parents be mindful of where they park their car when dropping off and collecting their children.



Tollgate Afterschool Provision

The way in which you pay for the Tollgate Afterschool Provision (TAP) is changing. All payments will now have to be paid in advance for you child to attend TAP. Please note that the school will no longer be accepting Cheques as a form of payment going forward. If you have any questions regarding how to make a payment, please see Abde in the school office.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast club is available everyday at the Family Centre from 7.45 in the morning.
The price is £1 per child, per day.

Monday: Toast with jam and cheese - selection of cereals -- milk, water or fresh juice

Tuesday: Porridge with banana and honey/ Bagels & Crumpets with jam and cheese - selection of cereals - Water, milk or fresh juice

Wednesday: Beans on toast - selection of cereal - Water, milk or fresh juice

Thursday: Scrambled egg on Muffins- Selection of cereals - Water, Milk or fresh juice

Friday: Pancakes with lemons - selection of cereals - Toast. Water, milk or fresh juice



Coffee Morning

Over the next six weeks, you will have the opportunity to meet your child's teacher as we will be holding coffee mornings in the Family Centre. Please check the dates below for your child's year group.

Reception: 10th September 2018

Year 1: 17th September 2018

Year 2: 24th October 2018

Year 3: 1st October 2018

Year 4: 8th October 2018

Year 5: 15th October 2018

Year 6: 17th October 2018



Stars of the Week

The following children have received their star of the week certificate:

Faith	1G
Ketrina	1G
Chloe	1P
Anastasia	1P
Hassan	2M
Jamile	2M
Jasmine	2S
Akiv	2S
Daleeyah	3C
Lamin	3C
Makayla	3S
Moussa	3S
Sumaya	4C
Ruby	4C
Lacey	4D
Maryam C	4D
Hina	5C
Morgan	5C
Nailah	5M
Jakub	5M
Muhtasim	6P
Ruby	6P

