

## A note from the Head

Dear Parents and Carers

Firstly, thank you all so much for coming and supporting our Sports Day on Monday, it was so lovely to once again see parents and families back in school. We were so proud of all our children, their sportsmanship was second to none. Well done to our Year 6s who captained their teams so well. Thank you to Mrs Miali who did a wonderful job of organising, I am sure you will agree it ran like clockwork. The children really showed what Kings Nympton is about, the way they supported the younger children was amazing to see. I know Preschool really enjoyed it too, well done all!



A huge thank you to our wonderful Friends of Kings Nympton who bought ice-lollies for the children to have at the end, I know they went down very well! We really do appreciate everyone's support. We look forward to more events in the new academic year where parents can come into school to share events with their children.

This week saw our second residential for our Year 6s, with their two-day surf residential in Bude. There will be more updates on this trip in next week's newsletter. In the meantime I hope you managed to follow us on Facebook to see what they were up to and we have also put a gallery on our website which we will add to on their return: <https://www.woodlandfederation.org.uk/kingsnympton/about-us/photo-gallery> We are also looking forward to our last Year 6 activity where we will be heading down to Splashdown in Torquay during the last week of term.

The leavers' hoodies have arrived and the children had a sneak preview of them this week, including a quick photo-shoot! We are all looking forward to sending them off in style over the next couple of weeks, culminating in our Leavers' Assembly on Friday 22nd at 9am, to which all school families are invited. Preschool leavers are having a separate event on Thursday 21st at 9.30am.

Preschool had a lovely day at The Big Sheep with their family and friends from Winkleigh this week. Thank you to all the parents who have taken the time to send in photos and tell us about the day. It really did sound like a lovely excursion. Thank you to Mrs Roadnight for organising and for Tammie going along and doing such a lovely job with the children on her day off!

Finally, please don't forget to send the children into school with sunhats and plenty of water next week. Have a lovely weekend.

*Benmore*

# DIARY DATES

W/C 11TH JULY



Daily	8.00am deadline for booking school meals on the Gateway
Monday 11th July	Online bookings close for Parents' Evening at midday Meeting with Mrs Godly for parents of children moving into Reception in September, 1500-1530 (in school)
Tuesday 12th July	Move-up Day 1—see email dated 07.07.22 Online Parents' Evening (pre-booked appointments) Cookery Club, 1530-1630 (last session) School office closed for off-site training
Wednesday 13th July	Deadline for booking After School Clubs for next term Move-up Day 2 Preschool parents' meetings as arranged with Mrs Roadnight Online Parent's Evening (pre-booked appointments) After School Sports Club with SSW
Thursday 14th July	Bga2School drop-off deadline, 0900 at 7 Steeple Meadow Parents' Forum, 0900, see email dated 06.07.22 Stay & Play, 10am-11.30am (last session of the term) Lunchtime Basketball Club, open to all children No Art Club (programme complete)
Friday 15th July	

Emails sent this week: Class 1 Bude Trip, Parent Forum Agenda Items, Autumn Term Clubs, Move-up Days, Cookery Club

# WHAT'S ON?

SUMMER HALF TERM 2



Don't forget to like our Facebook page for news and updates



Every Thursday, 1000-1130

A free and friendly session for babies, toddlers and their parents/carers.

Last session Thursday 14th

Move-Up Days



Tuesday  
12th &  
Wednesday  
13th July

Parents' Forum

Thursday 14th July, 0900



**KINGS NYMPTON**  
Primary School

Year 6  
Splashdown Trip  
Tuesday 19th July



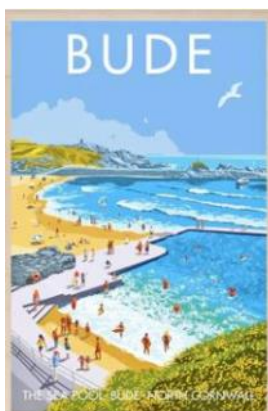
Year 6 Leavers' Assembly

Friday 22nd July  
9am-10am

All parents/carers invited



Class 1 Bude Beach Trip  
Monday 18th July



Tuesday 12th &  
Wednesday 13th July

Book online via Schoolcloud



Preschool Leavers' Event  
Thursday 21st July, 0900





# THE LEARNING ZONE

SHARING OUR LEARNING AND A MESSAGE FROM THE TEACHERS



## Class 1

This week we have enjoyed our school's Sports Day, a visit from a librarian at South Molton Library and our last day at Forest School. We would all like to thank Mrs Blacker for delivering our Forest School days and organising such great activities, everyone really appreciates them! A big thank you to Mrs Lintin also, for accompanying us on these days.

This week, Reception have been finding out about people who are important to our wider community such as the Police, Fire Brigade and doctors. They have been using role-play to find out more about these jobs and written descriptions about them. In Maths activities, they have been practising their adding and taking away skills to deepen their understanding of these calculations.

In English lessons, Years 1 and 2 have been learning how to write informal letters correctly, using speech punctuation to write conversations and extending sentences using subordination. In Maths, Year 1 have been finding out about position and direction and using mathematical vocabulary to describe movements and positions of objects. Year 2 have been comparing capacity and measuring volumes using millilitres and litres.

In other lessons, the children have made sun catchers, found out what food was rationed during World War 2 and planned a meal using these rations and have been discussing how everyone is unique.

Well done Class 1, you have all worked really hard!



# THE LEARNING ZONE

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## Class 2

We have been as busy as ever in Class 2! Everyone enjoyed a fantastic Sports Day and all the children tried their hardest and displayed fantastic team spirit, sportsman ship and perseverance. A huge thank you to Mrs Miali for her effort and time in organising a great day. The Year 6 children completed their final race and, as is tradition, it was a water- filled race for them. It was a good job it was a warm day! There is a photo gallery for Sports Day on the website and also one for the Year 3 and 4 recent camping trip and the London residential: <https://www.woodlandfederation.org.uk/kingsnympton/about-us/photo-gallery>

In Science this week, Year 5 and 6 have been explaining the science behind the 'dancing sultana' experiment. The children worked within a group to explain why this happened and then researched and presented their findings. Year 3 and 4 have been learning about the different parts of the flower and the function that each part.

In Design and Technology, Year 3 and 4 have been making their own pastry for their jam tarts. The children enjoyed making their own pastry for their tarts and have started to plan their own chocolate tarts that we will be making in the coming weeks. Of course the children enjoyed the tasting!

In Maths this week Year 5 and 6 have been investigating 3D nets using landmarks from London to identify edges, faces and vertices as well as matching 3D nets to the constructed shapes. This we have finished our times tables World Cup; everyone has enjoyed the competition. All the children worked hard and enjoyed competing against each other.



We are all looking forward to our Year 6 returning to school on Monday and hearing all about their surfing residential in Bude.

Well done Class 2, have a nice weekend.

*Mr Saltearn*





# LITTLE WOODLANDS

NEWS FROM THE PRESCHOOL



As the end of term fast approaches, what a busy week we have had! On Monday we practised our races in the morning ready for Sports Day. Our usual mantra for lining up when going for a walk or leaving the classroom at any time as a group is "it doesn't matter where you are in the line, it is not a race!". We clearly knocked all thoughts of this on the head for Sports Day! "Yes", taking part is clearly very important and "No", it does not matter if you don't win but you MUST try as "It is a race!". And didn't they do well? They were so excited. Everyone took part, cheered on the older children, tried their best and didn't mind if they came in first or last. We were very proud of them as I am sure you were too.



Wednesday was our family trip to The Big Sheep. The weather was perfect as children and parents enjoyed a range of attractions, some more hairy than others! It was lovely to see you all enjoying yourselves in the sunshine. We had a plethora of marvellous machines to look at and ride on. The roller coaster was especially popular. Who knew three-year-old children could scream so loudly?! A fun day was had by all. Thank you for sending in your lovely photos. [We have a gallery on the website.](#)

Next week we will be moving away from our Marvellous Machines topic and spending the last couple of weeks of term engaged in outdoor learning activities. Let's hope the sun continues to shine!





# FUNDRAISING



## BAG 2 SCHOOL FREE FUNDRAISING FOR SCHOOLS

In partnership with your school or organisation



### Kings Nympton Primary School



Bag 2 School is a company that specialises in the reuse and recycling of good quality second-hand clothing and we have arranged to make a collection from your school. All the bags will be weighed and you will be paid for the total weight collected. Remember, the more you collect the greater the benefit to your school.



PLEASE USE YOUR OWN BAGS (THERE IS NO LIMIT).

When the clothes have been removed from the bag the plastic will be packed and sent for recycling.

*We are collecting good quality items for RE-USE:*

**Men's, ladies' & children's clothing, paired shoes, handbags, belts & accessories.**

*(No uniforms, workwear, pillows, duvets or pieces of fabric please)*

***The more we weigh the more we pay!***  
*Extra bags are welcome - there's no limit*

***Please return your Bag2School on:***

Thursday 14th July 2022 by 9am -  
at Orchard House, Steeple Meadow



01609 780 222



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# COMMUNITY NEWS

WHAT'S ON LOCALLY?



## CHULMLEIGH SUMMER SCHOOL

### PERFORMING ARTS Summer School

Monday 1st August - Friday 5th August

10am – 3pm

Ages 5-14 years

Chulmleigh Pavilion

£120.00 (£100 for siblings)

Children will work on singing, dancing and acting and put on a short performance to parents at the end of the week!



### MULTI ACTIVITY Summer School

Monday 8th August - Friday 12th August

10am - 3pm

Ages 5-14 years

Chulmleigh Pavilion

£120.00 per child (£100 for siblings)

A whole range of activities all week to include cooking, arts and crafts, football, basketball, games and much, much more!



Both weeks will be run by Amy and Matt Andrews-Straw who both trained at The BRIT School, Trinity College of Music and London School of Musical Theatre. Amy has been a singing teacher for the past 15 years, teaching at several top drama schools, working with all ages and abilities and previously ran a successful performing arts school in Chulmleigh. Matt is a qualified primary school teacher, drama teacher, basketball and football coach. They have DBS checks and are fully insured.

This is a brilliant opportunity to come along during the holidays, make new friends, learn new skills and have lots of fun!

There are limited spaces available and booking closes on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July. To book, please email [amyvictoriaandrews@gmail.com](mailto:amyvictoriaandrews@gmail.com) or call Amy on 07816 509583



# SUMMER DRAMA WORKSHOPS

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**Workshop 1 - for 11-15yrs, 15th to 17th August 10am - 3pm £55 total**

**Workshop 2 - for 5 -10yrs, 18th & 19th August 10am - 3pm £45 total**



Using improvisation and fun drama games create your own play or scene with your own devised characters!

These sessions are intended to be fun rather than formal sessions, guided by all of you and what you would like to learn and find out about.

All ages welcome from 5yrs upwards, you'll be working in groups of similar ages, so don't worry!

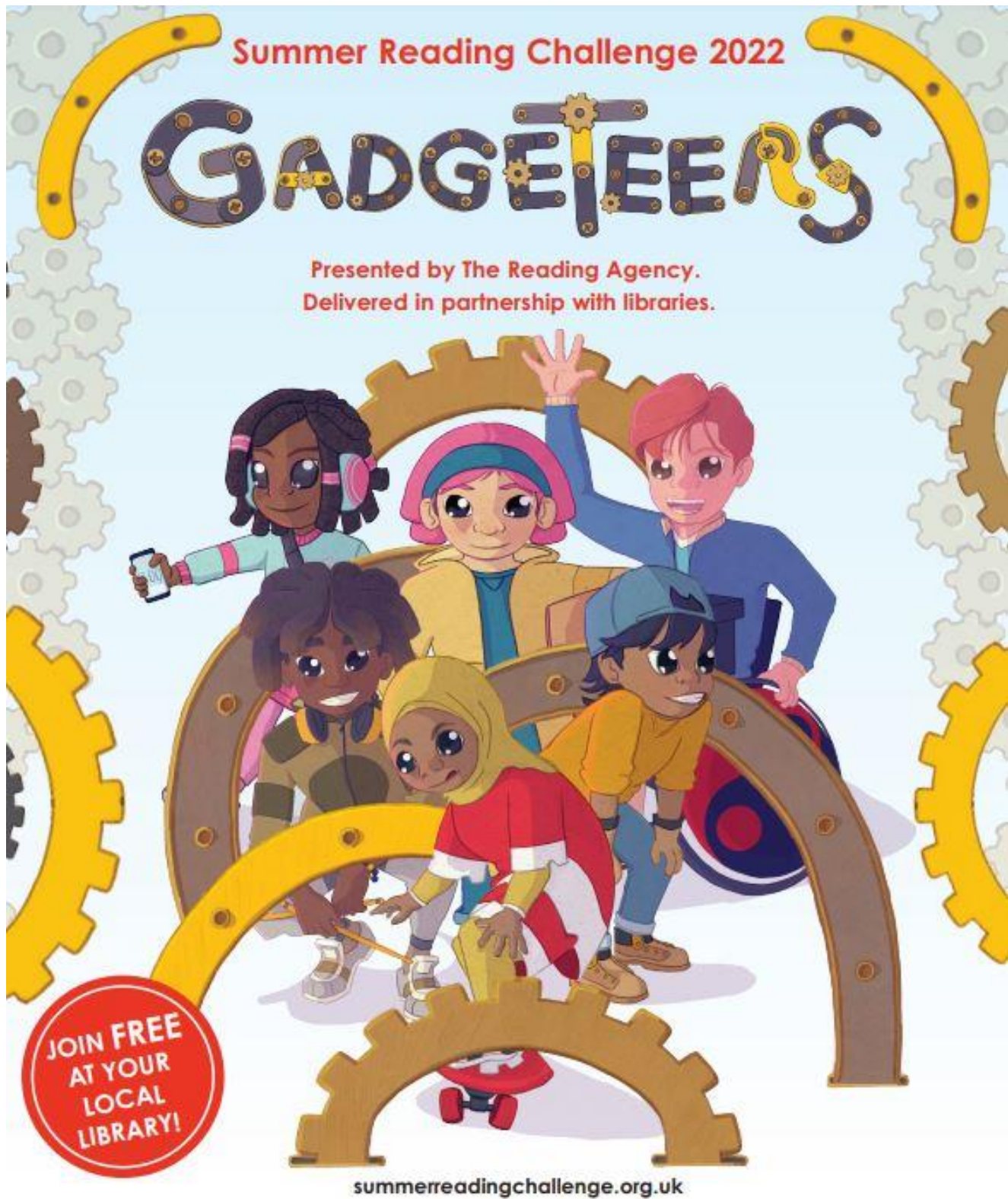
Sessions run at the times shown above in the Heywood Hall at Chulmleigh Community College.

For further details contact Antonia Whittick on: **07938 956158** or **Antoniawhittick1970@gmail.com**  
[awhittick@chulmleigh.devon.sch.uk](mailto:awhittick@chulmleigh.devon.sch.uk)



# COMMUNITY NEWS

WHAT'S ON LOCALLY?



Take part at South Molton or Chumleigh Libraries!



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INNOVATORS**

**20  
YEARS  
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READING  
AGENCY**



# COMMUNITY NEWS

WHAT'S ON LOCALLY?



## Free Kids Activities 2022

### Summer Quiz Challenge

1. Come in and complete our weekly quizzes
2. Record them in your challenge booklet
3. Receive a certificate for completing all 4 quizzes!



### Activity Workshops

for kids aged 5-15



Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> July- Be a Highwayman

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> August- Archaeology for beginners

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> August- Cookie Excavation

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> August- Fire Engines in the Past

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> August- Victorian Toys

at 11am Each Day



Booking is advised as spaces are limited. Email

[info@southmoltonmuseum.org](mailto:info@southmoltonmuseum.org)



### Opening Times

Monday and Tuesday

10am-4pm

Thursday and Saturday

10am-1pm

01769 572951

### Summer Family Fun Day

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> August

10am-1pm



Crafts, Cakes, Tombola and Quizes



# FAMILY SUPPORT



## Parent Talk



## Parent Support

**There's a lot of pressure on parents at the moment. Parent Talk is a free and confidential service for parents of 0-19 year olds in the UK. You can get support with anything that's worrying you about parenting or your child.**

**We're on hand to support parents, when you need us. Browse our articles on the most common parenting questions from our experts. Or talk one-to-one with a qualified parenting coach about anything that's worrying you. It's all free, and no topic is too big, small, or embarrassing.**

**Visit:**

**[www.parents.actionforchildren.org.uk](http://www.parents.actionforchildren.org.uk)**

**We're here:**

**12:30-19:30 Monday  
10:30-16:30 Tuesday  
9.30-16:30 Wednesday  
12:30-19:30 Thursday  
09:30-16:00 Friday**





# SUMMER MENU

Side salad is offered with the main course and fresh fruit or yoghurt as an alternative to the daily pudding is also available.



## Week One

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Pasta Bake	Chicken Korma & Rice	Roast Gammon & Pineapple	Organic Pork Meatballs & Wholemeal Pasta	Mini Battered Fish Fillet
Option 2 (v)	Cheese Baguette	Cheese Wheels & Wholemeal Pasta	Potato Topped Vegetable Pie	Vegetarian Chilli	Veggie Fingers
Sides	Crusty Bread, Sweetcorn & Summer Salad Sticks	Peas, Carrots & Tomato Ketchup	Roast or Boiled Potatoes, Carrots, Green Beans & Gravy	Seasonal Mixed Vegetables	Chips, Wholemeal Pasta, Peas, Baked Beans or Vegetable Sticks
And for pudding	Flapjack or Fresh Fruit	Sticky Chocolate Cake with Chocolate Sauce or Fresh Fruit	Peaches & Langage Farm Ice Cream or Fresh Fruit	Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter	Chocolate Cookie or Fresh Fruit
Jacket Potato	Beans Jacket Potato	Ham Baguette	Tuna Baguette	Cheese Jacket Potato	Fish Finger Baguette
Available each day	Freshly Prepared Salad, Home Baked Bread and Drinking Water. Fresh Fruit or Organic Yoghurt available as a pudding alternatives				
Week starting:	25/04/22 – 16/05/22 – 13/06/22 – 04/07/22 – 05/09/22 – 26/09/22 – 17/10/22				

## Week Two

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Cheese & Tomato Pizza	All Day Breakfast (Westcountry Sausage, Bacon & Free Range Egg)	Roast Chicken	Vegetarian Chilli	Fish Finger
Option 2 (v)	Jacket Potato & Beans	Vegetarian Brunch (Quorn Sausage & Free Range Egg)	Cauliflower & Broccoli Cheese Bake	Cowboy Pasta (with Quorn Sausage)	Battered Quorn Dippers
Sides	Potato Wedges, Peas & Sweetcorn	Tomatoes, Mushrooms, Baked Beans & Diced Potato	Roast or Boiled Potatoes, Green Beans, Carrots & Gravy	Seasonal Mixed Vegetables	Chips, Wholemeal Pasta, Peas, Baked Beans or Vegetable Sticks
And for pudding	Pip Organic Ice lolly or Fresh Fruit	Eves Pudding (Apple Sponge) & Custard or Fresh Fruit	Fruit Jelly & Langage farm Ice Cream or Fresh Fruit	Toffee Banana Cake or Fresh Fruit	Chocolate Cracknel or Fresh Fruit
Jacket Potato	Cheese Baguette	Ham Baguette	Tuna Baguette	Egg Mayo Baguette	Fish Finger Baguette
Available each day	Freshly Prepared Salad, Home Baked Bread and Drinking Water. Fresh Fruit or Organic Yoghurt available as a pudding alternatives				
Week starting:	02/05/22 – 23/05/22 – 20/06/22 – 11/07/22 – 12/09/22 – 03/10/22				

## Week Three

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Macaroni Cheese	Organic Beef Burger in a Bun	Roast Turkey	Lasagne	Mini Battered fish fillet (Salmon)
Option 2 (v)	Spanish Omelette	Roasted Vegetable Lasagne	Vegetable Wellington	Quorn Dog in a roll	Southern Style Quorn Burger
Sides	Crusty Bread, Peas & Summer Salad Sticks	Herby Diced Potatoes, Sweetcorn & Side Salad	Roast or Boiled Potatoes, Carrots, Broccoli & Gravy	Garlic Bread, Sweetcorn & Green Beans	Chips, Wholemeal Pasta, Peas, Baked Beans or Vegetable Sticks
And for pudding	Summer Fruits & Langage Farm Ice Cream or Fresh Fruit	Iced Orange Muffin or Fresh Fruit	Cheese Crackers & Apple	Pear & Chocolate Crumble with Custard or Fresh Fruit	Honey Cookie or Fresh Fruit
Jacket Potato	Beans Jacket Potato	Cheese Jacket Potato	Tuna Baguette	Cheese Baguette	Fish Finger Baguette
Available each day	Freshly Prepared Salad, Home Baked Bread and Drinking Water. Fresh Fruit or Organic Yoghurt available as a pudding alternatives				
Week starting:	09/05/22 – 06/06/22 – 27/06/22 – 18/07/22 – 05/09/22 – 19/09/22 – 10/10/22				

# TERM DATES

ALSO AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE: SEE PARENT INFO SECTION



## Devon School Term Dates: 2022-23 Academic Year

School Name (s)		Winkleigh Primary School																											
DfE number (s)		8782252																											
Contact name																													
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School Holiday Bank Holidays
26 Dec 2022 (Christmas)
27 Dec 2022 (Boxing Day)
2 Jan 2023 (New Years Day)
7 Apr 2023 (Good Friday)
10 Apr 2023 (Easter Mond)
1 May 2023 (May Day)
29 May 2023 (Spring Bank Holiday)
28 Aug 2023(Summer Bank Holiday)

Term Lengths	37	72
Sept to Oct half term	37	72
October to Christmas	35	
Jan to Feb half term	29	59
Feb to Easter	30	
Easter to June half term	29	66
June to end of term	37	
<b>197</b>		
Training Days	-5	
Occasional Days	-2	
<b>190</b>		





Families with children in Class 1 who are eligible are encouraged to apply as the funding is in addition to Universal Free School Meals!

If your circumstances have changed and you are now in receipt of one or more of the following:

- Universal credit (provided you have a net income of £7400 or less)
- Income support
- Income-based jobseekers' allowance
- Income-related employment and support allowance
- Support under Part IV of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of state pension credit
- Child tax credit, provided that you are not also entitled to working tax credit and have an annual gross income of £16,190 or less

**You may be eligible for pupil premium funding for Kings Nympton Primary School, which entitles your child/ren to receive Free School Meals.**

It takes less than a minute to apply.

Visit the Citizen Portal Devon

[https://oneonline.devon.gov.uk/CCsCitizenPortal\\_LIVE](https://oneonline.devon.gov.uk/CCsCitizenPortal_LIVE)

or call the Education Helpline on 0345 155 1019.

If eligible, please send a screenshot  
of your confirmation to

[admin@kingsnympton.devon.sch.uk](mailto:admin@kingsnympton.devon.sch.uk)