

6TH SEPTEMBER 2024

AUTUMN 1



# NGPS NEWS

Northgate Primary School Newsletter



## Welcome Back!

The children have been AMAZING this week and it has been so lovely welcoming you all back to school. Thank you for helping the children to come in looking so smart and ready to learn. I have been very proud of everyone's positive attitude.

Have a restful weekend, let's hope the sun decides to shine again.

**Warm regards,**

**Amanda Harrison**



## Welcome Back!

### DIARY DATES

**Monday 9th September**

RECEPTION IN UNTIL 12.45PM

**Tuesday 10th September**

RECEPTION IN UNTIL 12.45PM

**Wednesday 11th September**

RECEPTION START FULL TIME

**Thursday 12th September**

**Friday 13th September**

ASH CLASS SWIMMING





# Reminders!

**If your child is absent, please ring the absence line on 01293 526737 option 1 and leave a message. Please state your child's name, class and reason for absence.**

**Please remember to order your child's hot lunches on Parentpay 2 weeks in advance.**

**If they don't have lunch ordered, please send a packed lunch.**

**Don't forget to send your child into school with a water bottle and a coat.**

# MEET THE TEACHER



**YEAR 5 - MONDAY 9TH SEPTEMBER**

**YEAR 6 - TUESDAY 10TH SEPTEMBER**

**YEAR 4 - THURSDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER**

**YEAR 3 - FRIDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER**

**YEAR 1 - MONDAY 16TH SEPTEMBER**

**YEAR 2 - TUESDAY 17TH SEPTEMBER**

**Meet the teacher will be held at the end of  
the school day -3.10pm in your child's  
classroom and last 15-30 minutes.**



Dear Parents/carers,

**Today your child brought items to school containing nuts.**

There are a number of students that attend Northgate Primary School who have a life threatening food allergy to peanuts and or tree nuts (almonds, cashews, walnuts, Brazil nuts, macadamia nuts, pine nuts etc.)

Strict avoidance (not being around the food) is the only way to prevent a life threatening allergic reaction.

We ask for your assistance in keeping our students safe.

If exposed to peanuts or tree nuts, these students may develop a life threatening allergic reaction that could even result in death.

To reduce this risk and maintain the safety of these children,  
Northgate Primary School is a **NUT FREE ZONE**.

Please do not send any products containing nuts with your child to school. Many foods you may not think contain nuts actually do, so please check the labels of any food items that your child brings to school.

While we know this is an extra step, your help is required due to the serious consequences.

**Please note, this includes chocolate spread.**

# Please see our school timings below.

## School Timings- September 2024- 2025

### Nursery

Session	Days and timings
A	Monday and Tuesday 9am-3pm, Wednesday 8.45am- 11.45 am
B	Weds 12pm- 3pm, Thursday and Friday 9am-3pm
C	30 Hours- Monday to Friday 9am- 3pm (only with a 30 hour code)

### Reception- Year 6

Year Group	Gate opens	Gate closes	Registration	Gate opens	Collection
KS1					
Reception	8:35	8:55	8:45- 8:55	3:00	3:10
Y1	8:35	8:55	8:45- 8:55	3:00	3:10
Y2	8:35	8:55	8:45- 8:55	3:00	3:10
KS2					
Y3	8:35	8:55	8:45- 9:00	3:00	3:15
Y4	8:35	8:55	8:45- 9:00	3:00	3:15
Y5	8:35	8:55	8:45- 9:00	3:00	3:15
Y6	8:35	8:55	8:45- 9:00	3:00	3:15

## Northgate Primary School 2024-2025 School Calendar



- School Holidays
- Inset Day (no school for students)
- Half Day (finish 1:30pm)
- Bank Holiday

Please note these are subject to change

## Admissions – key dates

### Monday 2 September 2024

Information on how to apply online will be sent to all parents of children living in West Sussex whose child attends a West Sussex state-funded school.

Online applications open. You must provide an email address to apply.

Schools will have their prospectuses available and will have arranged open events.

### Thursday 31 October 2024

National closing date for secondary transfer applications.

You must submit your completed application by this date. Failure to do so will affect the priority attached to your application.

### Monday 3 March 2025

Applicants will be notified which school their child is offered by e-mail, where an e-mail address is supplied.

Apply online at:

[westsussex.gov.uk/  
admissions](https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/admissions)

## Making an online application

To make an application using the online system you will need:

- an email address; and
- create an account on Parent Portal if you do not already have an account.

Your Username will be your email address.

Your password must adhere to the following rules. It must:

- be at least 8 characters long;
- have at least one character that is UPPERCASE;
- have at least one character that is lowercase;
- have at least one special character (such as: \* ! \$); and
- have at least one number.

To apply for a school place please visit [westsussex.gov.uk/admissions](https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/admissions) or call 03330 142 903.

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admissions](https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/admissions)



## Transferring to Secondary School

Deadline:

**Thursday 31 October 2024**



Stay in touch

- West Sussex Matters
- @WSCCNews
- wscvideo



## West Sussex SENDIAS Service

Is your child starting primary school or transferring to junior or secondary school in September 2025?

Do you think, for

- whatever reason, you
- may struggle with the
- Admissions process?

### Secondary School

Online applications open:

Monday 2 September 2024.

Deadline for applying for a secondary school place for your child is:

Thursday 31 October 2024.

### Primary School (inc. infant/junior)

Online applications open:

Monday 7 October 2024.

Deadline for applying for a school place for your child is:

Wednesday 15 January 2025.

For more information on the admissions process:  
[www.westsussex.gov.uk/admissions](https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/admissions)

If so, the West Sussex SENDIAS Service can:

- explain the admissions process to you
- help you to make an informed decision about your child's schools of preference
- help you to fill in the online application form.

Please contact the SENDIAS Service:

Helpline: 0330 222 8555

Email: [send.ias@westsussex.gov.uk](mailto:send.ias@westsussex.gov.uk)

[www.westsussexsendias.org](https://www.westsussexsendias.org)



# Open Events Season



Secondary Open Evening  
(4.00 pm - 8.00 pm)  
Wednesday 18 September 2024

Primary Open Evening  
(5.00 pm - 7.00 pm)  
Tuesday 12 November 2024

Secondary Open Days  
from Tuesday 24 September 2024

Primary Open Days  
small tours throughout the day  
from Tuesday 12 November 2024

To register your place please visit our website  
[www.bohunthorsham.com](http://www.bohunthorsham.com)  
enjoy respect achieve



## The Holy Trinity C of E Secondary School



# OPEN EVENING

Wednesday 25th September 2024 5:00pm - 8:00pm

Applications are invited for September 2025



Buckswood Drive, Crawley, RH11 8JE

[www.holytrinity.w-sussex.sch.uk](http://www.holytrinity.w-sussex.sch.uk) Tel: 01293 423690 Email: [office@holytrinitycrawley.org.uk](mailto:office@holytrinitycrawley.org.uk)



# Autumn Term Diary Dates 2024

## September 2024

9th - Reception in for morning and lunch  
10th - Reception in for morning and lunch  
11th - Reception in full time

24th - 27th - Y6 PGL Residential Trip to PGL Windmill Hill

## October

25th - Inset Day

28th Oct - 1st Nov - Half Term

## November

4th - Inset Day  
5th - Return to school



**HOUSE POINTS OF THE TERM!**

**JADE**

**RUBY**

**SAPPHIRE**

**AMBER**