



Tudor Grange Samworth Academy **Primary Newsletter**

Term: Spring | Date: January 2020

Head's News

Happy New Year to our school community!

We have kick-started the new year with a 25 Day Reading Challenge, please see details overleaf. Parents, if you have a favourite childhood book that brings back happy memories we would love you to share this with your child's class.

Looking forward to hearing from you all!

Mrs A Collins

Spring Term Key Dates

Wednesday 15th January

• F2 (4/5 years old) School Application deadline

Thursday 16th January

• KS2 Awards Assembly

Friday 17th January

KS1 Awards Assembly

Friday 24th January

• INSET day

Wednesday 5th February

KS2 Cross Country

Friday 7th February

• Number day

Monday 10th February

Class competition week

Tuesday 11th February

- Safer Internet Day
- Year 5/6 STEM Day

Thursday 12th February

- KS2 Quick Sticks Hockey
- F2 visit Pork-Pie Library

Primary Attendance

Our whole school attendance from the start of term is 95.3%, this is currently below the National target of 96%. We need to make the extra effort to increase our attendance.

Attendance is important as the more learning that is missed the more difficult it is to achieve the expected standard. It can be difficult for some children to catch up on the learning they have missed.

We know there are lots of coughs and cold at this time of year but we still encourage our children to attend, even if it is only for part of the day. With parental consent we are happy to administer paracetamol if required and would always call the parent if your child was poorly or upset in school.

Primary Attendance is 95.3%

F2: 92.1%	Year 4: 95.8%	Be an HERE EVERY D READY
Year 1: 92.8%	Year 5: 95.5%	
Year 2: 96.9%	Year 6: 96.6%	
Year 3: 96.6%		ON TIME



Uniform

Early Start: Foundation Stage 1 & 2

- White polo shirt
- TGSA green jumper with white shield logo
- Grey skirt or trousers
- Plain dark socks
- Smart black shoes



Year 1 – 6

- White cotton shirt
- TGSA blazer with white shield
- TGSA Tie
- Grey v-neck jumper
- Grey skirt or trousers
- Plain dark socks
- Smart black shoes
- No jewellery
- No earrings (can wear a watch)
- No extreme hairstyles (long hair must be tied back)
- No large hair bows (can wear simple school coloured hair accessories)

Term Dates

Spring Term 1 Monday 6th January – Thursday 13th February

(INSET Friday 24th Jan & Friday 14th Feb)

Half Term Monday 17th February – Friday 21st February

Spring Term 2 Monday 24th February – Friday 3rd April

Easter Holiday Monday 6th April – Friday 17th April



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Childcare Before & After School



EARLY BIRD BREAKFAST CLUB

7.30am – 8.40am £2.00 per session (£10.00 per week)

TEA TIME TUDORS AFTERSCHOOL CHILDCARE



3.00pm – 5.30pm £6.00 per session (£30.00 per week)

All payments must be made on Parent Pay. Please ask main reception for more information.

Reading Challenge 2020

Challenge Mrs Collins to complete the 25 Day Reading Challenge. Tweet photos @TGSAPrimary. There will be prizes for children who complete the challenge by Friday 7th February. Rewards will be given out on Thursday 13th February.

