



Spring Vale Primary Weekly News



Week Beginning: 8th October		Assembly Theme: Democracy - School Council elections next week	
Breakfast Club is available each day from 7.45 am (cost £2.00 per pupil, per session)			
Aces after school childcare - representatives available from 3 pm each day			
MON	⊗ After School Club: Street Dance (Y1) - finishes at 4 pm - session 4		
TUES	⊗ AM - Y4 swimming - don't forget your kit! ⊗ Footy match away at Eastfield Primary (Y5/6) ⊗ After School Club: Gymnastics (Y4) - finishes at 4 pm - session 4		
WEDS	⊗ <u>8 am - Concrete delivery for new build - see note below</u> ⊗ After School Club: Soccer 2000 (Y1 - Y6) - finishes at 4.15 pm - this club has to be paid for		
THURS	⊗ PM - Junior brass - don't forget your instrument! ⊗ Footy match v Holy Trinity at Spring Vale		
FRI	⊗ After School Club: Sports Club (Y5) - finishes at 4 pm - session 4		
Percentage Attendance week ending: 28th September (97.4%)			
Rec Beech: 100	Rec Willow: 100	Y1: 93.2	Y2: 98.0
Y3: 94.3	Y4: 99.0	Y5: 98.1	Y6: 97.4
AM Nursery: 96.0	PM Nursery: 88.6		

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- ⊗ Please note all clubs are dismissed from the main staff door (next to the Nursery entrance).
- ⊗ You can view the weekly newsletter on our website - www.springvaleprimary.co.uk
- ⊗ Data collection sheets need to be returned to school as soon as possible. Details should be carefully checked and amendments made where necessary.
- ⊗ **CONCRETE DELIVERY - CHANGE OF DAY:** On Wednesday 10th October, Kier (the builders) will be using the drive from 8 am. Concrete is arriving for the foundations for phase 2 of the build - the new classrooms by Nursery and Reception. Kier have assured me they will man the drive at all times. Please ensure that as you enter and exit the school grounds, you keep children close by and safe. I will endeavour to ensure that staff members are a visible presence during these times.
- ⊗ **LOOK** out for parents evening letters next week
- ⊗ See overleaf for updated Good to be Green/Behaviour Policy for 2018/19

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05 October 2018

Dear Parents,

Please find below a copy of the updated 'Good to be Green' Behaviour Policy for 2018/19. This is the behaviour system that is used consistently by all members of staff within school.

Displayed around the building you may have noticed our five Spring Vale School Rules. These rules aim to ensure that our school is a safe, caring environment where each child is valued and can learn effectively.

Spring Vale Primary School's rules are:

- 1. We are always kind, honest, helpful and polite**
- 2. We care for and respect our school and each other's belongings**
- 3. We always walk when inside school and follow instructions first time**
- 4. We keep hands, feet, objects and unkind words to ourselves**
- 5. We take pride in our work**

Alongside our rules we have a green/ yellow/ red card system in place. The 'Good to be Green' system is an effective way of promoting positive behaviour, rewarding those pupils who always behave and a means of being able to keep track of those pupils who find it harder to meet the school's expected behaviour standards.



Every child starts each day on a green card which is displayed in a card holder within the classroom.

If a child breaks a school rule, they will first receive a verbal warning.



If the child continues to break any of the school rules they will then have their green card turned to a yellow warning card.



If necessary, ie the child continues to break school rules, a red consequence card is shown. This means the child will have to pay a consequence (as outlined in sanctions).

Sanctions

All staff are responsible for carrying out sanctions where necessary:

Step 1: Consequence card: 5 minutes time owed (during a break or lunch time)

Step 2: Time out in another classroom (where possible the class above)

Step 3: Sent to a senior leader in school (Mrs Vawer/ Miss Manning/ Mrs Dudley/ Mr Blunt)

Step 4: In extreme cases, we will contact parents to inform them of their child's behaviour and discuss ways in which their child can be supported to follow the school rules.

At the teacher's discretion- if a child breaks rule number 4 and physically hurts another child- the child will receive an immediate red card and advance straight to step 3.

All cards are recorded on a class record sheet detailing the time, day and reason for the card. Mrs Dudley then collates this at the end of each half term. This helps leaders in school to track patterns in behaviour during different times of the school day. If a child has received frequent red cards over a short period of time then Mr Blunt will notify the child's parents in writing.

Spring Vale pupils display excellent behaviour and we are so proud of them. Children who behave well are rewarded on a daily basis through each teacher's in-class reward system and, at the end of each term, we hold a special 'Good to be Green' morning where excellent behaviour is celebrated across the school.

If you have any questions regarding our school behaviour policy or any aspects of Good to be Green please do not hesitate to ask a member of staff.

Yours sincerely

Mrs E Dudley and Mr C Blunt
(Senior Leadership Team)