



# Edward Feild

## Primary School

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Dates for your Diary:

**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July:** Last Day of Term Today. School closes at your class group's normal finish time.

**Thurs 3<sup>rd</sup> Sep:** First Day of School for Yr 1 – Yr 6 – please look out for our Parentmails over the summer

**Fri 4<sup>th</sup> Sep:** New Reception Parents and Children Visit

**Mon 7<sup>th</sup>- Wed 9<sup>th</sup> Sep:** New Reception Classes Half Day Sessions

**Thurs 10<sup>th</sup> Sep:** New Reception Classes Start Full Day Sessions

Dear Parent/Carer

### Online Classroom

Well done to everyone for all your hard work over the past few months. It has been great to see your efforts! We will leave the Online Classroom on our website over the summer for any of you who would like to look at past lessons and activities. Our new Reception children also have their own page on our website including a video message from Mrs Puffer and Miss Caple.

### Parent Governor Election

Following the recent voting, we confirm that Nina Eagle and Michael Brown were duly elected as Parent Governors and we welcome them to our Board of Governors.

### Magpies Holiday Club

Please note that Magpies are unable to provide holiday childcare at our school during the summer break. We are currently working with Magpies regarding breakfast and after school childcare provision for September and will shortly be sending out a survey to assess demand for this service.

### Robin Preschool

Robin Preschool will be fully open in September and we are pleased to be able to offer some more places to 2, 3 and 4 year olds. Robin has friendly, well-trained staff and excellent facilities with large rooms and outdoor areas full of exciting things to explore. We are open for morning/lunch/afternoon sessions each day and offer 15 hours free provision for all 3 and 4 year olds (or 30 hours for working families where eligible) and 15 hours free provision for some 2 year olds. Our latest Ofsted report was "Good" in all areas and can be found on our website [www.robin-preschool.co.uk](http://www.robin-preschool.co.uk) For more information please email Teresa Juggins on [manager@robin-preschool.co.uk](mailto:manager@robin-preschool.co.uk)

### Lost Property

Unclaimed Lost Property is being put out today on tables in the bike shelter. Please have a look through this evening and any time tomorrow - any unclaimed items with no name tags will be removed for recycling on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July at 4pm.

### **School Lunches**

When we return in September, the kitchen will initially provide sandwich/wrap/bap packed lunches. Remember these are free to all children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. We will advise when hot school lunches are due to return.

### **Travelling to School**

Please read the attached guidance from Childrens' Services at Oxfordshire County Council regarding potential journeys to school in September, particularly if you intend to cycle, use public transport or arrange a car share. If at all possible, we would encourage our families to walk or cycle to school.

### **Friends of Edward Feild Update**

Thank you to all that joined in with the fun online dance event run by the Friends this week. We had a lot of fun and we raised £96. As it was such a success and so enjoyed by the families taking part, we are running another one in the summer holidays! Further details and date will be shared on the Friends' Facebook page in due course.

EFS Set the Record has been extended until Sunday 19th July at 8pm. There have been some amazing records set by the children. There's still time to beat them though. Sign your child up to take part on our website [www.pta-events.co.uk/foef](http://www.pta-events.co.uk/foef). It is £3 to enter with unlimited activities and submissions allowed.

Thank you as always for supporting the Friends' activities and helping us raise funds for the school.

### **KS1 Garden Donations**

Thank you for your donations to date. KS1 are still in need of:

- More toys and blocks for small world play ie little plastic or wooden people, animals, dinosaurs, scenery, small wooden building blocks etc.
- Outdoor construction: wooden planks, cardboard and plastic tubes, drainpipes, cable drums, milk crates, safe pallets
- Outdoor loose parts: pine cones, shells, small sticks, buttons, small wooden slices
- Plastic or wooden kitchen utensils, cake tins, plastic plates and bowls
- Rolls of wallpaper

If you are having a clear out over the summer, please take a photo of the items and email it to Miss Mallon in September. Many thanks.

Best wishes for the summer.

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