



Friday 6th January 2023

Parent Bulletin

- Welcome back, 2023 Calendars, School dinners, illness reminders and Spring Term 1 dates

Welcome back and Happy New Year

I hope that all families had a fun and enjoyable Christmas period. We are ready for the new term and look forward to supporting the children's learning and progress.

2023 Calendars

- ◆ Our 2023 calendars featuring artwork from all the classes are now on sale!
- ◆ These can be purchased for £3.00 each via Arbor.

Hertfordshire Fire and Rescue Service Quarterly Schools Newsletter (Winter edition)

- ◆ Please click on the following link [Winter Edition Newsletter](#)

REMINDER: Illnesses

- ◆ Leave a full 24 hour period following a hospital admission and meet/call the school nurses prior to your child's return to school (nb: 48hrs post general anaesthetic).
- ◆ Leave a full 48 hours after anaesthetic has been given before returning to school.
- ◆ Leave a full 24 hours after commencing an antibiotic course before returning to school.
- ◆ For pupils absent with sickness or diarrhoea, they should be off school for a full 48 hours from the last episode of sickness and/or diarrhoea.
- ◆ As part of our admission criteria and Home/School Agreement we must have emergency contact details for all pupil's next of kin and named responsible person/s. In an emergency, the named person/s on record must be contactable within a reasonable timeframe of 15 minutes and pupils must be able to go home within one hour if and when they are not well enough to be in school.

REMINDER: School Dinner payments

- ◆ Please could parents remember to login to Arbor and check your children's meal accounts, and top up as required. **Please remember that school meals should be paid for in advance.**

Spring Term Dates

- ◆ **Friday 10th February 2023** Pupils break up for Half Term.
- ◆ **Monday 13th — Friday 17th February 2023** Half Term.
- ◆ **Monday 20th February 2023** Schools opens to pupils.
- ◆ **Thursday 30th March 2023** Pupils break up. End of Spring Term.
- ◆ **Friday 31st March 2023** INSET Staff Training Day . School closed to pupils.
- ◆ **Monday 17th April 2023** INSET Staff Training Day . School closed to pupils.
- ◆ **Tuesday 18th April 2023** School opens to pupils. Start of Summer Term.
- ◆ All further term dates can be found on our website <https://amwell.herts.sch.uk/calendar>

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