



Arunside Announcements Week Commencing Monday 10th June 2024

Sponsored Spell

Thank you for helping your children to learn their spellings for the Sponsored Spell. Please return the sponsor donation either as cash via the school office or by using the following link before Friday 14th June. <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/arunsideprimary/>. All children that return sponsor money will receive a certificate in recognition of their contribution. Thank you for your support.

Resolution for Arunside Primary School to Join Durrington Multi Academy Trust (DMAT).

Parents will have seen the letter that we sent out on Wednesday, informing them of the Governor's decision for Arunside Primary School to join Durrington Multi Academy Trust (DMAT). A copy of the letter and the Q&A document can be found on our [website](#). If, having read the details, you wish to submit any feedback, please click on the link contained within the letter which will take you to the Microsoft form that Governors will use during the process. The consultation period closes on Wednesday 3rd July and to help with this process, parents are invited to one of the following consultation workshops:

- Monday 10th June at 2.30pm
- Monday 10th June at 6.30pm
- Thursday 13th June at 9.00am

Part of the feedback submitted during this week has asked the school to comment on the negative side of joining DMAT. Whilst the governors will look to provide a response to all feedback in due course (post workshops), it should at this stage be said that there are no perceived disadvantages to joining DMAT.

Key Dates for the Diary

- 27th – 31st May Half-Term
- 3rd June – Inset Day
- 6th June – Class Photos (Parents must advise the school if they do not want their child included in the class photos)
- 19th June – EYFS New in-take Morning
- 26th June – Y3 International Morning
- 26th June - Y2 visit to Preston Manor
- 1st – 4th July Book Fair (after school)
- 5th July – PTA Summer Fair

Shakespeare Rocks Production - Key Date:

Our Year 5 children will be needed for our Shakespeare Rocks performance on the following dates, as will our Year 4 children who will be singing in the choir, please let a member of staff know if your child will be unavailable:

- Monday 8th July Tech rehearsal 9-11.30am
- Tuesday 9th July Dress rehearsal 2-3pm
- Wednesday 10th July First performance 2-3pm
- Thursday 11th July Second performance 2-3pm
- Thursday 11th July Third performance 6-7pm



Inset Day 2024/2025

The following Inset dates have been entered in to the school diary for the next academic year:

- Monday 2nd September 2024
- Monday 4th November 2024
- Monday 6th January 2025
- Monday 24th February 2025 (TBC)
- Tuesday 22nd April 2025

Week 8 – Fun with Words **Can you think of an A-Z of animals?**

PTA Messages and Dates for your diary:

- Express Yourself Day – Friday 21st June (with donations for the Tombola stall)
- Summer Fete – Friday 5th July, 5.00 – 7.30pm

Summer Fete - Teddy Tombola

If you are having a Spring sort through your soft toys, the PTA would like you to consider donating good quality, clean, reusable toys for their upcoming Summer Fete tombola stalls. Donations can be left at the school office, marked for the PTA's attention.