

Arunside Announcements

Week Commencing 22nd April 2025



Easter Reading Challenge - The children in Early Years, Year 1, Year 2 and Year 3 will bring home an Easter Reading Challenge this week. Please complete the activities at home to help promote reading for pleasure. Please return the sheets, with the activities ticked off, to your child's class teacher by Friday 25th April. The class who returns the most will be rewarded with a film and snacks one afternoon. The sheets are also available on the school website in the Reading section

PE Timetable for Summer Term – Click on [Summer Term \(First Half\) PE Timetable](#) to see which days require PE kit.

Easter Tech Camp – See info on our website for further details [Easter Tech Camp](#)

Cricket Clubs - Sign-ups for All Stars & Dynamos Cricket Programmes are now live. [All Stars \(5-8yrs\)](#) and [Dynamos \(8-11yrs\)](#) It's so easy to sign up, just visit the website and put in your postcode, to find your most local offering.

Artsparks Easter Holiday Art Club – See our website for further details [Art Sparks Easter Club](#)

SEN Parent Training Opportunities – As we approach the Summer Term, we share upcoming online courses which are being offered by Reaching Families SEND Charity. Please see attached flyer for courses available over the first half of the Summer term.

Online Safety – See attached poster, providing “in-game” chat advice for parents and educators. Please see our website for further details.

Thermonix – Details of their upcoming event are mentioned below and in the attached flyer. If enough people book and attend, Arunside School will receive a machine for FREE!



West Sussex Road Safety – A message from the Road Safety Officer at WSCC. With a lack of funding preventing us from delivering as much Road Safety as we would like to, we have had to find alternative methods to educate our residents and keep them informed with Road Safety-related topics. Please follow our [Road Safety Facebook Page](#) to assist us with keeping the children and their families in the community safe. All ages can benefit from the information we post, which in turn could help to make your children's journeys to and from school, safer, healthier, and overall easier for everyone.

Rugby Tots – See attached poster for sign-up information. Or visit [Rugbytots May to July 2025](#)



Kidslingo – Some spaces for French lessons have become available for Years 1 to 6 and start back on Tuesday 29th April for four weeks. £8 per child per week payable in advance for the half-term block. [enrol via this link](#) or find further details on the school website.

Kids Eat Free – Attached is a useful list of restaurants who are offering free or £1 children's meals over Easter.



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School uniform - We have noticed an increase in the number of children arriving to school without the correct uniform and school shoes. A reminder of what is expected can be found on the school website <https://arunside.school/parents/uniform-and-equipment/> and we ask that the children arrive back after Easter with the items they need. We do have a supply of second-hand uniform, so please do let us know if there is something we may be able to assist with.



[Uniform and Equipment - Arunside Primary School](#)

All children can also wear the logoed Arunside zip-up fleece for added warmth if required during any season. PE / Games Kit. On P.E. days, children in Year R-4 should arrive at school wearing their P.E. Kit.
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Key Dates for the Diary

- Tuesday 22nd April – Inset Day
- Monday 7th – Monday 21st April – Easter Holidays
- Friday 2nd May – PTA School Disco
- Tuesday 20th May – Sports Day
- Wednesday 3rd September – Inset Day

Thermonix

Are you ready to take your cooking skills to the next level? Join us at our Discover 'Thermomix' event with the amazing Thermomix TM6; the smallest, smartest kitchen in the world!

Learn how a Thermomix works by watching a fun, interactive demonstration. See how cooking can be made more enjoyable and easier whilst saving you time and money with access to thousands of recipes and the tools to meal plan and batch cook.

What to Expect:

1. See how a Thermomix can fit into your family life and give children the opportunity to cook safely at home.
2. Discover how the Thermomix can help you make healthy lifestyle choices with access to recipes tailored to all dietary needs and preferences.
3. A chance to ask questions and explore how Thermomix works with a guided demonstration.
4. Learn how the modes of the Thermomix can save you money on your weekly shopping bill and bring back the joy of cooking!
5. Opportunity for parents to have a discounted Thermomix or make a useful second income, fitting around family.

Join us at our school on Friday 9th May, from 1-3pm. Places are limited, so please register as soon as possible to reserve your space via the QR code or this link: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/discover-thermomix-arunside-primary-school-horsham-tickets-1295574591479?aff=oddtcreator>

