



Dafen Primary School



Newsletter – Autumn 2023

School dinner: Universal Primary School Meals are being rolled out to **Year 3** and **Year 4** pupils from September.

The price of school dinner is **£2.67** per day/£13.35 a week.

ParentPay is our online nominated safe and secure system for you to pay for school meals

Attendance: We encourage good attendance and punctuality, which is a legal requirement. If your child is ill, please report this through the office as soon as possible on the morning of absence. A telephone message can be left on

01554 773290 press 1 to report your child's absence.

Date	Event
05/09/23	Start of Autumn Term
12/09/23	FC1 Library visit
12/09/23	PTA Meeting 5pm
18/09/23	Roald Dahl Day
21/09/23	Music Service Concert Y3-6
22/09/23	Colorfoto Photographs – Individual & Family
25/09/23	Transition Day at Bryngwyn Y6
25/09/23	Open Evening Meet your child's teacher 5pm
26/09/23	Cycling Proficiency Y6 (4days)
15/10/23	Diwrnod Shwmae
16/10/23	Recycling Week
25/10/23	PTA Spooky Disco
30/10/23	Half Term begins
13/11/23	Christmas Fayre
17/11/23	Llanelli Carnival Dafen PTA Disney Train
01/12/23	Dafen Christmas Carnival
11/12/23	Christmas Concert Evening
12/12/23	Christmas Concert Evening
13/12/23	Christmas Concert Afternoon
18/12/23	Choir sing Christmas Carols in Morrisons
20/12/23	Cinderella Swansea Grande Theatre
20/12/23	PTA Christmas Disco
22/12/23	End of Term

Breakfast Club: 8:00-8:50am

Doors open at **8:00am** and close at **8:30am**

School Times

The doors will **open** for children who do not attend breakfast club at **8:50am**

All pupils are expected to be on the school premises by 9:00am, as this is when the Main door closes. If your child is late, you will be required to sign your child in with the Schools' Halo system.

School ends at **3:00pm** for **Nursery** and **Foundation Phase** and

3:05pm for **Key Stage 2**.

Children to be collected from their respective doors.

INSET Days

Six days have been earmarked for **INSET** during this school year.

Upcoming closure days this term:

Friday 1st September

Monday 4th September

After School Clubs 3:05pm-4:00pm

Monday – Mindfulness

Tuesday – Loose Parts (N-Y2)

Tuesday – Drama/Dance/Musical Theatre (Y3-6)

Tuesday – ICT (Y3-6)

Wednesday – Sports (Y4-6)

Wednesday – Eco-Club (Y1-6)

Wednesday – Story Club (N-Y2)

Thursday Clwb Hwyl - Urdd – (Y3-6)

Thursday – Netball (Y4 -Y6)

Thursday – Art & Craft (Y2-4)

All Clubs are subject to availability, they will be allocated on a 'first come first served' basis. This is due to staff/pupil ratio. You will be made aware if your child has been allocated a space.

ATTENDANCE for Summer Term 2023 88% Wales National Target is 95%

Double yellow lines mean **NO PARKING** or **WAITING** on any occasion. We kindly ask for everyone's co-operation in this respect for the safety of the children.

Remember our door is always open!

We have an 'open door' policy here at Dafen School. We are usually available at the end of the day to discuss any matters that may concern you, or alternatively you can make an appointment with the teacher at the convenience of both parties.

A problem shared is a problem halved!

Access our Safeguarding policies here: [Policies | Dafen Primary School \(dafenschool.co.uk\)](https://www.dafenschool.co.uk/policies)

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