

# Alban Wood's Newsletter

## Note From Mrs Pinder –

You may have seen in the national media that The National Education Union (NEU) has voted to carry out strikes in school. There are 7 planned strike days throughout February and March, with strike action beginning on 1 February 2023. Other teaching unions (The NAHT and NASUWT) have held strike ballots, and failed to meet the legal threshold for strike action. Both unions have said that they may re-ballot their members in the coming months. We will keep parents and carers informed of any industrial action which affects school in any way as soon as we know.



### Attendance

This week the whole school attendance is 93.4%. Our school attendance target is 96%, so as you can see, that we have not hit our target.



## Current Percentage of attendance 2022 – 23

**Aim: over 96%**

**Rec – 89.3%**

**Year 1 92.5%**

**Year 2 91.7%**

**Year 3 94.4%**

**Year 4 96.1%**

**Year 5 96%**

**Year 6 95.4%**

**Whole School 93.4%**



## **Dates For The Diary**



**30th Jan – 3rd Feb – Bikeability – Years 5 and 6**

**2nd Feb – Year 6 Class Assembly – 9:00am – Parents to attend**

**7th Feb – Reception Stay and Read – 8:45 – 9:15 am**

**9th Feb – Year 5 Class Assembly – 9:00am – Parents to attend**

**9th Feb – ALP Trust Enrichment Event**

**9th Feb – FAW School Disco – EYFS/KS1 – 3:30 – 4:30pm**

**KS2 – 4:45 – 6:00pm**

**13th Feb – 17th Feb – Half Term**

**20th Feb – Children return to school.**

## **LET US KNOW WHEN.....**

**There has been change of contact details:**

**If anyone has been lucky enough to have a new phone for Christmas, please make sure that the office staff has the details so that we can update our contact systems. Also if you have any changes to your address or email details. Thank you.**

## **LET US KNOW WHEN.....**

### **Changes in medical needs:**

**Has your child been recently diagnosed with anything that school should know about? Are they now Asthmatic and require an Asthma Care Plan? All these things school should be aware of. If your child requires medication a form must be completed before school can administer anything.**

### **Changes in circumstances:**

**If you feel there has been a change within the family which you think could affect your child and we should be aware of. By us knowing this helps us to monitor your child and help if required.**

## **Term Dates**

### **Spring Term 2023**

**Last day of Spring 1: Friday 10 February**

**Spring half term: Monday 13 – Friday 17 February**

**First day of Spring 2: Monday 20 February**

**Last day of Spring 2: Friday 31 March**

### **Summer Term 2023**

**Inset day: Mon 17 April – school closed to children**

**First day of Summer 1: Tuesday 18 April**

**Bank Holiday: Monday 1 May – school closed**

**Bank Holiday for Coronation – Monday 8 May – School closed**

**Last day of Summer 1: Thursday 25 May**

**Inset Day: Friday 26 May – School closed to children**

**Summer half term: Monday 29 May – Friday 2 June**

**First day of Summer 2: Monday 5 June**

**Last day of Summer 2: Friday 21 July**

### **Autumn Term 2023**

**Inset Days: 1 Sept – school closed to children**

**First day of Autumn 1: Monday 4 September**

**Last day of Autumn 1: Friday 20 October**

**Autumn half term: Monday 23 – Friday 27 October**

**First day of Autumn 2: Monday 30 October**

**Last day of Autumn 2: Wednesday 20 December**

## **Term Dates**

### **Spring Term 2024**

**Inset Days: Thursday 4 and Friday 5 – school closed to children**

**First day of Spring 1: Monday 8 January**

**Last day of Spring 1: Friday 16 February**

**Spring half term: Monday 19 – Friday 23 February**

**First day of Spring 2: Monday 26 February**

**Last day of Spring 2: Thursday 28 March**

### **Summer Term 2024**

**First day of Summer 1: Monday 15 April**

**Bank Holiday: Monday 6 May – school closed**

**Last day of Summer 1: Thursday 23 May**

**Inset Day: Friday 24 May – school closed to children**

**Summer half term: Monday 27 – Friday 31 May**

**First day of Summer 2: Monday 3 June**

**Last day of Summer 2: Friday 19 July**

**Inset Days: Monday 22 and Tuesday 23 July – School closed to children**