

Newsletter

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TRINITY ROAD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Head Teacher's Message

Dear Families



We are all looking forward to our Sports Days this week.

This week we are holding our school Sports Days, from 9.30am-11.30am. Our sports day events will be on the school field. You will be able to take photos of your child at the event. We ask you not to upload these to social media without permissions from the parents of other child who may be in the background.

- Monday 26th June – EYFS
- Tuesday 27th June – Year 1 and 2
- Wednesday 28th June – Year 3 and 4
- Thursday 29th June – Year 5 and 6

You are welcome to bring a picnic blanket or a chair to enjoy the activities from the centre of the field while the children move around the field. There is not a lot of shade in the middle, so remember your hat and sun cream!

Our EYFS Sports Day this morning went so well. All of the children jumped, slid, rolled, kicked and threw across the morning and we were excited to be joined by many families to celebrate their child's first Sports Day! A huge well done to all of our Year 6 ambassadors who supported the children as they went from event to event.

Sun Cream & Hats

Please put sun cream on your child before they come to school and send them in with a hat (with their name in it) which they can wear when they play outside. Children should not be wearing sunglasses in school.

Rainbow Raffle—Thank you

A huge thank you to everyone for all your donations to the FoT Rainbow Raffle. There are some super raffle hampers that have been made from everything you brought in.



Be On Time! The Minutes Matter



- Gates open at 8.35am and the blue doors open at 8.45am.
- The school bell will sound at 8.50am to let everyone know the gates will be closing in 5 minutes.
- **At 8.55am the gates will close and all children need to be in by this time.**

Work with us to make sure your child is in on time and ready to start their day with their classmates. If your child is late, even by just a few minutes they will miss a significant amount of learning over time. Lateness is recorded and you will be invited to meet with the Attendance Officer if your child is frequently late.

*Please remember that our school day is changing from 1st September. I sent a letter out to every child to say that we will be starting learning at **8.45am** and the school day will finish at **3.15pm**.*

Getting Your Child to School Really Matters



Did You Know... ?

In a School Year, If Your Child is Late Every Day By...

Your Child Would Have Lost Approximately...

or They Would Have Missed Approximately...

5 Minutes	3.5 Days from School	20 Lessons
10 Minutes	7 Days from School	41 Lessons
15 Minutes	10 Days from School	55 Lessons
20 Minutes	14.5 Days from School	82 Lessons
30 Minutes	22 Days from School	123 Lessons

Please Encourage Punctuality to Maintain Attendance

New Build – Expansion Update

Our catering team took a tour of the new building and their super new industrial catering facilities last week, they are very excited at the prospect of moving out of their temporary facilities and in to their brand new, state of the art kitchen.



NEU Proposed Strike Action – 5th and 7th July

I'm sure you will have seen that the National Education Union announced two further days of strike action for Wednesday 5th and Friday 7th July.

On the previous strike dates that have been and gone this year, we have always managed to stay open to avoid potential disruption, but as on previous occasions, this is not a guarantee. I continue to work with the

staff to try to take all reasonable and appropriate steps to keep the school open on the above dates, for our most vulnerable children, SEND, disadvantaged, key worker children and children sitting upcoming external examinations. While there is no definite guarantee that we will not have to close, I will keep you updated as far in advance as I can work to enable you to make appropriate childcare plans.

Year 3 and 4 Celtic and Roman Field Battle

The children in Rosen, Cowell and Pichon had a great time learning about Roman and Celtic shields; designing and making their own and then using them in a battle re-enactment. This formed part of their plan as they have been writing Battle stories, in character, as either a Roman or Celtic soldier. We had great fun and they were clearly inspired as their writing is brilliant.

Their shields, stories and more photos from the battle will be on display at the Years 3 and 4 Showcase on Friday 7th July.



Our Curriculum Showcases

Each term year groups will be putting together a special Showcase to show off the outcomes for their learning.

- EYFS showcase is on Thursday 13th July from 2.15pm
- Year 1 & 2 is on Wednesday 12th July
- Year 3 & 4 is on Friday 7th July
- Year 5 is on Tuesday 11th July from 2.15pm.
- Year 6 will be performing MacBeth as their showcase.

iRock – End Of Term Concert – Save The Date!

If your child has taken part in iRock lessons this term, then you are invited to attend the iRock End of Term Concert! This will be on Thursday 13th July at from 9.15am

The concert in December was awesome and all the children who have taken part performed the songs they have been learning – they blew us away!

Year 6 – End Of Year Production

This year our Year 6s will be putting on an end of term production of Macbeth for their families. The children have been auditioning for parts, rehearsing their lines and putting together the staging, props and costumes for their end of term performance.



Tickets will be on sale for our event soon.

Save the date for either our evening performance on; Thursday 13th July, or our matinee performance on the afternoon of; Friday 14th July.

Children attending Boswells have informed me they have recently been contacted about the Boswells disco for year 7 children, I will ensure times mean they can attend this and it will not clash with the performance.



Year 6 children will need to attend both performances, as all children are involved in the performance and production, including singing and staging.

We look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible. Priority will be given to Year 6 families, but if you would like to attend, further tickets will be released to the wider school families.

Family Picnic – Thursday 20th July

Last year we invited all families on to the school field to join us for our annual summer family picnic. We would like to invite you all on site to do this same this year, where you can come and join your child for a picnic outside in the fine weather.

This year we will be holding the family picnic on Thursday 20th July. Come on site for 12.00pm, bring a picnic and sit with your child/family on the field. We will have music playing and will see who is going to be a top dancer!

We invite all families to take their children off site from 1.00pm after their lunch, to enjoy the start of the summer holidays.

Are You Our Next School Governor?

School Governors are a hugely important part of the life and running of the school.

They are the largest volunteer sector in the country and they work as part of a dedicated team, to ensure the school is the best that it can be.



Our school Governors are looking for a new Parent Governor to join, as some of our team have come to the end of their term in office. We would like to thank them for their long service and dedication to our school and all the support they have given the school over their time in this invaluable role.

I will be sending you a letter to invite you all to apply to be a Parent Governor. There is some guidance around who can stand as a Parent Governor included, including a nomination form.

FOT 2023 Events – Summer Term Dates

Sunday 2nd July – Summer Fun Day 11.30am - 2.30pm

Join us on Sunday 2nd July for our annual Summer Fun Day at school. There will be lots of stalls to visit, rides to have fun on, things to eat and drink, as well as games to play.

We will have ponies to ride this year and the police and fire brigade will also be here!



Rainbow Raffle - Tickets Now On Sale

Have a look at the Rainbow Raffle posters around school and the copy below, for the way you can buy your raffle tickets for the fabulous Rainbow Raffle!



How to buy

Tickets are £1 each and you can purchase them in the following ways:



- Scan in the QR code on this page, your ticket numbers will then be emailed to you
- Click on this link: [Raffle Tickets](#). Ticket numbers will be emailed to you
- In the playground. Friends of Trinity will be selling tickets in the playground.
- At the Summer Fun Day: 2nd July 2023 11.30am to 2.30pm

Ice Lolly Sales – Save the dates

The FoT are selling ice lollies in the playground again throughout the summer term.

Get your ice lollies on:

- Thursday 29th June
- Wednesday 5th July
- Tuesday 11th July
- Monday 17th July – *to celebrate National Ice Cream Day!*

Ice lollies will be £1 each and this year the FoT have dairy-free ice lollies available.



Have a super week everyone.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "N. Outhwaite".

Natasha Outhwaite
Headteacher

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Our schools attendance target is 95%

Outstanding ~ 98.6-100%

Good ~ 95—98.5%

Could do better ~ 94.9% and below

Last weeks attendance was 93.5%

McKee	Could do better
Donaldson	Good
Deacon	Could do better
James	Could do better
Jeffers	Good
Rosen	Good
Cowell	Good
Pichon	Could do better
Sachar	Could do better
Rauf	Could do better
Ho-Yen	Good



Super Writer, PAP Star & Community Contributor Certificates

Respect & Be Your Best Badges

The table below shows who the awards were won by this week. The certificates will be sent home one week after they are awarded. The Respect and Be Your Best badges are given to the children every Friday and then handed back the following Friday for the next children.

Class	PAP Star	Learning Star	Respect Badge	Be Your Best Badge
Donaldson	Nirav	Wamika	Sienna	Aubrey
McKee	Christopher	Robin	George	Victoria
Deacon	Teddy	Charlotte	Finn	Harrison
James	Noah	Kemith	George	Richard
Jeffers	Nico	Oliver	Klara	Masrur
Rosen	Megan	Freddie	Kian	Meher
Cowell	Olivia	Harry	Denys	Aiden
Pichon	Whole class	Whole class	Wren	Teddy
Sachar	Kai	Dior	Sebastian	Henry
Rauf	Owen	Cora	Zachary	Jaaron
Ho-Yen	Harrison	Gibson	Niri	Paige



Week 1

LETTERS HOME THIS WEEK

Jump Street Letter—Year 6 only

All letters can be found on the school website:

www.trinityroad.essex.sch.uk

KEGS Prospective Student Tours

KEGS are holding their second series of open events for current Year 5 students, together with a parent/carer, to visit KEGS in July. These are for families who did not visit KEGS during the open events in March.

The dates are:

Tuesday 4 July – 09:20 or 09:50

Wednesday 5 July – 09:20 or 09:50

Thursday 6 July – 13:35 or 14:05

Friday 7 July – 13:35 or 14:05

Please notify the School Office if your child will be attending any of these events.

TERM DATES * denotes new

Date	Time	Event	Information
26/06/23	9.30am — 11.30am	EYFS Sports Day	Due to the British summer weather, this date could be subject to change.
27/06/23	9.30am — 11.30am	Years 1 and 2 Sports Day	Due to the British summer weather, this date could be subject to change.
27/06/23 & 28/06/23 *	All day	The Boswells School Induction Day	For the current Year 6 children who will be starting in Boswells in September.
28/06/23 *	All day	Great Baddow High School Induction Day	For the current Year 6 children who will be starting in Great Baddow in September.
28/06/23	9.30am— 11.30am	Years 3 and 4 Sports Day	Due to the British summer weather, this date could be subject to change.
29/06/23 *	Morning	The Sandon School Induction Morning	For the current Year 6 children who will be starting in Sandon in September
29/06/23	9.30am— 11.30am	Years 5 and 6 Sports Day	Due to the British summer weather, this date could be subject to change.
03/07/23	In school time	Years 1 & 2 Theatre Workshop	Letters have been sent home.
04/07/23	In school time	EYFS trip to Maldon Promenade	McKee and Donaldson class. Letters have been sent home.
06/07/23 *	All day	Moulsham High School Induction Day	For the current Year 6 children who will be starting in Moulsham in September.

Date	Time	Event	Information
06/07/23 *	9.30am to 10.00am	September EYFS Story Session	For children joining us in EYFS in September
06/07/23 *	2.15pm to 2.45pm	September EYFS Story Session	For children joining us in EYFS in September
07/07/23 *	All day	Beaulieu Park School Induction Day	For the current Year 6 children who will be starting in Beaulieu Park in September.
07/07/23 *	TBC	Years 3 & 4 Showcase	More information to follow
10/07/23	In school time	La Fete Nationale Francaise—whole school theme day	More information to follow
11/07/23	In school time	Years 3 & 4 trip to Colchester Castle	Rosen, Cowell and Pichon class. Letters have been sent home.
11/07/23 *	2.15pm	Year 5 Showcase	More information to follow
12/07/23 *	TBC	Years 1 & 2 Showcase	More information to follow
13/07/23 *	2.15pm	EYFS Showcase	More information to follow
13/07/23 *	After school	Year 6 evening performance of Macbeth	Times to follow shortly
14/07/23 *	9.30am to 11.30am	September EYFS Settling In Session	For children joining us in EYFS in September
14/07/23 *	In school time	Year 6 matinee performance of Macbeth	Times to follow shortly

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18/07/23 *	In school time	Year 6 trip to Jump Street	Letters have been sent home.
20/07/23	12.00pm to 1.00pm	Whole school family picnic	Families are invited to attend at 12pm and take their children home at 1pm.
21/07/23	All day	Non-pupil day	
24/07/23 to 01/09/23	Summer Holidays		
04/09/23	Non-pupil day		
05/09/23	Return to school		

Come in!

**For tasty food
and good company**



**Free meals
Thursdays
5.30pm**

Everyone is welcome



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