

JOPS News



Note from Mrs Durrant 15th September 2023

Happy Friday everyone!

It was good to see many of you this week at the parent meeting, however some year groups had low numbers. Please ensure you go through the powerpoints as there is new information for 2023, which needs explaining to you.

The school councillors have been announced today in assembly and Miss Kelner looks forward to working with them this year. Year 6 House Captain candidates will be presenting to their houses on Monday and the school will vote so good luck to all. Today was the first 'Tea with SLT' for the winners in celebration assembly, which was a lovely way to finish off a very busy week.

Have a lovely weekend and we will see you on Monday.

DATES FOR DIARIES

18TH SEPT – CLUBS START FOR AUT TERM

22ND SEPT – PARENT VOLUNTEER MEETING 2:00PM

29TH SEPT – JOPSPA MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

ReceptionTour for 2024 intake

Friday 6th October

Monday 9th October

Monday 16th October

Wednesday 1st November

Thursday 9th November

All tours will last approximately 1 hour and will start at 9:30am. Please note we have a Street Safe Scheme in place which restricts parking in the street until 9am. Please call 01708 225202 to book a place as numbers will be limited.

Drink Bottles

Please ensure all drinks bottles that are used during the day in the classroom only contain water and not juice, flavoured water or fizzy drinks.

Headlice

We have reported cases of headlice in the school so please check your child's head and treat accordingly. **Head lice** are small insects, up to 3mm long. It is worth checking pillows and sheets as lice can last up to 2 days without human contact.

Parking

Can we remind parents to park responsibly when parking around the Cathedral Estate. We have good relationships with our residences and would like to keep it this way. Your care and support is much appreciated.

Emailing the School

When emailing attendance@jamesoglethorpe.havering.sch.uk or office@jops.org.uk please remember to put your child's full name and class.

Attendance – Congratulations to those who achieved over 96% (national target) and well done to the classes in red who have won their 'Phase Attendance Competition' for that week. Week beginning 11.09.23

Class	% Attendance	Class	% Attendance	Class	% Attendance
<i>Hedgehogs</i>	57	2M	99	5M	95
<i>Squirrels</i>	57	3C	100	5N	93
1BM	95	3K	99	6B	86
1E	98	4G	94	6H	99
2BF	99	4S	100	Overall	92%

Street Safe

This scheme is continuing which restricts people from parking down the street at drop off and pick up times. To apply for an exemption permit, go to <https://www.havering.gov.uk/parkingpermits> and select 'buy a permit through MIPermit'. Scroll down to 'School Streets Access Virtual Permits' and select what is appropriate to you, read all the relevant information and then press 'continue'. You will need to enter all of your details.

You will need to reapply even if you had a permit last year.

Clubs

All Clubs start Monday 18th September 2023.

Yoga was not on the original letter, however you should now have received information. If you would like your child to take the Yoga class, and have not seen the email then please follow:

www.bookwhen.com/heartfeltyoga To book you will need to use a password: yogaclub

Welcome to the Year PowerPoint

Please find all the PowerPoint slides for Year 1 – 6 on the school website.

<https://jamesoglethorpe.havering.sch.uk/parents/welcome-to-the-year/>

JOPSPA upcoming events

Macmillan coffee morning on Friday 29th September 9:00am – 11:00am in Dining hall

Before half-term our fabulous JOPSPA will be doing a uniform sale. Some items will be pre-loved and some items new – watch this space for further information