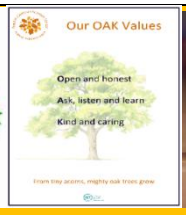
Drayton Community Infant School

Weekly Newsletter

30/06/25

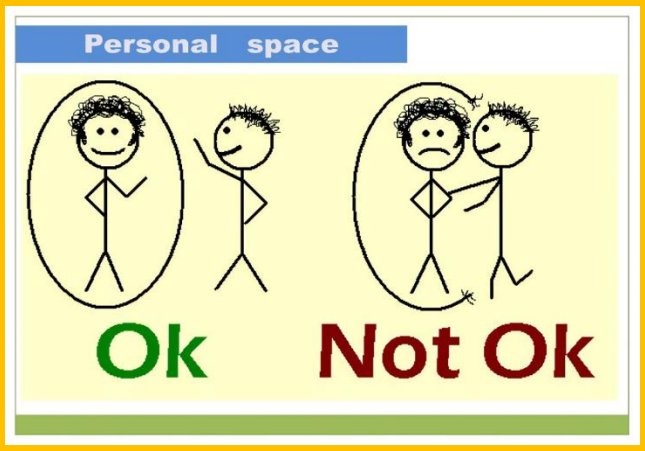






Open and honest
Ask Listen and Learn
Kind and Caring
OAK VALUE this week is
LEARN

In assembly today we talked about learning to give others space and time. To keep our hands to ourselves. We talked about learning how to read how other people might be feeling and understand that we need to respect each other's space. We talked about how we might be a bit hot this week and a bit less tolerant of each other.



Dear Families

It's very hot. We are keeping the children indoors for longer periods today and encouraging them to move around slowly and stay in their own space.

We are thrilled to let you know that Caroline our school cook has reached the final of Edwards and Blakes version of MasterChef. Caroline will not be with us Monday and Tuesday, she will be in London cooking for the judges! Good luck Caroline we are so proud of you.

An enormous thank you to Mrs Dearden for arranging a fantastic Health and Wellbeing Week last week. The children had a great time taking part in a range of sport and wellbeing activities. Thank you to everyone who was able to join our sports days, I'm sure you'll agree that the children did a great job!

Have a great week

Mrs Hutt, Mrs Boyce & The DCIS Team

Attendance

8.20am	**Gates Open**
8.30am	**Classroom doors open**
8.40am	**Gates Closed** **Classroom doors close**
3pm	**End of the school day.**

Attendance last week	Attendance this term (up to 27.06.25)
97.33%	94.63%

Our aim is to maintain attendance above 96%. Thank you for your continued support.

Year 2 show costumes

Please could costumes for the year 2 show be brought into school in a named bag by Friday 11th July.

Transition to Drayton Junior School

Year 2 Parent Information Meeting for new parents to Drayton Junior School – Wednesday 2nd July at 6.00pm

Transition days to Drayton Junior School – Wednesday 9th and Thursday 10th July 8.45am-3.15pm

Children will need to wear their current school uniform, bring a packed lunch and a named water bottle with them on transition days. If your child is in receipt of Pupil Premium (not KS1 Universal Free School Meals) we can provide a lunch for your child to have at the Junior School, please contact the office to request a lunch.

Parent Forum

The minutes from the last meeting have been added to the website and will be sent out by WEDUC

Rob Lee – Otter and Fox
Hannah Howard – Mouse
Francesca Allen – Hedgehog
Fiona Taylor – Otter
Abigail Etchells – Rabbit
Holly Ireson - Starling
Clare Tavernor – Starling
Sophie Siddall - Squirrel
Sophie Hughes – Mole

Next meeting 15th July 2025

Clubs

Running Club – Tuesday Running Club. Spaces are still available so please contact the office to join. This is an 8:05 meet ready for the children to be on the field at 8:10 and we run till the bell rings at 8:30. Children can stay in school pe kit for the day after running club. The children need one pair of trainers for running and another pair of shoes for the rest of the day. A change of socks is recommended too. Please tell breakfast club staff that your child is attending if you would like them to come and the staff will ensure their safe delivery to us on the field.

Archery Club – Thursdays 3.00 – 4.00pm – No spaces available

Boogie Bouncy – Tuesday 10th June – 15th July 3.00 – 3.45pm – no spaces available currently, bookings retained from Summer 1 term.

National Tennis After School Club – Wednesdays 3.05 – 3.50 - The after-school tennis club provides a fun and welcoming environment for all Year 1-2 children. Sessions focus on developing key tennis skills, improving footwork, balance, and coordination, and, most importantly, ensuring everyone has a great time! Booking open for next half term follow link to book: Booking Link

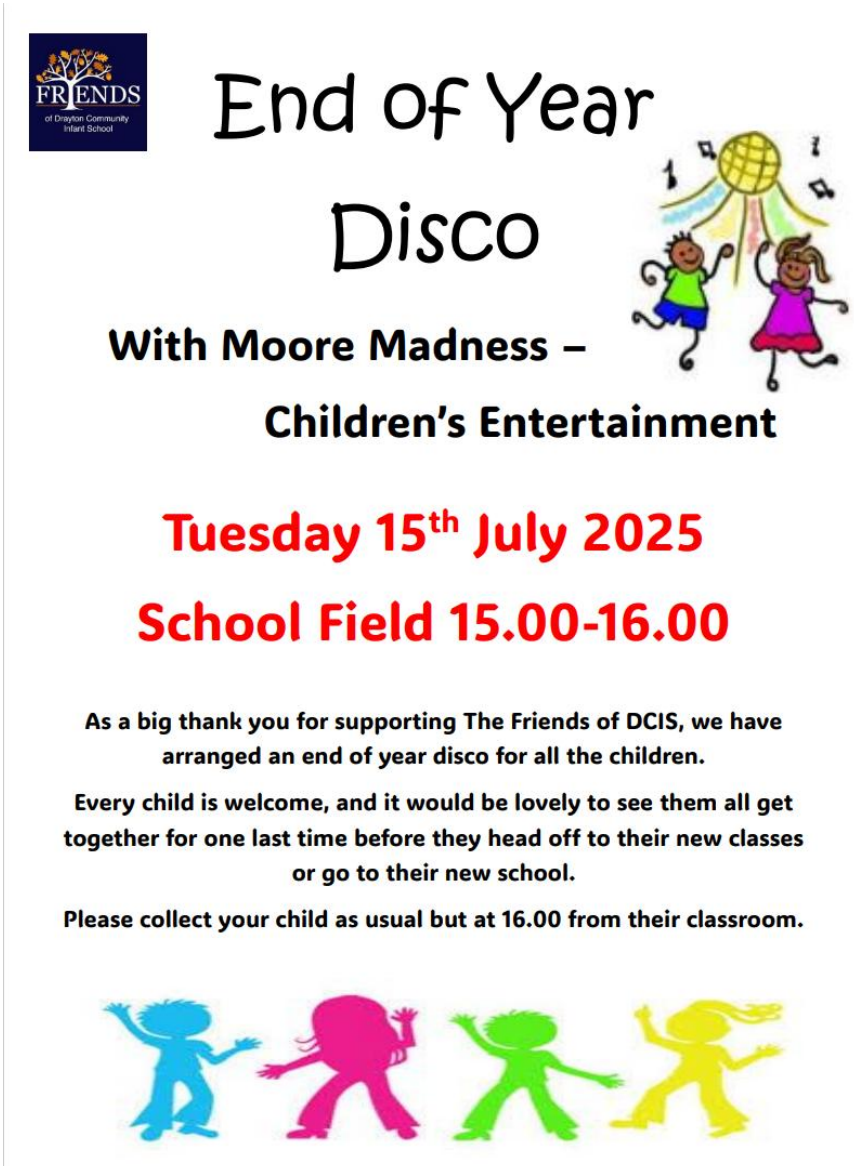
Holiday Clubs



🎾 **Summer Holiday Tennis Camps in West Norwich!** 🎾 Looking for an exciting activity this summer? Sign up for our Tennis Camps at West Norwich venues! Open to 5–15-year-olds, these fun-filled sessions are perfect for beginners and young players to learn tennis skills, stay active, and make new friends. Don't miss out!

📅 **Dates & Booking:** Click here to sign up

End of Year Disco



Dear Parents/Carers

The End of Year Disco will be held on the school field on: Tuesday 15th July 2025 at 15.00 – 16.00.

Moore Madness will be hosting the disco with entertainment.

Squash and water will be available for the children during the disco.

Please collect your child at 16.00 from their usual classrooms.

If your child is unable to attend and needs collecting at 15.00, the usual school pick up time, please let their teacher know in advance and they will have them ready for you.

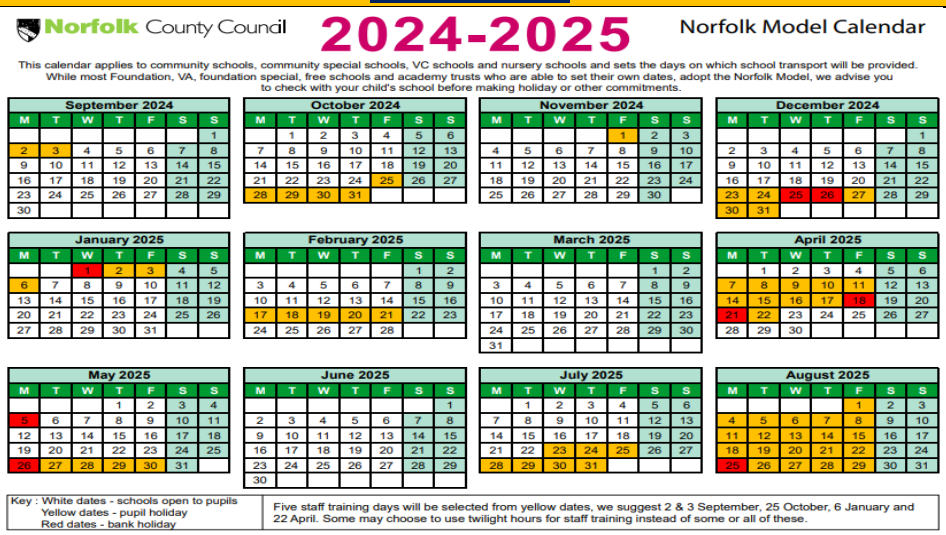
Thanks, and best wishes from The Friends of DCIS

Dates for the diary

Reception – Yellow	Year 1 – Blue	Year 2 – Green	Whole school –NO COLOUR	KS1(Y1&Y2) - Grey

July		
7th		Catch Up Hearing and Sight Screenings
9th & 10th		Transition Days
15th	9.00am	Parents Forum
15th	3.00-4.00pm	Whole School Disco
16th		End of Year Reports out
16th	pm	Year 2 show in the hall 1 Doors open at 1.15 and close at 1.25. Show starts at 1.30 Tickets required – coming home Wednesday
18th	am	Year 2 show in the hall 2 Doors open at 8.40 and close at 8.55. Show starts at 9.00 Tickets required – coming home Wednesday
21st	pm	Year 2 graduation – more information to follow
22nd		Last day of Summer Term 2 – Summer Holiday

Term dates



Norfolk County Council **2024-2025** Norfolk Model Calendar

This calendar applies to community schools, community special schools, VC schools and nursery schools and sets the days on which school transport will be provided. While most Foundation, VA, foundation special, free schools and academy trusts who are able to set their own dates, adopt the Norfolk Model, we advise you to check with your child's school before making holiday or other commitments.

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Key : White dates - schools open to pupils
Yellow dates - pupil holiday
Red dates - bank holiday

Five staff training days will be selected from yellow dates, we suggest 2 & 3 September, 25 October, 6 January and 22 April. Some may choose to use twilight hours for staff training instead of some or all of these.