



6<sup>th</sup> June 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

It has been lovely to welcome all the children back for the final term of the academic year – and what a busy term it is going to be! This past week has seen Year 5 visit Durdle Door and Lulworth Cove exploring and investigating the environment and local area. Year 4 are excited about their night away next week at the Ancient Technology Centre and we look forward to hearing about their adventures and wish them well on this new and exciting trip. The Year 6 residential to Land & Wave is also taking place this term and there is an information session after school on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> June for the parents of all Year 6 pupils going on that trip. Please attend as important information will be shared, as well as the essential kit list!

## Parent Governor Vacancies

We have 2 vacancies for parents to join the Governing Board for Livingstone Road Federation. Please read the attached information sheet to see if this is a role that you would be interested in and able to commit to. Our Governors provide a vital role in supporting and challenging the school to ensure we are always striving to provide the best opportunities to all our pupils.

## Mental Health Support Team in Schools (MHST)

The Mental Health Support in Schools Team are conducting a questionnaire to find out how well the school is helping pupils with their mental health and wellbeing, an area that some parents raised in the Governors recent survey. Your answers will help them see what the school is doing well and what could be improved. Your responses are completely **anonymous** and what you share will help the school to continue to support the mental health and wellbeing of our pupils. Please can you complete this questionnaire by **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June**.

<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=sITDN7CF9Ueylge0jXdO49h0AGDrUENOkmpal-0kmBUMDFOVkg3VEZVWIA5WjlaNDEzUFJNS0FVSi4u>

## Summer Fair

We are delighted to announce that the PTFA will be holding their annual Summer Fair on **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July**, from 3.15pm. In order to raise valuable funds for our Federation, they require some donations to enable them to organise a variety of stalls and prizes. As a thank-you for any donations, pupils will be able to have a Non uniform day on **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June** in return for the following donations:

Preschool - Sweets

EYFS - Bottles (squash, shampoo, conditioner etc)

Year 1 - Toiletries

Year 2 - Sweets

Year 3 - Party bag fillers

Year 4 - Stationery

Year 5 - Crisps/biscuits

Year 6 - Sweets



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## Diary Dates

Attached to this letter are the full-term dates for the 25-26 academic year, including Inset days when the Federation will be closed to all pupils. This is also available on the school website.

**9-13 June** – KS1 Phonics Screening week

**Monday 9<sup>th</sup> June 3.10pm- Y6 residential meeting**

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June 0900-1000 - Day in the Life of a pupil.** A chance to see the whole school at work. Please sign up via the office

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> June 0830-0930- Year 2 Book Cafe.** Parents and carers invited into the Infant Hall to share a variety of new books with their children while enjoying a delicious hot drink and pastry!

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June – Mufti Day** in exchange for items for Summer Fair donations

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July – Inset Day.** School closed to pupils.

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> July - Sports Day** (Infants am/ Juniors pm) (Reserve date in case of poor weather is 15<sup>th</sup> July)

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July – Summer Fair** after school on Junior field

**Attendance** - Congratulations to Hazel, Pine, Blossom, Silver Birch and Sycamore classes for attendance over 96%. If your child is absent, we have a new email address: [student-absence@livingstoneprimary.org](mailto:student-absence@livingstoneprimary.org). **Please do not send absence emails to the office email.**

Please see the below graphic regarding long term poor attendance. It really highlights the importance of forming good habits early in a child's schooling so that they can reach their potential in later life.

### The long-term impact on earning

Persistently absent pupils in secondary school could earn **£10,000 less on average at age 28** compared to pupils with near-perfect attendance.

For each **additional day of absence** between Years 7 to 11, the typical pupil could miss out on an average of **£750** in future lifetime earnings.

Persistently absent pupils were **60% less likely to be employed** when aged 28 compared to peers in school nearly every day.



Read the publication: [The impact of school absence on lifetime earnings - GOV.UK](#)

Wishing you a lovely weekend,

**Claire Addis, Executive Headteacher**