



Shalfleet C.E. Primary

The purpose of the Federation of the Church Schools of Shalfleet, Freshwater and Yarmouth is to educate children in an atmosphere of Christian love where all achieve the very best they can, now and throughout their lives.

<http://fosay.co.uk>

Headteacher: Mrs. E Grainger

Deputy Headteacher: Mrs. G Westhorpe

RESPECT • RESILIENCE • RELATIONSHIPS

Letters Home

- Year 4 – Harry Potter World
- Year 5 – Winchester Science

Attendance Matters



Attendance

Over a school year, we are due to open for 190 days which equates to 380 sessions with registration in the morning at 8.35am and after lunch in the afternoon.

Attendance is affected if a pupil is not present at school for any whole session including registration.

Attendance Target

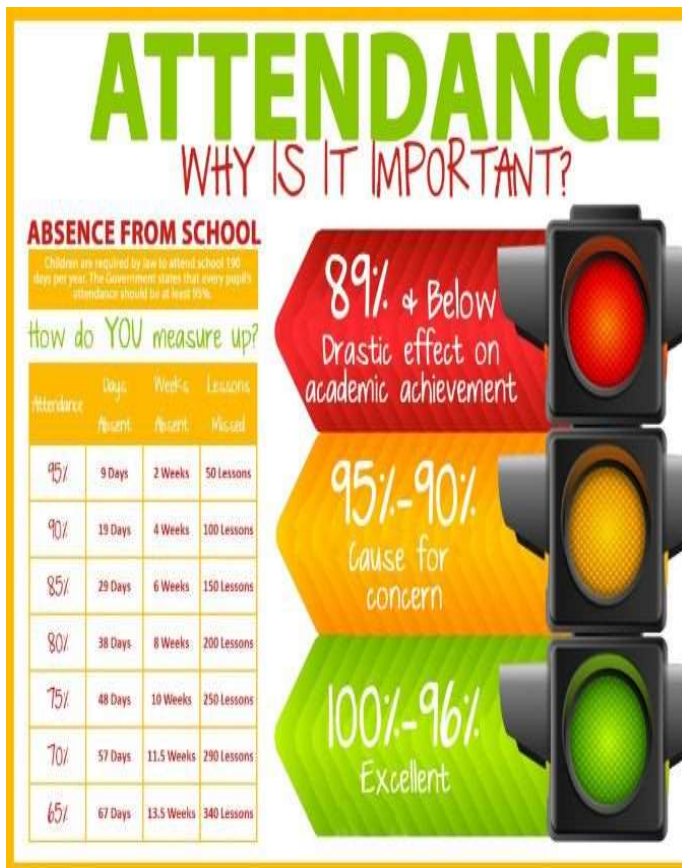
100%

Attendance Last Week

95%

Attendance This Year

96%



• Important Information

Dates for your Diary

27th September – Mufti-Day in aid of Shoe Box Appeal

3rd and 4th October – Individual School Photo's

3rd October – Year 2 Fort Victoria / Yarmouth Trip

4th October – Harvest Sharing Worship

9th October – PTFA School Disco – more information to follow

11th October – Flu Immunisations

11th October – Year 5 Sharing Worship

11th October – Mufti in Aid of Mountbatten Hospice – Go Yellow

17th October - Year R – Freshwater and Yarmouth School Trip

17th October – Year 5 – Winchester Science Museum

Friday 18th October break up for Half – Term

Return to School Monday 4th November after Half - Term



In the Community

Lost Property

Please could parents/ carers ensure all clothing is clearly labelled.

We have a growing amount of lost property without names, if you think this could be yours please pop into the school office to have a look.

Many thanks

Federation Mission Statement and Values

Mission Statement

'We value and respect everyone within an atmosphere of Christian love. Our welcoming community builds strong relationships and is dedicated to supporting everyone to flourish academically, emotionally, socially and culturally through an excellent and engaging curriculum.'

Values

Respect

Resilience

Relationships

Together for a Brighter Future

*'Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures forever'
Psalm 118:29*

Gold Awards

This week's gold award winners are:

Year 1- Axel, George, Nicholas

Year 2 – Tianna, Cormac, Flora

Year 3 – Sonny, Isabelle

Year 4 – Evalyn, Eli

Year 5 – Isobel, William, Enzo

Year 6 – Georgia, Phoebe

Well Done Everyone!



Birthdays

21st – 27th September

Amelia Emily

Happy birthday to you!

Outdoor learning Golden Wellie

Golden Welly

Otto B Yr 4

Keep up the great work!



Sports Tokens

This week's sports token totals are:

Lighthouse – 20

Needles – 16

Lifeboat – 17

Osbourne – 23

Well Done everyone!

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have had an increasing number of parents who arrive at school to speak to a member of staff without an appointment. This inevitably causes some upset if the member of staff is unavailable due to other commitments. To avoid this, please call school ahead of any visit to arrange a meeting. Our support/pastoral staff have multiple meetings and commitments every day; whilst they always do their level best to accommodate you, they do need advance notice of any visits or meetings.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation

The Conscious Community

What is the conscious community?
Every person in our Federation – including you and all staff – has an important responsibility. Part of it is to be the best you can be. To do this you need to be aware of all that you do and feel; you also need to be aware of what others are doing and feeling too. This is what being in a conscious community is all about.

Conscious = Aware Community = All together

How do I make sure I am part of this?
By thinking about both your actions/feelings and the actions/feelings of others through 3 important values:

<h3>Respect</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Celebrate your skills and talentsRecognise what makes you greatBe proud of what you achieveCelebrate other people's skills and talentsRecognise what makes other people greatBe proud of what other people achieve	<h3>Resilience</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Making mistakes are great – it's how we growIt is important we always respect them and learn from themAsk yourself these questions about your actions or the actions of others...<ul style="list-style-type: none">Why do I/they feel this way?Did I/they handle this situation in the best possible way?What could I/they do to improve the situation?Did I/they do the best I/they could?What can we learn from this situation?How can we move forward positively?	<h3>Relationships</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Show a good understanding of yourself and others by knowing what inspires you both, what you want, your beliefs, your needs and what can cause you and them to feel a certain way.In situations ask yourself and others...<ul style="list-style-type: none">What is my/their point of view?What are my/their reasons?How are I/they feeling?What are I/they bringing to this situation?
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In a conscious community...

<i>We are open</i>	<i>We are honest</i>	<i>We listen</i>
<i>We ask questions</i>	<i>We speak up</i>	<i>We respect privacy</i>

Our Mission Statement

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Values

Our three R's are incredibly important to us. They represent qualities we believe everyone can identify with, regardless of age or role in our conscious community. They are the backbone to the conscious community as a whole.



RESPECT



RESILIENCE



RELATIONSHIPS

Attendance

We prioritise the attendance of all children at our school and recognise the very strong link between attendance and academic success.

When you register your child at our school, you have a legal duty to ensure that your child attends everyday that the school is open except in a small number of circumstances such as being too ill to attend or being given permission for an absence in advance (not holidays).

We will work together to help overcome any attendance issues.

Wellbeing

We acknowledge that mental health and wellbeing is of central importance and intrinsic to our lives.

We believe having a mentally healthy community is about being able to work together through any challenges and that everyone is feeling supported, heard, accepted, valued and empowered.

It is of paramount importance that if there is anything you feel is affecting your child's wellbeing or educational experience that you get in contact with us.

Chartwells

From the 4th September the Chartwell school lunches will increase as follows:

Child's meal £2.97 (for key-stage 2 – Years 3,4,5,6)

MUSIC LESSONS FOR KIDS AND FUN

Help Your Child With:
Confidence
Concentration
Self Discipline
Better School Grades



Want to play the Trumpet or learn the Trombone, Euphonium, Clarinet, Flute or Glockenspiel?

- Instrument provided. lessons **only £1** a Week!!
- **Sundays 10am - 11am at Nine Acres Primary School**
- **Call Now** to book your 1st **FREE** Lesson



We also offer private lessons through our Professional Music Instructor
Sandor Sztankovics



CALL
07837792518

EMAIL - MEDINAMARCHINGBAND@GMAIL.COM



Enchanted Eras

LIVE IN CONCERT

Tuesday 29th October
2-3pm
FUBAR, 74 Union St, Ryde

£1 PER TICKET

WELCOME THE NEWEST MEMBER OF OUR FAMILY WITH A LIVE SINGALONG PERFORMANCE, MEET AND GREET & FREE GIFT!

BOOK YOUR TICKETS AT
WWW.TICKETSOURCE.CO.UK/ENCHANTEDISLEUK

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YOUTH VOICE CONFERENCE 2024

Age 13 - 25 & Want your voice to be heard ?
The Youth Voice Conference 2024 will take place on Saturday 12th October.

Newport Minster
St Thomas' Square
Newport
PO30 1SL

From 09:30am - 15:30pm.
Refreshments and lunch will be provided!

Want to know more? Contact us via email:
taskforce@iowyouthtrust.co.uk

Registering couldn't be easier.
Simply scan the QR code below:

Ryde Academy Open Evening

October 9th 4:00pm - 7:00pm

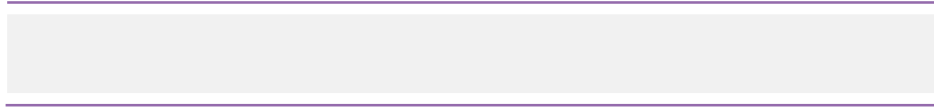
Parent Presentations 5:00pm and 6:00pm

Ryde Academy
Find your remarkable

Asda are currently running their Cashpots for School scheme, whereby spending in store or online converts to a cash pot for school.

If you are happy to join the scheme (there are no costs attached), you can join via the app and help to build a spending pot for school.

Here is a link below if you need any further information.
<https://www.asda.com/cashpotforschools>



Curious Squirrel's Weekly Round Up!

We have had a lovely autumnal week here in the Curious Squirrel's room! We have all been noticing the differences within nature, due to the seasonal change, and we have taken advantage of some wonderful, natural and autumnal activities this week!

The week started well as the children thoroughly enjoyed a sensory tray filled up with lots of crunchy, autumn leaves. The children enjoyed adding some small world animals to the tray of leaves and listening to the noises the leaves made as the animals would stomp over them. The children also enjoyed touching the leaves and exploring what they felt like, contributing to their physical and fine motor skills as well as their understanding of the world. The next day, the children had a fabulous time exploring and experimenting with a messy play, taste safe activity. The tray was filled with some different frozen vegetables and fruits, such as: carrots, peas and peaches. This activity was aided with some spoons to enable the children to try and scoop up the items, practicing their fine motor skills and their use of cutlery!

Throughout the middle of the week, lots of books and stories were enjoyed by all, a particular favourite this week has been the Peppa Pig counting book. Some of the children have demonstrated that they are able to recognise some of the numbers in the book and also did a brilliant job at practicing their counting skills!

As the week was coming to an end, the children and adults of the Curious Squirrel's room enjoyed a little trip down to our on-site trim trail area. The children all held hands, either with a friend or a grown up, and walked down to the trim trail ever so beautifully!

Whilst we were at the trim trail, the children enjoyed doing all sorts such as; running around, balancing on the balance beam, climbing, dancing, singing, and most of all collecting some wonderful natural items to bring back to preschool with us!

Upon our return, we decided to use the items that we had collected at the trim trail, to create some wonderful prints and paintings. The children all thoroughly enjoyed this experience. Together we all chatted about the items that we had collected, we counted how many items we had collected, we shared the items well with our friends and we explored the different coloured paints using our hands and fingers too!

This activity holistically supported all 7 areas of development!

What a lovely time we have had!



Wise Owls Weekly Round Up!
16th September - 20th September 2024

During our week of learning, creating and having fun the children have enjoyed many activities and experiences. This week we have been working on a few activities to help promote our independence. The children had great fun learning new skills in buttering and cutting their own toast at snacktime, it was very well received by the children and they absolutely loved making their own snacks!

The children have also enjoyed making flapjacks, this is a great activity to promote a wide array of learning opportunities such as mathematical language and measurements, using fine motor skills and hand-eye coordination for mixing, pouring and measuring. Cooking and baking activities are a great way to get children involved and to learn new skills and further their development in a fun, exciting and delicious way!

What another lovely week we have had with our Wise Owls this week, a few other activities which we enjoyed included: Marble painting, junk modeling, coloured counting cubes, dressing up, sensory messy play and much, much more!
We look forward to another week of fun and learning!



Isle of Wight Secondary Colleges and 6th Form
2024-25 Open Day/Evening dates
(as at 20 June 2024)



School/College	Date	Time
Carisbrooke College	1 October 2024	Year 6 open evening: 5-8pm
Christ the King College	19 September 2024 07 November 2024	Year 6 open evening: 5.30-7.30pm 6 th Form open evening: 5.30-7.30pm
Cowes Enterprise College	1 st to 24 th October 2024 November 2024	Year 6 45-minute bookable tours will take place on Tuesdays and Thursdays and will be led by a member of the senior leadership team who will be able to answer any specific questions you have about year 7, our curriculum and enrichment opportunities. Tour times to be confirmed. <i>Bookings can be made by calling the academy on 01983 203103 from the 2nd September 2024</i> 6th Form Open Month. Tours will take place on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays around the sixth form campus, providing a first-hand experience of what it is like to be a student at Cowes Sixth Form. <i>Bookings can be made by calling the academy on 01983 203103 from the 2nd September 2024</i>
Island Free School	12 October 2024	Y6 open day: 09.30-1pm Headmaster's Talks at 10am, 11am and 12noon
Medina College	26 September 2024	Year 6 open evening: 5-8pm
Ryde Academy	9 October 2024 20 November 2024	Y6 Open Evening 6th Form Open Evening
Ryde School	5 October 2024	Y6 and 6 th Form Open Morning: 10-12.30pm
The Bay CE School	3 October 2024	Y6 Open Evening: 5-8pm
The Island VI Form	14 November 2024	VI Form open evening: 5-8pm
The Isle of Wight College	26 June 2024 24 September 2024 16 November 2024 8 January 2025 1 February 2025 24 April 2024	4-7pm 4-7pm Open Day 4-7pm Open Day Open evening tbc
The Priory School of our Lady Walsingham	n/a	Don't hold open days. Ring up to make an appointment for a show round. Marion Ahmed – Tel: 861222 or email: mail@prioryschool.org.uk

- Please note St Georges is not offering open days. Places are allocated via the SEND department.