



FOLVILLE JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

SEPTEMBER 2023

Dear Parents,

Welcome to a new academic year at Folville. Apologies for some confusion over start details. We are working on improving the web site and will be adding lots more information for you. I am also aware that our finish time is very close to Imperial's. Please collect your younger child first and we will remain with your child at Folville until you arrive- either in the playground or in reception. Please ensure that you have joined Class Dojo as we mostly communicate through that. Staff are always happy to answer any concerns through Dojo or face to face (It is much easier if you book an appointment through Dojo or via the school office on 0116 282 4368.)

Parents' evening will be on Wednesday 11th and Thursday 12th October and 17th and 18th April. You can either meet in school or on the telephone.

The Folville Community Café will be open Tuesday 12th September at 3:30pm- 4:45pm. We will be giving away recycled uniform so please come and have a browse.

School now starts at 8.40am. We open the gates/hall doors at 8.30am and the children can go straight into class. Breakfast Club is on every day at 8am. It is free if your child has free school dinners or £1 per session if not. You do not need to book Breakfast Club, just come through the main doors.

I look forward to seeing you all during this exciting year.

Thank you for all your support as always. If you need to contact me, please email on bwells@folville.leicester.sch.uk, call 0116 282 4368 or contact me on Dojo.

PS You may have seen in the news that some schools are having concrete problems. I am very happy to report that Folville is not one of them!

Best wishes,

Bruce Wells

Photo Gallery:



Check out our website for more photos and news.. <https://www.folville.leicester.sch.uk/>





School Times:

8:00am Breakfast Club opens
8:30am Gates open and Hall doors open
8:40am School Starts



Absence

We get concerned when you child does not come to school. We have introduced a new system in school, where if your child is marked away absent on the class register after **9:15am** a text will be sent requesting parents to contact the school office to advice the reason of absence. If we do not receive a response by **10:00am** your child will be marked in the register as an unauthorized absence.

Please contact the **office telephone 0116 282 4368** to report the reason for absence.



Late:

If you child is late they need to sign in at the school office to avoid unnecessary text messages being sent to parents. Please remind you child of the importance of signing in. **Register close at 8:50am.**

Can you please ensure your child is in school for **8:30am each day.** Registration is an important part of the school day.

School Term Date 2023-2024

Autumn term 2023

Open/Closure/Holidays Dates

Schools open Tuesday 29 August 2023

School closes Thursday 12 October 2023 at 3:10pm

Teacher day Friday 13th October 2023

Autumn half term Monday 16 October - Friday 20 October 2023

Teacher day Monday 23rd October 2023

Schools open Tuesday 24 October 2023

Schools close Friday 22 December 2023

Christmas and new year holiday Monday 25 December to Friday 5 January 2024

Teacher day Monday 8th January 2024

Children return Tuesday 9th January 2024



Dates for your diary: Parents' evening:

Wednesday 11th and
Thursday 12th October
2023
Thursday 18th April
2024

Reopening Folville Community Café:

Tuesday 12th September
3:30pm till 4:45pm
Tea & Coffee, snacks and
social activities.
Everybody is welcome to
join us!

Dates for your diary:

Tuesday 26th- Friday 29th
September 2023: Year 4
Ullesthorpe residential

Monday 30th October 2023: whole
school Flu vaccinations
Tuesday 31st October 2023: Year 6
Holocaust Centre

Wednesday 8th November 2023:
Year 4 Demontfort Hall Orchestra
Wednesday 15th November 2023:
Year 5 Richard III Centre

