



Learning for life!

Meridian Newsletter

Term 4

**Monday 22nd February –
Thursday 1st April**

Term 5

**Monday 19th April – Friday
28th May**

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**Meridian Community Primary
School and Nursery**



@MeridianCPS

Thursday

1st

**April
2021**

Dear Parents and Carers

I can't believe it's the end of term already! The last few weeks have raced by. It has been so lovely having all the children back in school and seeing them enjoying being with their teachers and friends again. Thank you to everyone who has supported us this term by following the expectations in place to keep everyone safe.

School Uniform

We are looking forward to seeing all the children back in their school uniforms after Easter. If your child wishes to bring in another jumper or hoodie in case they get cold, this is fine. However, this should not be instead of their usual blue school jumper. We are noticing a lot of children in Years 5 and 6 that are only wearing hoodies to school – please can we ask that they start to wear their blue jumpers/cardigans again please. [School uniform expectations](#)

Drop off times

There are an increasing number of children in Year 5 and 6 that are arriving at school very early. This morning there were many children lining up from 8.15am. This means that they are unsupervised for 20 minutes outside the school grounds. If your children are walking to school independently or you are dropping them off to wait independently, please can you ensure that they are not arriving before 8.30am so that they are safe. Thank you for your support with this.

Assistant Headteacher

Congratulations to Miss. Roberts who successfully interviewed to become our second Assistant Headteacher at Meridian. She has been doing this role in an acting capacity since September and will now be officially in this role. She will continue to teach and have leadership time to lead on English, Learning Behaviours and support me in developing the curriculum across the school. Well done Miss. Roberts!

I hope you have a wonderful Easter break and look forward to seeing you next term.

strength

kindness

Take care and best wishes

C. Westcott

Claire Westcott
Headteacher

respect



honesty

responsibility

TERM DATES 2020/2021

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Monday 19th April – school closed for staff training

Tuesday 20th April – school closed for staff training

Children back to school on Wednesday 21st April

Term 6

Monday 7th June – Friday 23rd July

FINAL TWO INSET DAYS ARE:

Monday 19th April

Tuesday 20th April

IMPORTANT DATES

01.04.21 End of term 4

16.04.21 New Reception school allocations to parents

19.04.21 School Closed for Staff Training

20.04.21 School Closed for Staff Training

21.04.21 Children back to school for term 5

Sun Safety

Hopefully the weather will start to warm up over the next few weeks which means that it is important that all children have water bottles in school to keep hydrated.

Children are able to bring in sun hats (named please) and sun cream. If they bring in sun cream, they will need to be able to apply this independently as we are unable to help them with this.

OPAL

As part of our plan to support children re-connecting with each other and supporting positive playtimes. The children have been amazing with their imaginative play. Once the COVID-19 restrictions reduce, we will be able to start to ask for loose parts again for the children to play with.



It has been so lovely to see them playing and laughing together!



Holiday food and fun!

FREE for families receiving
benefits-related free school meals.

C.A.T.S CLUB

Are very pleased to announce we are
able to offer fully funded places for
families that are receiving Benefit
related free school meals

Please contact us to discuss your
needs and book your places

Our Play Scheme will run from
6th – 16th April 7.30am – 6pm

Call us on 07951878939

Or drop us a direct message



During school holidays at Easter, summer and Christmas,
our Holiday Food and Fun clubs will be serving up a menu of
activities and food for children and young people aged 5-16.



Department
for Education



Holiday food and fun!

East Sussex
County Council



C.A.T.S CLUB PEACEHAVEN

EASTER

Holiday Playscheme

CRAFT • GAMES • COOKING • FUN

6th - 16th APRIL

FULL AND HALF DAY SESSIONS

BASED AT PEACEHAVEN AND TELSCOMBE

FOOTBALL CLUB

7.30AM - 6PM



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Butterfly Nursery, Afterschool & Holiday Childcare

Are delighted to announce that we will be offering FREE places at our
Easter Playscheme for children through the HAF Scheme.

If your school-age child is entitled to free school meals
you may be eligible for a place.

Sessions are running mornings (incl. lunch) and afternoons (incl. tea)

To book your child's place please contact us on -

01273 580819

info@butterfly-nursery.co.uk



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NHS
East Sussex
School Health Service



Aged 11 to 19?

Or parent/carer of a
child or young person
aged 5 to 19 years old?

**Speak to a
school nurse
in person.**

Tuesdays and Thursdays
10am to 3 pm
and 6 to 9pm

Click <https://nhs.uk/east-sussex-school-health>
or text
07507 332473 anytime.

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School
Health**

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IN-STORE FITTING

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Plus, take along your child's most recent pair of Clarks shoes, and they'll check if they're still a good fit.

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Shoe shopping can be overwhelming for some children. If you think a shopping experience without crowds, noise and bright lights would be better, then book a Quiet Time appointment.

To do this, contact Brighton on 01273 328938

Or call the Customer Care team on 01458 899053

Opening hours, Monday to Saturday 9.00am-6.00pm, Sunday 11.00am-5.00pm

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