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A belated Happy New Year to you all .

The children have settled very well into their work and we are seeing lots of examples of children displaying our Stowlawn Expectations and Attributes, which is fantastic!

You will have heard that the Government have started to lift Covid restrictions. Yesterday headteachers met with the LA and Public Health , and they have explained that Wolverhampton is at its peak in terms of infection rate, and have urged us to have a cautious approach to lifting restrictions in schools. We do continue to have a number of cases in school, and the knock on effect of this is that staff absence may cause a risk of closing classes – as has happened recently with Nursery. As a result, at the moment we will be keeping all of our policies and procedures in place, at least up until February half term. We are planning to start mixing within school after half term, starting with assemblies in person in the hall and not online, and restarting a range of after school clubs. Following this we very much look forward to starting welcoming parents back into school .

Should anything change we will of course keep you updated.

I would, as ever, like to thank you once again for your support throughout this pandemic, as we continue to endeavour to keep our school community safe and well.

Stowlawn Safety Day

We are delighted to be ending this half term with our "Stowlawn Safety Day" , which provides a focus for all children in school around keeping themselves and others safe in a number of ways.

Children will have a range of workshops and experiences covering aspects such as online and ESafety, First Aid and personal health and hygiene. This will take place on the last day of half term - Thursday 17th February.

INSET / Training Days

Please note that both of our school training days for this academic year have now been booked. School will be closed to children on Friday 18th February , and Friday 27th May. These are both Fridays before the remaining 2 half term holidays. A reminder also that the Local Authority have added the extra Jubilee bank holiday onto the end of the Summer Term, so we finish for the end of the school year on Thursday 21st July. Please find below a list of further dates that are planned so far for the rest of the school year.

PE KIT

Although PE is set on particular days , please ensure that your child keeps a PE kit in school in their lockers as there may be times that the timetable has to change at short notice. Children should have black shorts/ joggers, a white t-shirt and black pumps. Please also make sure that all PE kit items are named to help the children be organised when changing.



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Dates For Your Diary

Thursday 17 th February	Whole School	Stowlawn Safety Day
	Whole School	Break Up for Half Term (Friday 18 th February – INSET day)
Monday 28 th February	Whole School	Return to school
Friday 4 th March	Whole School	Stowlawn Book Celebration Day
Friday 18 th March	Whole School	Comic Relief/ Red Nose Fundraising Day
Friday 8 th April	Whole School	Break Up for Easter holidays Nursery : 11.30am Reception , Year 1, 2 and 3 : 1.15pm Year 4, Year 5, Year 6 : 1.20pm
Monday 25 th April	Whole School	Back to school
Monday 2 nd May	Whole School	Closed for Bank Holiday
Thursday 5 th May	Whole School	Possible school Closure for Voting (to be confirmed)
Monday 9 th May	Year 6	SATS external test week – please ensure all Year 6 children are in school this week
Wednesday 18 th May	Year 5	Re-arranged “Young Voices” concert
Thursday 26 th May	Whole school	Break Up for half term (Friday 27th May – INSET Day)
Monday 6 th June	Whole School	Back to School
Thursday 21 st July	Whole school	Break up for Summer holidays