Langstone Link



Edition 1: September 2026

A NOTE FROM MRS MARSHMAN

Welcome to the first edition of our new Langstone Link newsletter. I pleased to say that the children have had a fantastic start to the new school year and are settling into their new classes exceptionally well.

As ever, there have been some staff changes over the summer. We are delighted to welcome Miss Enright, Mrs Rocks, Mr Wood, Miss Blasco, Miss Garland, Mr Marshman, Mr Briscoe, Mrs Bartholomew, Mrs Mattin and Mrs Clelland to the Langstone team.

As always, there is plenty happening across the school, with trips, workshops and exciting learning experiences already underway. This term, we are placing a particular focus on our Golden Rules and encouraging everyone to ensure that we are 'Excellent Together' in all that we do. We look forward to another successful and enjoyable year ahead.

SCHOOL NEWS

Building Update!

Over the summer holidays, we were pleased to see the completion of an exciting improvement to our school site.

A new covered walkway has now been installed to link our two school buildings. This will make it easier for children, staff and visitors to move around the school and easily transition between the buildings.

As well as providing shelter in all weather, the walkway is an important step in bringing our school together physically and strengthening our identity as one primary school community.



REMINDERS

Please ensure that your child has the correct uniform and that it is clearly labelled with their name:

School Uniform:

- White Polo Shirt
- Grey trousers/skirt/pinafore
- Bottle Green jumper/cardigan
- Black, closed toe, low heeled school shoes
- Hair is to be neatly tied back
- No jewellery is to be worn at school, if your child's ears are pierced, they must be small stud earrings.
- Bottle Green Bookbag

PE Kit:

- Plain white T-Shirt & black shorts
- Plain black trainers
- Black, slim fit, tracksuit bottoms (over shorts) or black 'skins' (under shorts) for cold weather
- Black, zip-up hoodie



CELEBRATING SUCCESS!



Achievement Awards:

This month, 10 children in Year 2 and 22 children in Year 3 will attend a special celebration assembly to receive Achievement Awards in recognition of their hard work & excellent learning behaviours.

Attendance Awards:

An enormous number of attendance awards will be making their way home with children this week. Mrs Harris is delighted, although it did take her quite a while to sign them all!

What fantastic achievements! We are incredibly proud of all the children for their efforts. Please remember to look out for our special Achievement Assembly invitations and information via ParentMail.



SEPTEMBER DATES



- **24th** SENCO Surgery (No availabilty)
  Please note this is by appointment only
- **28th** Parents Evening: Years 1-6
- **29th** Parents Evening: Years 1-6

OCTOBER DATES

- **1st** Parents Evening: Years 1-6
- **16th** Last school day

CLUBS & ACTIVITIES

Sports club letters for this half term have now been sent out. If you would like your child to take part, please sign up as soon as possible on the Scopay app, as places are often filled very quickly due to the popularity of the clubs. Keep an eye on future ParentMail communications for updates about upcoming sports clubs and choir opportunities.

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Report ALL pupil absence via KS1 phone number

INSET DAYS & HOLIDAYS



Half term is 2 weeks: 17th October - 1st November

INSET DAYS remaining:

- Friday 27th November 2026
- Monday 4th January 2027
- Friday 5th March 2027
- Friday 2nd July 2027

