



# Sandal Castle VA Community Primary School

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Summer Term

2024

14<sup>th</sup> June



Class	%
3BJ	99.2%
6SW	97.9%
2AD	97.5%
5SE	97.4%
6RS	97.3%
1JP	96.7%
1JS	95.8%
5HF	95.6%
1EJ	95.0%
3RQ	94.6%
5LG	94.6%
FDJ	94.0%
4RW	93.3%
6HH	93.3%
FKW	92.9%
4JG	92.1%
4JS	90.4%
2JT	90.2%
3TD	90.1%
FJW	87.5%
2CW	85.8%

The winning class of this week's attendance challenge are: **3BJ with 99.2%!**

Well, done folks! Keep up this amazing achievement!

Many thanks for supporting our very important attendance drive. This week our whole school attendance is: **93.72%**.

Our target is **96%!** Let's go for it next week. Together, we can do it!

### Non-Uniform Day

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June.

We would like the children to bring in an item as a donation for the summer fayre as 'payment'.

**Foundation- year 3** - some sweets/chocolate - unopened and no nuts.

**Year 4-6** - a bottle - anything from shampoo/pop etc - again unopened.

General donations are also welcome and appreciated, such as gift sets, teddies, cakes/buns or raffle prizes etc.

### Eid

Following guidance from our local mosque committee. We have been informed that the local moon sighting will be on **Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June**. Please contact school if your child will be following Religious Observance on this day.

**Eid Mubarak!**

We look forward to seeing you back at school on **Tuesday!**

### Reminder School Start Times

A polite reminder school starts at **8:45am**. **KS2** children can enter the playground from **8:30am**.

**Sandal Sunrise starts at 7:30am.**

Please ensure your children are not left unattended on the school grounds before these times.

Thank you.



### Diary Dates



19 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Coffee Morning</b> 9-10am 
20 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Future In Mind</b> Sleep Success @ 9am in KS1 Hall
21 <sup>st</sup> June	<b>Non-Uniform Day</b> Donation for the summer fayre. See left 
24 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Yr 5/6 Sports Day</b> Yr5 09:30-11:00 Yr6 13:30-15:00
25 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>EYFS Sports Day</b> 14:15-15:00
26 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Yr3/4 Sports Day</b> Y3 09:30-11:00 Y4 13:30-15:00
27 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Yr1/2 Sports Day</b> Y2 09:30-10:15 Y1 14:15-15:00
1 <sup>st</sup> July	<b>Year 5 Trip</b> Jorvik Viking Centre
3 <sup>rd</sup> July	<b>Summer Fayre</b> 2:30pm-4pm
4 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Year 4 Trip</b> Murton Park
5 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Year 4 Trip</b> Murton Park
8 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Year 5 Trip</b> Jorvik Viking Centre
11 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>5LG Ukulele Concert</b> 1:40pm parents' welcome 
16 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Year 1 Trip</b> Yorkshire Wildlife Park
19 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Last day of School</b> Start of summer holidays!

Yellow	99/100%	this is outstanding
Green	97% 98%	this is good
Amber	95% to 96%	this is expected
Purple	93%/94%	requires improvement – Attendance Officer involvement
Red 1	91%/92%	Level 1 Cause for Concern- EWO involvement
Red 2	90% or less	Level 2 Cause for Concern- EWO involvement possible safeguarding issue

### Inset Days

- Mon 2nd and Tues 3rd September 2024
- Fri 25th October 2024
- Mon 21st & Tues 22nd July 2025

### Safeguarding Contact

For any Safeguarding concerns please contact [legley@sandal.wakefield.sch.uk](mailto:legley@sandal.wakefield.sch.uk)



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## “Return to school support”

Do you have worries about your child's return to school in September?

Would you like strategies on what you could do to try to help your child?

Would you like to speak to somebody and get advice on what could be done to help?

If you have answered "yes" to any of the above, then the "Return to school support" service is available for parents and carers throughout the school summer holidays.

We have Educational Improvement Teachers (EITs) available to take your call to listen to your worries and provide support, signposting and impartial advice.

The EITs are available to take your telephone call on the following dates:

Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> July	
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> August	
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> August	
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> August	
Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> August	9.30am – 12.00pm
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September	
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> September	
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> September	



Please call the Educational Psychology Service on **01924 307403** and ask to speak to an EIT.

## Future In Mind

Future in Mind parent workshop on **Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June at 9am**. It will be Sleep Success where parents can learn all about children's sleep and the amazing benefits of sleeping well for your child now and as they get older.

## Virtual Parent Session

Learn more about how you can support your child's wellbeing and mental health through childhood, the teenage years and beyond. Join the CAMHS Future in Mind mental health support team for our virtual information sessions.

**Wellbeing Superstars – suitable for parents/ carers of children and young people of all ages Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> July 12pm-1:30pm or Thursday 08<sup>th</sup> August 12pm-1.30pm**

**Sleep Success – suitable for parents/carers of children and young people of all ages Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> August 12pm-1:30pm**

Parent Information Sessions  
Expression of Interest



## Summer Fayre

We have a few stalls available at our summer fayre which we would like to rent to local small businesses.

If you would like to find out more, please contact [legley@sandal.wakefield.sch.uk](mailto:legley@sandal.wakefield.sch.uk)

## Reading Friends

We would appreciate **two** more reading friends. If you have an afternoon a week free and would like to support our reading drive, we would very much appreciate your support! Please talk to **Mrs Butterworth** about this **ASAP**.

## Governor's Request

Our governing body require a parent to sit on our committee. If this is something that you are interested in, please speak to Mrs Butterworth ASAP who will give you more information.

You can request a nomination form via email from [cbutterworth@sandal.wakefield.sch.uk](mailto:cbutterworth@sandal.wakefield.sch.uk)

**OSSETT CRICKET CLUB  
SUMMER CAMPS**

23<sup>rd</sup> JULY – 25<sup>th</sup> JULY  
30<sup>th</sup> JULY – 1<sup>st</sup> AUGUST  
6<sup>th</sup> AUGUST – 8<sup>th</sup> AUGUST  
13<sup>th</sup> AUGUST – 15<sup>th</sup> AUGUST  
9AM – 3PM EACH DAY

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for more information

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Reward

If you stay on your star

**Water Fun**

Key Stage 2 Star Treat Reward

Water Blasters and water balloons for the playground if you stay on your star!

THIS SCHOOL IS  
**NUT FREE**

THANK YOU  
for keeping our school safe!

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