



# WOODTHORPE NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents / Carers,

I hope you are all well! As we approach the half term holiday we are all hoping for some sunshine to dry us out after the persistent rain of the last few weeks! I hope, whatever you have planned for the holiday, you and your family have a wonderful time!

**Just a reminder school will close to pupils at 3.00pm on Friday 28th May and reopen on Monday 7th June.**

Please read the information below, and as always, if you have any comments or queries don't hesitate to get in touch.

### **School Start & Finish Times**

Whilst we continue to proceed with caution and prioritise the well-being of the whole community, we now feel we can revert to our original start time. It is important to stress that despite this change, sensible measures must also remain in place and where possible social distancing should be maintained and obviously – in the event of any Covidsymptoms - tests should be accessed and appropriate periods of isolation observed.

From June 7th, school gates will be opened from **8.35am**. Classroom doors for all year groups will also be open at this time. All children should go straight to their classes when they come onto site and registers will be taken at **8.45am**.

**Please ensure your child arrives at class by 8.45am at the latest!**

At present home time will remain the same. That means finish times will be staggered to support social distancing and to allow parents and carers to collect from different parts of the building.

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Finish times, until the end of term will continue to be:

**FS1 - 3.00pm**  
**FS2 - 2.45pm**  
**KS1 - 2.55pm**  
**Y3 and Y5 - 3.00pm**  
**Y4 and Y6 - 3.05pm**

We will continue to follow government guidance when reviewing these arrangements and planning any further changes for next academic year.

### **Parents' Evening**

As mentioned in the last communication, most parents will receive a phone call from their child's teacher. The phone calls will begin from 7th June. If for some reason you require a face-to-face appointment, please contact school as soon as possible, so this can be arranged safely.

**Thanks again for all you support and understanding. Please get in touch if you have any questions!**

Take care and have a relaxing half term,

Dave Smith - Headteacher

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