

MONKTON INFANTS SCHOOL



Autumn Term Newsletter 2025

STAFFING

Reception

- Miss Smith - Teacher Class 1
- Mrs Aldcroft - Teacher Class 2
(Deputy Headteacher)

Year 1

- Miss Nisbet - Teacher Class 4

Year 1/ Year 2

- Miss Wilson - Teacher Class 5

Year 2

- Miss Holtham/Miss Cresswell -
Teachers Class 6

Support Staff

- Miss Wilson - H.L.T.A
- Mrs Winter - T.A
- Miss Porter - H.L.T.A
(Working across whole school)

ATTENDANCE

School starts at **8.45am.**

The School gate will be open for pupils to enter school from 8.40am.

All pupils should be in school every day unless they are ill. Holidays in term time are not authorised and may result in a fine from the Local Authority. Please note – school does not receive any money if a penalty is imposed.

If a pupil arrives in school after 9.15am they are registered as 'U'. 'U' codes count as unauthorised absences.

HEALTHY SCHOOL

As we are a Healthy School, please do not send in cakes, biscuits or sweets for birthdays or other occasions. No sweets or chocolate to be included in packed lunches. Thank you.

WELCOME BACK

We hope you have all had a lovely Summer break and are ready to start the new school year.

We hope to have your continued support throughout the year and we are always here if you have any problems or queries.

HOMETIME

Home for each year group from September 2025:

Reception – 3.15pm

Year 1 – 3.25pm

Year 2 – 3.30pm

Any child who is not collected immediately will wait in the **playground/ cloakroom**, with their teacher, until 3.30pm unless prior arrangements have been agreed.

BREAKFAST CLUB

Every Monday-Friday starting 8.10am.

Latest entry is 8.20am

WAKE UP, SHAKE UP

Every Monday-Friday starting 8.30am.

4 O'CLOCK CLUB

Every Monday-*Thursday* after school until 4pm.

HEALTH & SAFETY

Please have Health & Safety in mind at all times while on school grounds.

Children and adults **must not** ride Bicycles/Scooters on the school grounds.

Children must not use the Climbing Wall or Play Equipment before or after school.

NO DOGS are allowed to walk / be carried onto the school site (apart from guide dogs) and **must not** be tied to the gates / railings.

The visitors toilet is not in use to parents or family members.

COMMUNICATION

Please continue to check the school notice board / school website which are updated regularly with school news and other information.

If you need to speak to school staff, please make an appointment via 'Class Dojo'.

HAIR AND HYGIENE

Please could I remind you that all children with long hair must have their **hair tied up** in school.

Also, please keep checking your child's hair to ensure it is free from head lice.

DATES FOR DIARIES

START OF YEAR WELCOME MEETINGS

- **Thursday 4th September - 8.55am** for **Year 2** parents/carers
- **Friday 5th September - 8.55am** for **Reception** parents/carers
- **Monday 8th September - 8.55am** for **Year 1** parents/carers

'LITTLE WANDLE PHONICS' SESSION – Tuesday 16th September

- **2.45pm** - Parents/Carers of children in Reception

PUPIL FLU VACCINATIONS – Friday 5th December

TRIPS TO OPENZONE LEARNING CENTRE

- **Wednesday 15th October**– **Year 2**
- **Thursday 23rd October**– **Year 1**

PUPIL PROGRESS MEETING FOR PARENTS / CARERS (In the School Hall)

- **Monday 20th October** or **Tuesday 21st October** - (3.40pm – 6.00pm)

'AWESOME' AUTUMN SHOW – Tuesday 21st October – 'A TIN TO GET IN'

- **9.45am** - Parents/Carers of children in – **Year 1** and **Year 2**

HALF TERM HOLIDAY – Friday 24th October – Friday 31st October

- **Friday 24th October** is a staff in-service day

CHILDREN IN NEED – Friday 14th November – 'SPOTACULAR'

RECEPTION – PARENT AND CHILD 'CHRISTMAS PYJAMA EVENING'

- **Monday 8th December (4.30pm – 5.30pm)** – (*1 Parent Only*)

CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY – Thursday 11th December

CHRISTMAS CONCERTS – 'A TIN TO GET IN'

- **Tuesday 9th December at 9.15am** – Parents/Carers of pupils in **Year 2**
- **Tuesday 16th December at 9.15am** – Parents/Carers of pupils in **Year 1**
- **Tuesday 16th December at 10am** – Parents/Carers of pupils in **Reception**

CHRISTMAS PARTIES – PM

- **Tuesday 16th December** – **Year 2**
- **Wednesday 17th December** – **Year 1**
- **Thursday 18th December** – **Reception**

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

- School closes on **Friday 19th December** for the Christmas Holidays and re-opens to pupils on **Monday 5th January**.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Monkton Infants School Academic Year 2025/26

	AUGUST 2025	SEPTEMBER 2025	OCTOBER 2025	NOVEMBER 2025	DECEMBER 2025	JANUARY 2026
Monday	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26
Tuesday	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27
Wednesday	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28
Thursday	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25 31	1 8 15 22 29
Friday	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30
Saturday	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24 31
Sunday	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25

	FEBRUARY 2026	MARCH 2026	APRIL 2026	MAY 2026	JUNE 2026	JULY 2026
Monday	2 9 16 23	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27
Tuesday	3 10 17 24	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28
Wednesday	4 11 18 25	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29
Thursday	5 12 19 26	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30
Friday	6 13 20 27	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31
Saturday	7 14 21 28	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25
Sunday	1 8 15 22	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26

	AUGUST 2026	SEPTEMBER 2026
Monday	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28
Tuesday	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29
Wednesday	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30
Thursday	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24
Friday	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25
Saturday	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26
Sunday	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27



School Holidays
Staff Inservice Days
Bank Holidays

Friday Class Assembly

AUTUMN TERM		
SEPTEMBER	05/09/2025	Headteacher - (Birthday Assembly)
	12/09/2025	CLASS 6
	19/09/2025	CLASS 5
	26/09/2025	CLASS 4
OCTOBER	03/10/2025	CLASS 2
	10/10/2025	CLASS 1
	17/10/2025	CLASS 6
	24/10/2025	Staff Inservice Day
HALF TERM HOLIDAY		
NOVEMBER	07/11/2025	CLASS 5
	14/11/2025	CLASS 4
	21/11/2025	CLASS 2
	28/11/2025	CLASS 1
DECEMBER	05/12/2025	CLASS 6
	12/12/2025	CLASS 5
	19/12/2025	Headteacher - (Birthday Assembly)
CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY		
SPRING TERM		
JANUARY	09/01/2026	CLASS 4
	16/01/2026	CLASS 2
	23/01/2026	CLASS 1
	30/01/2026	CLASS 6
FEBRUARY	06/02/2026	CLASS 5
	13/02/2026	CLASS 4
	20/02/2026	CLASS 2
HALF TERM HOLIDAY		
MARCH	06/03/2026	CLASS 1
	13/03/2026	CLASS 6
	20/03/2026	CLASS 5
	27/03/2026	CLASS 4
EASTER HOLIDAY		
SUMMER TERM		
APRIL	24/04/2026	CLASS 2
MAY	01/05/2026	CLASS 1
	08/05/2026	CLASS 6
	15/05/2026	CLASS 5
	22/05/2026	CLASS 4
HALF TERM HOLIDAY		
JUNE	05/06/2026	CLASS 2
	12/06/2026	CLASS 1
	19/06/2026	CLASS 6
	26/06/2026	CLASS 5
JULY	03/07/2026	CLASS 4
	10/07/2026	CLASS 2
	17/07/2026	Year 2 Leavers' Assembly