



07/06/2020

End of Year Reports and Classes for 20/21

From next week, your child's report will be available for collection from the school office. **Accompanying your report will be information around which class your child will be in for the academic year 2020-2021.** Additionally, if you have yet to collect, please ensure that you pick up your child's workbooks in English and Mathematics (and passwords to Wonde / Google Classroom).

As we reach the end of the academic year, the school has been in the process of completing your child's reports. Our reporting format has been adjusted to help you have a clearer understanding of where your children's strengths and areas for development lie. I feel we can all agree that this has been a year like no other. No one was expecting the level of disruption that the global pandemic would wreak; home and school must work closely together to ensure that we can accelerate progress, reduce the gap and develop resilient children.

Some of the data has been taken from much earlier in the academic year. For example, the percentage for your child's attendance has been taken from the week

prior to lock down. Please note that all of the teacher assessments are based on your child's work prior to 20th March 2020 (pre-lockdown). Significant input – at home and school – will be required to narrow the gap created by the enforced school closure. For more details, please read the Ryefield's strategic plan, which is available on the school's website.

The school will continue to leave uploaded resources on the website and Google Classroom. This system of delivering home learning will continue for the foreseeable future, as we all need to work to the best of our ability to incorporate five terms worth of learning into three.

The schedule for collecting your child's report is as follows:

Timing	Monday 6 July	Tuesday 7 July	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
09.20-12.00	Nursery	Year 1	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
13.00-15.00	Reception	Year 2			Year 6

REMEMBER THAT YOUR CHILD'S 2020 - 2021 CLASS DETAILS ACCOMPANY YOUR CHILD'S REPORT.

Oak Processionary Moth



Further to the discovery of Oak Processionary Moth in a tree around the perimeter of the field, we have been in contact with Public Health England, Public Health Hillingdon and Environmental Health to seek advice.

Public Health England have shared some information as posted below which you may find useful. There have been numerous reports of this locally so please be vigilant when you are in any green spaces. If you suspect you have found an OPM nest or caterpillars anywhere please report it immediately via [TreeAlert](#).

We have contacted Tree Alert and pest control and are working to have this nest removed as soon as possible. In the meantime, the children will not be allowed on the fields or in the conservation area and will be kept inside on particularly windy days.

Do:

- teach children not to touch or approach the nests or caterpillars;
- train or restrain pets from touching or approaching them;
- see a pharmacist for relief from skin or eye irritations after suspected OPM contact;
- call NHS111 or see a doctor if you think you or someone in your care has had a serious allergic reaction - tell the doctor you suspect OPM contact;
- call in an arborist or pest control expert with relevant expertise to remove infestations in your own trees. Your local council, the [British Pest Control Association](#) or the Forestry Commission can provide a list of suitable operators in your area;

Do not:

- **do not** touch or approach OPM nests or caterpillars;
- **do not** let children or animals touch or approach nests or caterpillars;
- **do not** try removing nests or caterpillars yourself; and
- avoid or minimise time spent under or downwind of infested oak trees, especially on windy days in summer.

<https://www.forestresearch.gov.uk/tools-and-resources/pest-and-disease-resources/oak-processionary-moth-thaumetopoea-processionea/>



Term Dates 2020-2021

Autumn term 2020

Wednesday 2nd September – INSET: Staff only

Thursday 3rd September – School opens for children

Friday 23rd October – School breaks up for half term

Monday 26th October – Friday 30th October - Half term

Monday 2nd November - School Opens

Thursday 26th and Friday 27th November INSET: Staff only

Friday 18th December – Term Ends

Spring term 2021

Monday 4th January – INSET: Staff only

Tuesday 5th January – School opens for children

Friday 12th February – School breaks up for half term

Monday 15th – Friday 19th February – Half term

Monday 22nd February – School Opens

Wednesday 31st March - Term ends



Summer term 2021

Monday 19th April – School opens

Monday 3rd May – Bank Holiday

Friday 28th May – School breaks up for half term

Monday 31st May – Friday 4th June – Half term

Monday 7th June - School opens

Friday 2nd July – INSET: Staff Only

Friday 21st July – Term Ends

Thursday 22nd and Friday 23rd July - Staff Prep Days - Staff only

Please be aware these dates are subject to change

