



St. Helena's Church of England Primary School

"It is our responsibility to learn and achieve our dreams as a family"

Upcoming dates

Friday 13th September 2024

Y6 11+ Verbal Paper

Monday 16th September 2024

Full Governors' meeting

Tuesday 17th September 2024

PTA meeting at 7pm, at the school (please come along if you would like to be a part of the PTA this academic year)

Friday 20th September 2024

Y6 11+ Non Verbal Paper

Monday 23rd– Wednesday 25th September 2024

PGL

Monday 30th September 2024 3:30 -5:30pm & Monday 7th October 2024 4:30-6:30pm

Parents' evening, booking will appear on ParentMail, next week.

Friday 4th October 2024

Harvest Festival, 2pm at the church

Friday 15th November 2024

Children in Need Ramble

Wednesday 11th December 2024

Reception Nativity– 2.30pm-3pm

Wednesday 11th December 2024

Y1&2 Nativity (show 1) 5pm-5.45pm

Thursday 12th December 2024

Y1&2 Nativity (show 2) 2.30pm-3.15pm

Thursday 12th December 2024

Christmas Jumper Day

Thursday 19th December 2024

Christingle service, 2pm at the church

Our School Vision

Opening minds, widening horizons, developing a better world.

We seek to reveal and develop the talents of everyone, so that we may flourish and become the valued and valuable person God intended us to be. We work towards every member of our school community being happy, confident, committed learners, reaching their full academic potential. We strive to open minds, widen horizons and develop a better world. We do this by providing a foundation of strong moral and social values, ensuring all can play an active, responsible role within the community.

"I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full."

John 10:10

Welcome to the New School Year!

We are excited to welcome everyone back for the start of a new academic year. A special welcome to our new families joining the school community—we look forward to working together to make this year a successful and enriching experience for all.

As we begin this term, we are committed to ensuring every child feels supported and encouraged in their learning. This year promises to be full of exciting opportunities for both academic growth and personal development. From engaging lessons to after-school clubs and special events, we are focused on creating a well-rounded experience that helps your child thrive.

Communication is key to keeping everyone informed and involved. Our newsletters will continue to provide important updates on upcoming events, curriculum highlights, and key dates. Please also remember to check ParentMail regularly for important messages and information.

We encourage parents to stay connected with their child's learning journey. Attending curriculum meetings, joining the PTA, or simply discussing the school day at home are all valuable ways to stay engaged.

We are looking forward to a fantastic year ahead and appreciate your ongoing support in making our school a vibrant and nurturing place for all children.



Ed Anderson
Headteacher

Curriculum Information Meetings

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We warmly invite all parents to an informal curriculum meeting for your child's class. It's a great chance to learn more about what your child will be learning this term and how you can support their progress at home.

If you have children across different year groups, don't worry—teachers will brief you on the curriculum when you arrive and provide you with knowledge organisers for the term.

Please ensure your children are with you while attending the event.

Date: 16th September 2024

Time: 3:30-4:00pm

Location: Your child/ children's classrooms

We look forward to seeing you there!

School Association

School Association Needs Your Help!

Tuesday 17th September– 7pm AGM

We're looking for enthusiastic parents to join our Primary School's PTA (Parent-Teacher Association). Your involvement helps us create fun events, raise funds, and support our children's learning in countless ways. Whether you have a little time or a lot to give, every bit helps!

If you'd like to make a positive impact on our school community, we'd love to have you on board. For more information please come along to the PTA AGM on Tuesday 17th September at 7pm, at the school.

Thank you for your support!



After School Clubs (3:30-4:30pm)

The following after-school clubs, which were announced via letter and ParentMail last week, are available this term:

Monday	Football with JB Sport for Y3 and Y4
Tuesday	Choir with Miss Wickland for KS2
Wednesday	Tennis with Charlotte for Y5 and Y6
Friday	Multi-skills with JB Sport for Y1 and Y2



Change of contact numbers or address

If you have moved house or changed your contact telephone numbers please can you ensure the school office is notified of the new details.

Thank you.



Year 5 Swimming in Term 1.

Year 5 children will continue swimming at the Magna Vitae Swimming Pool, Skegness every Wednesday afternoon until the end of half-term.

Please make sure the children have their swimming kit with them on these days.

Although this has been heavily subsidised by the school budget we do, kindly, ask for a contribution of £25 towards the cost (5 lessons). Payment can be made via Parentmail or at



Parking

Please be reminded that parking in the school car park is only permitted for those with a valid parking permit. We kindly ask all parents and visitors to respect this rule and be considerate of others when dropping off or picking up children.



Water Bottles

Water Bottles in School: Please ensure your child brings only water to school, and kindly avoid using glass bottles.



Names on Uniforms:

Please ensure that all items of clothing are clearly labeled with your child's name.



KING EDWARD VI ACADEMY

YEAR 6

OPEN EVENING

Tuesday 17th September • 6pm to 8pm

Executive Headteacher and Head of School address at 6pm and 7pm

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students can learn and grow.**



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Skegness Grammar School Year 5 and 6 Welcome Evening

Wednesday 25th September

Skegness Grammar School is excited to announce that we are holding our Year 5 and Year 6 Open Evening on Wednesday 25th September between 4 and 7 p.m.

This event is always very popular, and last year we welcomed record numbers of future scholars and their families.

We very much look forward to meeting future members of the SGS family.



Skegness Grammar School Year 5 and 6 Welcome Evening 2024

Programme of Events:

Wednesday 25th September 2024, 4.00pm - 7.00pm

Executive Headteacher Mr. J Hunton, Head of School Mrs. L Walker and Student Senior-Leadership Team

Welcome in the Main Hall.

Tickets are issued on arrival to ensure everyone has the opportunity to attend.

Yellow tickets = 4.15pm

Blue tickets = 5.15 pm

Orange tickets = 6.15pm

Sixth Form students will be available to give guided tours throughout the evening.