



TEALBY PRIMARY SCHOOL

'Aspire, Believe, Achieve'

Headteacher: Mrs Z Humberstone

Spring Term Newsletter 2

Friday 17th January 2025

Who is feeling proud this week?

Betty is a swimming superstar this week – well done Betty!



Catch up with us on Facebook...



<https://www.facebook.com/tealbyschool>

DfE: A reminder of the changes to the rules regarding School Attendance

PENALTY NOTICE FINES FOR SCHOOL ATTENDANCE IS CHANGING



1

FIRST OFFENCE

The first time a Penalty Notice is issued for Term Time Leave or Irregular Attendance the amount will be: £160 per parent per child if paid within 28 days. Reduced to £80 per parent per child if paid within 21 days

2

SECOND OFFENCE (WITHIN 3 YEARS)

The second time a Penalty Notice is issued for Term Time Leave or Irregular Attendance the amount will be: £160 per parent per child to be paid within 28 days. No reduced rate will be offered

The changes to Penalty Notice Fines will come into force for those issued after 19th August 2024

3

THIRD OFFENCE AND ANY FURTHER OFFENCES (WITHIN 3 YEARS)

The third time an offence is committed for Term Time Leave or Irregular Attendance a Penalty Notice will not be issued and the case will be presented straight to the Magistrates Court. Magistrates fines can be up to £2500 per parent per child. Cases found guilty in Magistrates Court can show on a parent's future DBS certificate, due to failure to safeguard a child's education

10 SESSIONS (5 DAYS) OF UNAUTHORISED ABSENCE IN A 10-WEEK PERIOD
Penalty Notice Fines will be considered when there has been 10 sessions of unauthorised absence in a 10-week period

Ref: DfE Working Together to Improve School Attendance document



<https://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/school-attendance/school-term-times>



Thursday 23 rd January	Author Virtual Visit Y2-6
Thursday 30 th January	Forest School Y3
Monday 3 rd February	Y6 Bikeability
Tuesday 4 th February	Y6 Bikeability
Thursday 6 th February	Forest School Y3
Thursday 13 th February	Forest School Y3
Friday 14 th February	End of Spring term 1
Monday 24 th February	Back to school
Thursday 27 th February	Y2 Forest School
Monday 3 rd March	Parents' Evening
Tuesday 4 th March	Parents' Evening
Thursday 6 th March	Y2 Forest School
Friday 7 th March	World Book Day Non-uniform: more details to follow
10 th – 14 th March	Science Week
Thursday 20 th March	Y2 Forest School
Thursday 3 rd April	Easter Assembly All Saints Church 2pm
Friday 4 th April	End of term
Wednesday 23 rd April	Back to school



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[/weekly-online-safety-updates/](https://www.tealbyprimary.co.uk/weekly-online-safety-updates/)





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