

KS2

23.7.2020

INFORMATION FOR KEY STAGE TWO, WOODLAND HEIGHTS

KS2 DATES

Arrival at school 7:30-8:00	Registration 8:00					Lesson 1 8:15				
Lessons end 13:30	Car park pick-up 13:35-13:45									
Date	Mon 6 Mon 20	Tues 7 Tues 21	Wed 8 Wed 22	Thurs 9 Thurs 23	Fri 10 Fri 24	Mon 13 Mon 27	Tues 14 Tues 28	Wed 15 Wed 29	Thurs 16 Thurs 30	Fri 17 Fri 31
Group at school / live video	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B

- It is very important for us to know if there will be changes to the number of children coming to school in person.
- Remember that there is work to be completed via Google Classroom on non-school days.
- Work must be handed in by the due date.
- Work should be **attached to** the correct assignment in Google Classroom (even if it is a photo/scan of the work done on paper).
- Ensure that you have been added as a guardian in Google Classroom in order to receive a weekly summary of your child's work

3-7 August: Half term break
School closed for the week.

Mon 10 August: Public Holiday
(Women's Day on Sunday 9 Aug)
School closed. No work set.

Second half term: **11 August - 18 September** July 2020

11th Aug: GROUP B
12th Aug: GROUP A

11-14 August: KS2 Book Week

Thurs 13 Aug: Book-themed
dress-up day for *Group B*

Fri 14 Aug: Book-themed dress-
up day for *Group A*

Tues 8 & Wed 9 September:
Year 7 2020 Parent Info evening
for current Year 6 parents.

Term 4 start date: **Thursday 1
October**

AUGUST TIMETABLE CHANGES

KS2 timings:

Registration 7:50

End of day 14:15

Our timetable will include live (in person) MFL lessons and PE.
We will no longer have two consecutive repeated days, but rather a 10-day timetable for Group A and a separate 10-day timetable for Group B.

This is necessary for the timetabling of subject teachers.

The timetable will be shared via class teachers next week.

MUSIC CONCERTS

We will be showcasing the hard work of our KS2 & HS music students in a series of **online concerts** over the next few months.

We're very pleased to be able to host virtual music concerts. Mr Engelbrecht will soon share more details about how parents, friends and family will be able to reserve a spot and watch a video stream of the performances.

Any children in KS2 who have singing/musical instrument lessons (even if their lessons are not at ISCT) are welcome to participate.

Their performance will be recorded at school in a sanitised, physically distanced setting. If your child would like to be involved in our concert series over the next 6 months, please contact Mr Engelbrecht as soon as possible via email: j.engelbrecht@isct.co.za

KS2 BOOK WEEK 11-14 AUG

Each year group will have their focus book for English lessons, some cross-curricular tasks and homework/preparation. Every year we love the focus on enjoying reading and having fun with the characters, plot and settings! We'll still have our dress-up day at the end of the week. Remember that costumes and outfits don't need to be fancy or expensive. Use what you have around the house or get creative with a few accessories.

[Dear KS2 Returning to Woodland Heights video](#)

[Dear KS2 Returning to Woodland Heights pdf](#)

[Morning routine: What to expect](#) (video)

LESSON ATTENDANCE FROM HOME

If your child is learning from home:

Attendance of live register & live video lessons on your child's school day is expected.

Try not to be late joining the lesson – this is disruptive for the teacher and class, and children miss key information.

Please let the teacher know at least 15mins before the live session if your child will not be present in the video lesson.

Ensure that your child has a quiet workspace. They should be dressed and ready with stationery items.

Please note that from August, the timetable will be different so the timings for video lessons will change.