



Yarmouth C.E. Primary

The purpose of the Federation of the Church Schools of Shalfleet and Yarmouth is to educate children in an atmosphere of Christian love where all achieve the very best they can, now and throughout their lives.

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Headteacher: Mrs. E Grainger

Deputy Headteacher: Mrs. G Westhorpe

RESPECT • DETERMINATION • RELATIONSHIPS

Letters Home

- Beach class trip to Yarmouth Castle
- Solent Class- swimming lessons

Understanding Your Percentage Attendance			
100%	0 days missed	Fantastic attendance!	
99%	2 days missed	Well done—you are at or above the School Target	
98%	4 days missed		
97%	6 days missed		
96%	8 days missed	At 96% and below you are just below target—make sure you do not miss any more days	
95%	10 days missed		
94%	12 days missed		
93%	14 days missed	At 93% and below your attendance is becoming worryingly low.	
92%	16 days missed		
91%	18 days missed		
90%	19 days missed	At 90% and below you are Persistently Absent—school will support you and your family to help this improve	
89%	21 days missed		
88%	23 days missed		
87%	25 days missed		
86%	27 days missed		
85%	29 days missed		

Attendance Matters



Attendance

Over a school year, we are due to open for 190 days which equates to 380 sessions with registration in the morning at 8.35am and after lunch in the afternoon.

Attendance is affected if a pupil is not present at school for any whole session including registration.

Attendance Target

100%

Attendance Last week

96.82%

Attendance This Year

92.67%

Important Information

Dates for your Diary

Sunday 30th April – Randonee
Monday 1st May - Bank Holiday
Tuesday 2nd May - Teacher strike day
Friday 5th May – Coast Class sharing assembly
Sunday 7th – May – Yarmouth and Thorley Coronation celebration
Monday 8th May - Bank Holiday
Tuesday 9th May - Year 6 SATS week
Wednesday 10th May – Beach Class to Yarmouth castle
Friday 12th May - King's Coronation Celebration – More to follow
Sunday 14th May – Walk the Wight
Tuesday 16th May – Behaviour workshop in the school hall
Wednesday 17th May – Parent forum
Wednesday 17th May – Community Connector Drop in (9am-12pm)
Friday 19th May – Ocean Class to Paultons Park
Friday 19th May – River Class Sharing assembly
Friday 26th May – Last day before half term
Friday 26th May – Sea Shanties on Yarmouth Green
Monday 5th June – Development day
Tuesday 6th June – Return to school

Developments days

Monday 5th June and

Monday 3rd July

School will be closed on these days.

In the Community

- Sunday 30th April – Randonee
- Sunday 7th May – Yarmouth and Thorley's Coronation Celebrations in the Square

Beloved

Let us love one another, for
love is of God

1 John 4:7

The King's Coronation Celebration

We will be celebrating the King's
Coronation on Friday 12th May

Parents will be able to attend
between

12pm – 2pm



More details to follow.....

Gold Awards

Last week's Gold Award winners are:

Beach Class: Max, Vinnie and Delilah

Cove Class: Charlie, Alaina, Jack and Layla. C

Bay Class: On a school trip

River Class: Frankie, Lily, Kaiden and Eden

Coast Class: Mollie, Isaac, Marley and Isla

Solent Class: Rosie, Roman and Serene

Ocean Class: Neve, Archie, Stanley and Dylan



Birthdays

24th April – 30th April

Joseph Arrietty

Isla Ava

Vinnie Maddison

**Happy birthday to you
all!**

Outdoor learning Golden Wellie

Well done to..... they
were on a school trip so we
find out this week!

Keep up the great work!



Sports Tokens

Well done to **Lifeboat**
and **Needles** for
collecting the most
tokens this week!

Osbourne - 91

Lifeboat - 97

Needles - 97

Lighthouse - 90

Little Stars Pre School

What have Little Stars been up to this week.....

It's been a week of baby lambs, puppy walks, & gooey slime!

Everyone fell in love with the 2 day old lambs that came to visit! We were so lucky to get to pet the lambs & feed them their milk! They were very friendly & cute, soon making themselves at home in Little Stars! We couldn't let our Reception Class friends miss out so we made sure to give them a wonderful surprise visit too!

Our beloved four legged friend Molly loves walks just like us, even when it's raining! We tried singing 'Rain Rain go away' but the rain was determined to make us puddles to splash in with our wellies! Thankfully the children see the rain as another source of their adventures!

We made slime! Green gooey slime! This provided the children with hours of entertainment, there was lots of descriptive language being used such as 'slippery, stretchy, slimy, yucky, gooey, swampy' and there were lots of cleaning up afterwards ha ha!



Teacher Union strikes

The teacher's union strikes are going ahead on Tuesday 2nd May for Reception, Year 2, Year 3 and year 4.

These classes will be closed on this day.

Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause

Coronation and Sea Shanties Events

Yarmouth and Thorley will be celebrating the King's Coronation on Sunday 7th May at 12.00pm in the Square at Yarmouth. All children and their families are welcome to come along and sing songs they have been learning in school

This year's Sea Shanties event will take place on Friday 26th May at 4.30pm on the green at Yarmouth. All children are invited with their families to sing some songs they have been learning in school.

Please let the school office know if you will be attending.

Everyone is welcome to both events.



SCOOPS AFTER SCHOOL ICE CREAM

2.50



YARMOUTH & THORLEY's

CORONATION CELEBRATION

SUNDAY 7TH MAY

AFTER MIDDAY IN THE SQUARE

MUSIC & ENTERTAINMENT, FOOD & DRINK FROM THE
VARIOUS HOSTELRIES OR BRING YOUR OWN PICNIC

ALL WELCOME

KIDS ART CLUB

(OUTSIDE)

Dimbola, Freshwater Bay
Sat 13th May 2023
10am 12pm
£15.00

(If weather is bad it will be cancelled)

Materials Supplied

Wear old clothes

Limited numbers to 12 children

Ages 6 years to 12 years - Volunteer
needed

Phone: 01983 716257 - Freshwater

Email: peterleonarddarby@gmail.com

(Pete and Merlynn C.R.B. checked)

We will have the art club May to Sept .
(saturday only)



Parents Voice Isle of Wight

The Island's Parent Carer Forum

Registered charity No: 1150937

Are you a parent or carer of an autistic child*?

*No diagnosis required

NHS

Your school is part of the RAISE Project
(Respecting Autistic Identity in Schools & Education)

Parent Hub: @

Freshwater and Yarmouth CE School
79 School Green Road, Freshwater

For you to share your experiences

Tuesday 2nd May 2023: 9.30 am to 11 am

youth trust



Autism

Come and meet members of our team,
Helen from Autism Outreach Service
and Kirsty from Youth Trust

For more details, please email: suehancock.pviw@gmail.com

All classes take place at
The Learning Centre,
Westridge, Ryde, PO33 1QS.

*Concessionary rates are offered to learners who are in receipt of specific means tested benefits.



MULTIPLY

Does the thought of needing to do maths at work or at home make you anxious? Are you interested in **free** flexible courses to help improve your numeracy skills? Multiply is a new government-funded programme offering you free and easy-to-access courses and initiatives to help you brush up on your numeracy skills. Take your next step today and find courses and support to help.

For more information on Multiply courses being offered on the Island and to see if you qualify, please visit: www.iow.gov.uk/multiply



FREE ONLINE COURSES





A wide range of short courses are on offer through the Equal Learning Platform. New modules include:

Keeping Young People Safe Online, Stalking and Harassment Awareness, Suicide Awareness and Prevention, Menopause Awareness, Knife Crime Awareness and Understanding the Power of the Influencer.

For more details, please contact acl@iow.gov.uk

All classes are
for adults (19+ years old)

For more information
and to book your place
please get in touch.

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ICT

Computers for Beginners

6 week course ▶ Thursday 20 April to 25 May ▶ 9.30am to 12.30pm ▶ Free

Computers for Beginners

6 week course ▶ Monday 5 June to 10 July ▶ 1pm to 4pm ▶ Free

Essential Digital Skills For Life Level Entry 3

12 week course ▶ Thursday 20 April to 13 July ▶ 1pm to 3.30pm ▶ Free

Essential Digital Skills For Work Level 1

12 week course ▶ Tuesday 18 April to 11 July ▶ 1pm to 3.30pm ▶ Free

ICDL Spreadsheets Level 1 and 2

6 week course ▶ Tuesday 18 April to 23 May ▶ 9.30am to 12.30pm ▶ Free

ICDL Word Processing Level 1 and 2

6 week course ▶ Monday 5 June to 10 July ▶ 9.30am to 12.30pm ▶ Free

ICT (CONTINUED)

ICDL Presentation

Level 1 and 2

6 week course » Thursday 8 June to 13 July » 9.30am to 12.30pm » Free

Safety Online

Workshop » Sunday 30 April » 10am to 12pm » £10/£5*

Chrome Books

Workshop » Sunday 21 May » 10am to 12pm » £10/£5*

Video Calling

Workshop » Sunday 25 June » 10am to 12pm » £10/£5*

ART

How to Paint Better

4 week course » Wednesday 3 to 24 May » 10am to 12.30pm » £55/£32*

Digital Art for Beginners

2 week course » Monday 15 to 22 May » 10am to 1pm » £35/£22*

Painting in the Style of Folk/Barge Art

2 week course » Wednesday 7 to 14 June » 10am to 1pm » £40/£25*

Drawing Still Life

Workshop » Tuesday 13 June » 10am to 3pm » £35/£22*

Drawing with Charcoal and Chalk

Workshop » Wednesday 28 June » 10am to 3pm » £35/£22*

Painting with Melted Wax

3 week course » Monday 3 to 17 July » 6pm to 8pm » £40/£25*

CRAFT

Willow Woven Wall Sculpture

2 day course » Saturday 29 April and Sunday 30 April » 10am to 3pm » £60/£35*

Patchwork Landscape Picture

3 week course » Friday 12 to 26 May » 10am to 12pm » £40/£25*

Nature Inspired Mosaic Picture

2 day course » Saturday 3 June and Sunday 4 June » 10am to 4pm » £70/£40*

Personalised Clay Plant Pot

2 day course » Saturday 10 June and Sunday 11 June » 10am to 1.30pm » £45/£28*

Punch Needle Embroidery

3 week course » Monday 12 to 26 June » 6pm to 9pm » £60/£35*

Sachiko Clutch Bag

3 week course » Sunday 2 to 16 July » 10am to 1pm » £55/£32*


Upcycling with Wallpaper


2 week course » Wednesday 5 to 12 July » 6pm to 8.30pm » £38/£25*


Wire and Silk Suncatchers


3 week course » Thursday 6 to 20 July » 10am to 1.30pm » £65/£38*

For more information and to book your place please get in touch.

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HEALTH, WELLBEING AND LANGUAGE

Conversational Holiday French

4 week course » Wednesday 3 to 24 May » 6.30pm to 8pm » £35/£22*

Reflexology - Hand Massage

Workshop » Sunday 28 May » 10am to 1pm » £15/£8*

CAREERS APPOINTMENTS

Do you need impartial information, advice and guidance to enable you to realise your potential, so that you can confidently take the next step into learning or employment?

If your answer is **yes**, call us to book a **free** face to face or telephone appointment with our careers advisor Claire, who can tailor it around your needs, whatever they may be.

For more details, please contact acl@iow.gov.uk

WORKSHOP MORNING £10/£5*

Workshop » Sunday 14 May » 10.30am to 12.30pm

Air Dried Clay Roses

Learn how to mould and form clay into rose petals, to create decorative roses.

Feng Shui

Understand the basic principles of Feng Shui and use the five elements to enhance a space.

Wire Button Tree Sculpture

Create a small-scale twisted garden wire sculptured tree, embellished with buttons, beads and ribbons.

Introduction to behaviour

FOR PARENTS



Workshop includes:

- Behaviour as a communication tool
- Ideas to help your child with their behaviour
- Top tips to encourage positive behaviours

**Delivered at Freshwater & Yarmouth Primary School on
Tuesday 16th May @ 8.45 - 9.45am**

mental
health
support
TEAM