

Weekly Updates From Uplands



HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

We have had a busy week again at Uplands.
The Reception children enjoyed their first school lunch and joined in with the whole school at lunchtime today.

We are looking forward to Reception Class starting full-time from Monday.

ATTENDANCE & SAFEGUARDING

If your child is unable to attend school, as detailed in the school's Attendance Policy, please ensure you contact the school before 09:15am to inform us of the reason.

Thank you for your cooperation.

DROPPING OFF/PICKING UP (Dog Owners)

If you are dropping off/picking up your child and bring your dog, please can you ensure you stand away from the main entrance to allow pupils and parents to enter and exit the school grounds easily.

Thank you for your understanding.

PARENT SURVEY RESPONSE

Thank you to the parents who responded to the parent survey that was sent out at the end of the last academic year. As a school, we will be providing a full report in the near future that highlights the strengths and areas for development and how the school will work to address these.

Thank you again for your responses.

ADMINISTRATION ASSISTANT VACANCY

We currently have a vacancy for an Administration Assistant working in the school office Monday-Tuesday mornings, term time only. For further information and an application form, please visit the school website:

www.uplandsprimarystroud.co.uk

Thank you.

UPLANDS AUTUMN NATURE TRAIL

Uplands PTA are excited to invite you to join us on the inaugural Uplands Autumn Nature Trail. This will be taking place on Saturday 12th October between 10am - 2pm.
Further details to follow.

ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION UPDATE

The school's Administration of Medication policy has recently been updated.

With immediate effect, staff will be unable to administer medication to any pupil unless it has been prescribed by a doctor, dentist, nurse/pharmacist prescriber.

Medication such as paracetamol or Piriton for allergies, cannot be administered by staff unless prescribed.

Parents/carers are very welcome to come into school to administer non-prescription medicines to their child if required.

Further details of the policy can be found at: [Policies | Uplands Primary School Stroud](#)
(uplandsprimarystroud.co.uk)

Thank you.

MEET THE SCHOOL

Thursday 19th September

This year we have decided to organise a 'Meet the School' this will take place on Thursday 19th September between 6pm and 7pm.

This event will provide the parent body with the opportunity to hear from the teaching staff, the Governors and the PTA members about how Uplands School operates. There will also be a chance to ask any questions.

Please ensure you inform the office if you are able to attend by **Wednesday 18th September**.

Many thanks.

A RECORD NUMBER OF PUPILS IDENTIFIED FOR DISPLAYING THE CORE VALUES OF THE SCHOOL – COMMUNITY, UNIQUENESS AND KINDNESS

Well Done Everyone!

*Gideon, Rafe, Talia, Darcie, Shana, Oto, Poppy, Noah, Sahas,
Ellie, Leo, Felix, Vinnie, Riley, Charlie JL, Arthur, Charlie W, Rowan,
Nevaeh L, Caoimhe.*



UPLANDS COMMUNITY
PRIMARY SCHOOL PTA

Pre-ved Uniform Sale

Thursday 19th September
3pm to 3:45pm

Please bring cash



Helping to raise funds to support the school

TEACHSPORT AFTER SCHOOL CLUB AND SPORTS CLUBS (FOOTBALL AND DODGEBALL)

Teachsport After School Club, Extra Time,
continues to run from 3:25pm to 5:30pm.

They are to run Football and Dodgeball clubs.
Football (Years 3-6) will continue to be on Mondays
and Dodgeball (Years 1-6) will be on Thursdays.
These sports clubs will be open to all pupils, will run
from 3:25pm to 4:25pm
and cost £5.25.

Children enrolled in the After School Club, Extra
Time, can choose to join these sports clubs if they
wish, at no extra cost, and then stay and play until
5:30pm.

During this time, they'll enjoy the usual activities
such as art and crafts, games, creative play and
assisted free play, along with a healthy snack.

For any inquiries, please contact Alex at
southwest@teachsport.org or call 07530767190.

CONGRATULATIONS!

*The Attendance Cup for this week is
awarded to Folly!*

Team Points awarded to Merlins!

Congratulations Everyone!



HOPE YOU ALL HAVE A LOVELY
WEEKEND!

SEE YOU ALL NEXT WEEK!

Yours sincerely,



Mr James Powell
Head Teacher

DIARY DATES - AUTUMN 2024	
Tuesday 17 th September	Eagles PGL Meeting 3.30pm
Thursday 19 th September	PTA Pre-Loved Uniform Sale 3pm – 3.45pm
Thursday 19 th September	'Meet the School' 6pm
Tuesday 1 st October	Eagles Trip to 'We the Curious' in Bristol
Wednesday 2 nd October	Flu Vaccinations
Saturday 12 th October	PTA - Uplands Autumn Nature Trail
Thursday 24 th October	Whole School/Siblings Photos
Friday 25 th October	Last day of Term 1
Monday 29th October – Friday 1st November	Half Term Break
Monday 4 th November	Children return to school
Wednesday 13 November	Parents' Evening
Thursday 14 th November	Parents' Evening
Wednesday 18 th December	Whole School Trip to the Panto, Stroud Sub Rooms- 1.30pm Hood
Friday 20 th December	Last day of Term 2
Monday 23rd December – Friday 3rd January 2025	Christmas Holidays
Monday 6th January 2025	Inset Day
Tuesday 7 th January 2025	Children return to school



KICK-IT

SESSION RETURNS!!

THURSDAY- 5-7 YEAR OLDS 5TH SEPT
FRIDAY- 8-11 YEAR OLDS 6TH SEPT
BOTH 5PM TO 6PM

RETURNING AND NEW PLAYERS OF ALL ABILITIES WELCOME.
 ARCHWAY SPORT CENTRE, GREAT TO DEVELOP AND INCREASE ABILITY, NO BOOKING REQUIRED!
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