

QI Newsletter

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Dear Parents/Carers,

As the end of the school year approaches, we have many exciting events still to look forward to. Teachers are now busy completing end-of-year assessments and finalising your child's school report, which will be sent home by **Friday 18th July**. It has been wonderful to see the progress and achievements made by the children over this year.

Whilst we are enjoying the sun, we hope there is a little less of it, in order for us to enjoy our rescheduled Sport Day. We are also excited for the PTA's Big Summer Event on the field next Thursday and hope to see you all there!

Mrs Allen

Announcements & Reminders



Staffing for September – On **Tuesday 1st July**, children will be told who their new teacher will be and Parents/Carers will receive an email at 3:00pm detailing the staffing arrangements for September. Transition morning will take place on **Wednesday 2nd July** where the children will spend time with their new teacher accompanied by their current Learning Support Assistants. We will have a second session on **Wednesday 16th July** when the year groups set their Summer Learning Project, which they share with their new teacher in September.



Sports Day – Monday 14th July (KS2: 9.00am to 12:00 and KS1: 1:00pm to 3:00pm)
As communicated via email (30/6), Sports Day will now take place on the reserve date. We hope weather conditions will be more suitable for the children to give their best and for families to enjoy supporting them. The PTA will serve cold drinks in the morning and afternoon before the start of both events. We hope to see you there, cheering on the children as they compete to be the winning team for Sports Day 2025!

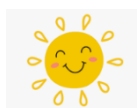


Wraparound Care - We understand how important wraparound care is for many of our families and we are committed to finding the right solution for our school community. We have a number of steps to complete to finalise plans for next year's provision and aim to share the outcome with you next week. Thank you for your patience and support as we work hard to put the right care in place for your children.



Smartphone-Free Childhood: QI has joined the campaign to become a smartphone-free zone for children. This means that **children will not be permitted to bring smartphones** into school under any circumstances from **4th September 2025**. Children who walk home alone may bring a basic mobile phone (calls and texts only) for safety.

To understand why we are doing this, please take a moment to watch **A Stolen Childhood**. For more information, please visit the **Smartphone-Free Childhood** website and if you support their campaign, please sign up to the **Parent Pact**.



PTA BIG Summer Event – Thursday 10th July, 3:30–6:00pm. Join us for an after-school session of fun, food, and festivities! A great opportunity for us to come together as a school community.

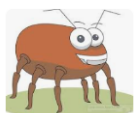


Communication – Year group email accounts are generally monitored outside of the school day. For any **urgent matters**, such as changes to end-of-day collection, please contact the school office directly:

✉ adminoffice@queensinclosure.hants.sch.uk

☎ 023 9226 8067

The office team will ensure messages reach the class teacher.



Be Tick Aware! – We occasionally have deer on our school grounds, which can increase the risk of ticks and Lyme disease. If we spot a tick on your child during the school day, we will contact you. Staff are willing to assist with tick removal but we will always seek **parental permission first**. Please visit **Lyme Disease UK** for information about prevention and what to do if your child is bitten.



Water Bottles – We’ve noticed an increase in children bringing **large, handled Stanley water bottles with built-in straws** to school. While these are popular, they are **not suitable for the classroom** due to their size, weight, and potential for spills. Please can you ensure these are substituted for a regular water bottle. Thank you.



Summer Holiday Club – Now Taking Bookings! – EdActive are pleased to offer a club for families needing childcare over the summer break. Spaces are limited, so secure your child’s place today! ☞ **Book now: www.edactive.co.uk**

Curriculum & Support Resources

Children’s Curriculum Enrichment Events – Curious to see what the children have been up to? If you’re interested in reading about the exciting activities and experiences our pupils have taken part in, please follow the link: ☞ [Curricular Enrichment Info](#)

Child and Family Support Worker – For some useful tips and information please follow the link: ☞ [Support Resources](#)

School Nursing Service – ☞ [Parent Information Portal](#) now available to view all your child’s records.

PTA Summer Term Highlights - ✉ Contact: ptaqueensinclosure@gmail.com



Big Summer Event - We’re accepting raffle prizes and bottle donations until **Wednesday 2nd July**. We have already received some fantastic donations and greatly appreciate the generosity within our school community.



The £5.00 Family Entry Fee will give children (aged 4 to 14) access to the inflatables, archery, nerf guns, arts and crafts and penalty shootout. The preferred method of payment will be cash as the card machine can slow the process. We look forward to seeing you all have fun!

Future Dates for the Diary

For events specific to your child’s year group, please check our ☞ [website calendar](#). It’s the best way to stay up to date with what’s happening across the school!

Summer Term 2025	
1 July	NEW Classes for September to be communicated via email at the end of the school day.
2 July	NEW Meet the New Teacher Session 1 of 2. NEW Secondary Transfer Day for Year 6 NEW Drop-In Session for Year F children starting September 2025, 9:30 - 11:30am.
4 July	School closed for INSET (Staff training)
10 July	PTA’s Big Summer Event – 3:30pm to 6pm on the QI field
14 July	Sports Day (Rescheduled)
16 July	NEW Meet the New Teacher Session 2 of 2 (Date changed to accommodate Sports Day)
18 July	NEW End of Year Reports to Parents/Carers
22 July	We break up at 3:20pm for the Summer Holiday
3 September	School closed for INSET (Staff training)
4 September	First day back for the new school year 😊



Feedback - as you know, we welcome feedback all year round so please continue to share your comments, suggestions or questions with us via ☞ [Feedback Form](#) page of our website