

Tune in on Tuesday

Wheelwright Lane Primary School Newsletter

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Diary Dates

Diary dates for the Autumn Term are shown below and will be included and updated on every newsletter.

Monday 12.10.2020 <i>Change of date</i>	Proposed Parents' Evening via TEAMS 3.30-6.00
Thursday 15.10.2020 <i>Change of date</i>	Proposed Parents' Evening via TEAMS 4.30-7.00
23.10.2020	School finishes 3.15
w.c. 26.10.2020	Half term begins
02.11.2020 (Mon)	Children return

INSET Days yet to be set = 2 days

Parents' Evenings

We hope to conduct our Parents' Evening discussions on the TEAMS site where possible. We are currently trialing the system to ensure that we have private chat areas for each child within the site. I have brought the PE dates forward one week just in case we have a few technical issues - this gives us time to rectify before the end of term.

Further details will be given out next week.

Extra-curricular activities

Activities start the week Monday 9th September

Monday			
Tuesday	Running club	Yr3 & Yr4	12.30-1.00
	Multi-skills	Y3 & Y4	3.15-4.15
Wednesday	Rounders	Y5 & Y6	12.30 - 1.00
	Multi-skills	Y1 & Y2	3.15-4.15
Friday	Penalty Shoot-out	KS2	12.30-1.00
	Dance Club	Yr1 & Yr2	3.00-3.45

Children on staggered exit times will wait in their classrooms until 3.15 and be supervised by staff.

Guidance on what to do In different situations.

I am attaching an A4 sheet which offers guidance on what actions to take in different situations during this pandemic. For example: If you have a child in school (or another school) and someone in their bubble tests positive then the bubble is sent home. If your child is in another bubble they can come to school as they have not had contact with the person who has the virus.

This is the latest guidance from Public Health England that the school follow.

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House Captains

I am pleased to announce our House Captains for this year:

Emerald: Anya and Kyan

Diamond: Yuvraj and Simran

Ruby: Sienna and Sana

Sapphire: Esme and Ashton A

Thank you to all of the Year 6 children who gave a speech and presentation to the rest of the school, via TEAMS, you were all very courageous.

Absence due to Medical reasons

Just a reminder that if children are ill (not due to Coronavirus or advised to stay off due to close contact with Coronavirus) then we still require proof of illness after 3 days. If a child is ill for 3 days then they will normally be seen by a G.P. and be prescribed medicine. Please take a picture of the medicine and forward to the school office admin2021@welearn365.com

It is our safeguarding duty to ensure that children are seen during this time and that they are not being kept away from school for another reason.

Wearing facemasks

I have received further guidance from the government to request that adults wear facemasks while on school site if you are able to do so. This is advisory at the moment - see attached poster.

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Names in clothing

Please make sure that your child's uniform has their name inside. It is impossible to distinguish individual clothing without children's names either on the label or stitched inside the item. Staff can help children find missing uniform but everything is identical. If you want it to come back to its rightful owner then label it please.

Applying for Reception

Please make sure you have applied for your child's Reception place for September 2021

by 15th January 2021. For Warwickshire schools use the following website.

<https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/applying-school-place-reception/apply-school-place-reception/1>

For Coventry schools use the following website:

https://www.coventry.gov.uk/info/148/school_admissions/114/primary_school_admissions/2

Contacting School

The numbers of Coronavirus infections have increased all around the country and many schools in the local area have sent bubbles home due to positive cases. On many occasions parents are given the information of a positive case when the school is closed - this causes delay to the track and trace system.

The school has a new out-of-hours phone that parents can contact after 6 o'clock at night and early in the morning to be used for reporting a positive coronavirus test.

If you are advised that someone in your household has tested positive and it is out of hours then please call this number: 07704064023.