Dear all

We would like to express our gratitude to all of you for participating in our whole school World Book Day challenge. We were delighted to see the fantastic storyinspired plates created by the children, showcasing their creativity and love for reading. The children (and staff) had a great day, listening to stories, sharing stories, and just enjoying books.

Additionally, we would like to thank you for your generous donations for our yellow hampers. Your contributions will be used to create 7 beautiful, yellow-themed hampers that will be raffled off on Friday 22nd March to help raise funds for Marie Curie. Have a lovely weekend



ATTENDANCE

Moments Matter, Attendance Counts

OTTS Award winners

Our OTIS programme (On Time, In School) is designed to promote the importance attendance.



Our whole school attendance since September 4th = 95.11% National attendance = 93.4%

Attendance this week
EYFS + KS1 Winners = Year 1= 96.8%
KS2 Winners = Year 5= 99.3%

MOMENTS MATTER, ATTENDANCE COUNTS.

Congratulations to our attendance winners this week

DAY OF REFLECTION & COFFE MORNING

We are holding a coffee morning on Friday 22nd March, starting at 9am, for parents. Various community groups and services will be present to share what they do and how they might be able support you and your child outside of school in a range of areas. We will also be holding our Marie Curie Day of Reflection in honour of all loved ones we have lost. During this day we invite the children to wear yellow and take part in in simple activities to remember and celebrate the lives of loved ones who are no longer with us.

NEW SHOOTS HOLIDAY CLUB

New Shoots are planning to run a holiday club over the Easter break this year. If they receive enough interest, the club will run from Tuesday 2nd April until Friday 12th April. The club will be open from 7.30 am to 6.00 pm to accommodate parents who need to start work by 8.00 am. We hope that this extended hour will provide extra convenience for families with early work commitments. If you are interested in enrolling your child in the holiday club, please let us know at your earliest convenience so that we can make the necessary arrangements. Marisa

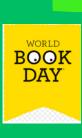


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'Books are a uniquely portable magic'' - Stephen King







"That's the thing about books. They let you travel without moving your feet" - Jhumpa















Dates for the Diary

There may be changes or additions to these dates, but we will endeavour to let you know with as much notice as possible

- Tuesday 19th March = The Brindley Show for the Choir
- Thursday 21st March = Rock steady concert 10am
- Friday 22nd March 2024 = Year 4 School trip to Deva Roman Experience - Chester
- Friday 22nd March = Marie Curie National Day Of Reflection= children are invited to wear yellow
- Friday 22nd March = Coffee Morning
- Monday 25th March = Key stage 1 Easter Service at St Johns Church
- Tuesday 26th March = Year 5 Fire Service (Smoke Tent)
- Thursday 28th March = B-Tales show
- Thursday 28th March = House Day Woodland Family picnic
- Thursday 28th March = School closes for Spring half term
- Monday 15th April = School re opens
- Tuesday 30th April = Class Photos
- Monday 6th May = Bank Holiday
- Monday 20th May = Year 2 Camping at school
- Monday 20th May-23rd May = Year 6 Bike ability week
- Tuesday 21st May -23rd May = Book fair at school
- Friday 24th May House day 5
- Friday 24th May = School closes



DAY OF REFLECTION & COFFE MORNING





<u>Weston Primary School</u>

Day of Reflection and Coffee Morning

Friday 22nd March 2024

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During this day we invite the children to wear yellow and take part in in simple activities to remember and celebrate the lives of loved ones who are no longer with us.



We are also holding a coffee morning on this day, starting at 9am, for parents during which there will be a small raffle to raise money for Marie Curie and various community groups and services will be present to share what they do and how they might be able support you and your child outside of school in a range of areas.

Thank you for your continued support!







Should I keep my

child off school?

Yes

Until...

Chickenpox	at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over
Diarrhoea and Vomiting	48 hours after their last episode
Cold and Flu-like illness (including COVID-19)	they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19.
Impetigo	their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics
Measles	4 days after the rash first appeared
Mumps	5 days after the swelling started
Scabies	they've had their first treatment
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after they started taking antibiotics
Whooping Cough	48 hours after they started taking antibiotics



but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

Hand, foot and mouth	Glandular fever
Head lice	Tonsillitis
Threadworms	Slapped cheek





Advice and guidance

To find out more, search for health protection in schools or scan the QR code or visit https://qrco.de/minfec.









HALTON HEALTH IMPROVEMENT TEAM

The Health Improvement Team are holding an online session, covering 'Understanding Children's Behaviour' on Tuesday 12th March at 10am. This session is suitable for parents/carers with Children aged 0-12 years. There are still a few spaces available. To book your place for this online workshop, please visit Eventbrite - Understanding Children's Behaviour

If you have any problems booking on, please contact HIT@halton.gov.uk





COMMUNITY NEWS





SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 2023 to 2024

TERM DATES	DATE OF CLOSING	DATE OF OPENING
SUMMER TERM		Tuesday 5 th September 2023
AUTUMN HALF -TERM	Friday 27 th October 2023	Monday 6 th November 2023
CHRISTMAS	Wednesday 20 th December 2023	Wednesday 3rd January 2024
SPRING HALF TERM	Friday 9 th February 2024	Monday 19 th February 2024
SPRING BREAK	Thursday 28 th March 2024	Monday 15 th April 2024
SUMMER HALF TERM	Friday 24 th May 2024	Wednesday 5 th June 2024
SUMMER	Thursday 18 th July 2024	

INSET DAYS (May be subject to change)

Monday 4th September 2023 Thursday 21st December 2023 Monday 3rd June 2024 Tuesday 4th June 2024 Friday 19th July 2024

BANK HOLIDAYS

Monday 6th May 2024 Monday 27th May 2024



WESTON PRIMARY SCHOOL TERM DATES: **ACADEMIC YEAR 2024-25**



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School Holidays can be found on our school website within the tab heading 'Parent information' Paper copies can also be found in the letter racks outside the main school office.

Inset days may be subject to change.



PARKING REMINDER

Recently, we have noticed a significant increase in the number of vehicles parking in an unsafe manner during drop-off and pick-up times. We understand that the school's location may pose challenges when it comes to finding suitable parking spots. However, we kindly ask that you remain mindful and considerate of others when parking your vehicles



Parking illegally or inconsiderately can create significant problems for other road users and pedestrians, particularly those with push chairs or using mobility scooters.

Parking enforcement In Cheshire East, Cheshire West and Chester, and Warrington

The enforcement of yellow lines, time-limited parking and other parking restrictions in Cheshire is entirely the responsibility of the local authorities and their parking enforcement teams.

Report online:

Cheshire East Council www.cheshireeast.gov.uk

Cheshire West and Chester Council www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk

Warrington Borough Council www.warrington.gov.uk

In Halton (Widnes and Runcorn)

The enforcement of yellow lines, time-limited parking and other

parking restrictions in Halton is the responsibility Cheshire Police. To report this please phone 101.

Obstruction

A vehicle causing an obstruction is one which has been parked and left unattended in such a way that it is considered to be a hazard to pedestrians or other road users. For example, a car parked on a bend in the road. This also includes blocking free passage to pedestrians and blocking access to private or public property.

If you need to contact the police because a vehicle is causing a safety hazard or an obstruction on a public road, please contact Cheshire Police on the non-emergency number, 101.

Do not report illegal parking via social media.

All road users need to be aware of and adhere to parking restrictions:

- · No parking on bends
- · No parking on zigzag lines
- · Do not obstruct a resident's driveway
- · Do not park on double lines
- · Do not park on 'time-limited' single lines
- Do not cause an obstruction





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