



# Weston Primary School

We wanted to take this opportunity to provide you with a roundup of the exciting events and activities that have taken place at our school this week. Our talented choir had the amazing opportunity to perform at The Brindley, where they delivered an incredible performance. We are immensely proud of their hard work and dedication. Additionally, some of our Year 6 children participated in the Swimming Gala at Kingsway swimming centre, where they showcased their skills. We are thrilled to announce that they achieved a fantastic 2nd place in the Halton school games swimming gala. Well done to all the participants! On a different note, we faced a challenge on Thursday with a flood on our premises. However, our dedicated staff worked tirelessly to mop and Hoover up the water to ensure a safe environment for our pupils to return to. We held a successful Marie Curie reflection day, where our school community came together dressed in yellow to show our support for this important charity. Lastly, our Year 4 students had a wonderful time on their recent class trip to Chester, where they had the opportunity to learn and explore outside of the classroom.

Have a lovely weekend



## ATTENDANCE

*Moments Matter, Attendance Counts*

*OTIS Award winners*

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

Our whole school attendance since September 4th = 94.96%

National attendance = 93.4%

Attendance this week

EYFS + KS1 Winners = Year 1= 98.2%

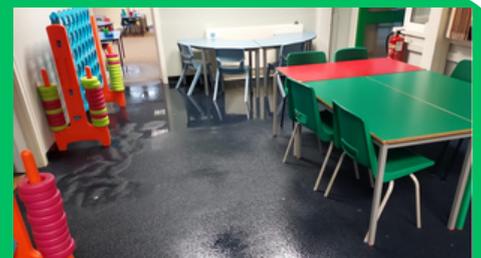
KS2 Winners = Year 3= 97.5%

Congratulations to our attendance winners this week



We had a busy morning on Thursday mopping, hoovering water up, having pipes repaired and making everything safe.

Thank you for your support and understanding on Thursday, we greatly appreciate your patience





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## HAMPERS

Due to unforeseen circumstances, we had to postpone the coffee morning event that was scheduled to take place today. However, we are pleased to inform you that we will continue to sell raffle tickets next week for 7 hampers.

The raffle draw will now take place on Wednesday, ensuring that all participants have ample time to purchase tickets for a chance to win one of the hampers.



## WORLD DOWN SYNDROME AWARENESS DAY



As we missed World down syndrome awareness day we will continue to sell our Ginger bread sock biscuits next week



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## WESTON CHOIR



We are thrilled to share with you the wonderful news that our amazing choir had the opportunity to perform at The Brindley on Tuesday. They were absolutely incredible and left everyone in the audience in awe of their talent. We are incredibly proud of all the hard work and dedication that our choir members have put into their performance, and we wanted to take this opportunity to thank you for your ongoing support in their musical journey.





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## SUMMER UNIFORM

As we move into the warmer months ahead, we would like to remind you that pupils are able to wear summer uniforms after the Easter break.

Please note that sandals are NOT permitted as part of the uniform due to Health and Safety reasons. We kindly ask for your cooperation in ensuring that your child adheres to the uniform guidelines.

Please clearly mark all items of clothing with your child's name

PLEASE SEE BELOW FOR A REMINDER OF THE UNIFORM THAT  
THE CHILDREN CAN WEAR DURING THE SUMMER TERM

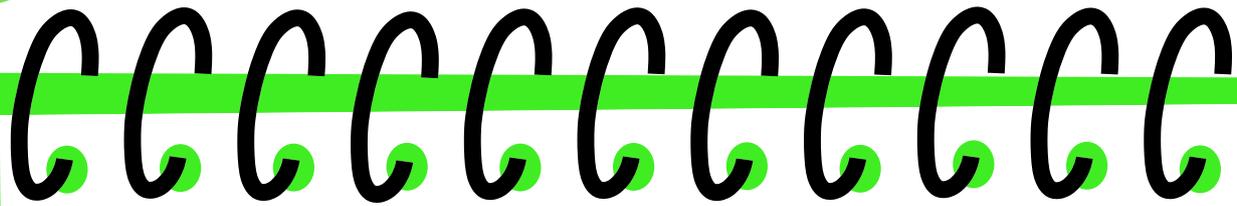
- Grey tailored shorts / skirt
- Plain white shirt, blouse or Polo shirt (short-sleeve, no tie)
- Green & white summer dress with long or short white socks
- NO SANDALS

Thank you for your continued support in helping us maintain a smart and appropriate dress code for our students.





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## 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

- Wednesday 27th March = Key stage 1 Easter Service at St Johns Church
- Tuesday 26th March = Year 5 Fire Service (Smoke Tent)
- Tuesday 26th March = B-Tales show
- Thursday 28th March = House Day & COFFEE AFTERNOON  
Please come along and enjoy a hot drink and a biscuit. Letter containing further details will follow next week
- Thursday 28th March = School closes for Spring half term
- Monday 15th April = School re opens
- Tuesday 16th April = Year 3 Warrington Museum
- Monday 22nd April = Earth Day The theme is Planet vs - Plastics. Children/staff can come to school wearing green and/or blue
- Tuesday 30th April = Class Photos
- Thursday 2nd May = Polling day
- Monday 6th May = Bank Holiday
- Monday 13th-17th May = Year 6 SATs
- 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 Sports day. House colours to be worn
- Friday 24th May = School closes



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## YEAR 4 SCHOOL TRIP TO DEVA ROMAN EXPERIENCE IN CHESTER





## COMMUNITY NEWS



We are delighted to announce that Reuben, one of our pupils, has been awarded the prestigious title of Beaver of the Year for 2024.

# WELL DONE



## 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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UK Health Security Agency



## 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

### No

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

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



SCAN ME

#### Advice and guidance

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

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## SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 2023 to 2024

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

### INSET DAYS (May be subject to change)

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

### BANK HOLIDAYS

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2024  
 Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2024



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



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Inset days may be subject to change.



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.



## 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

### TACKLING ILLEGAL PARKING

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:**

<b>Cheshire East Council</b> <a href="http://www.cheshireeast.gov.uk">www.cheshireeast.gov.uk</a>
<b>Cheshire West and Chester Council</b> <a href="http://www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk">www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk</a>
<b>Warrington Borough Council</b> <a href="http://www.warrington.gov.uk">www.warrington.gov.uk</a>

**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

**CALL THE POLICE ON 101**  
IN AN EMERGENCY ALWAYS CALL 999

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