



NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to a new term at Wellesbourne. A special welcome to all our new children and to Mrs Simms our Year 4 teacher. The children have come back very calm and are already working hard. I hope you received the letter about the changes to homework and Parents' Consultation Evenings for this academic year. Key dates are on the back of the newsletter. We are also promoting 'fantastic walking' around the school. Ask your children what it is all about!



PARKING

DROPPING OFF/PICKING UP

It is obvious that parking at our school is difficult and Mountford Close was not designed to be home to such a big school. However, we can all help aid the flow and ensure the safety of children by following a few simple rules:

- 1) Do not stop on the zig-zag lines for even a second to drop off a child. These lines are there for the safety of the children and enable us not to add to the statistic of the thousands of children injured around schools by cars each year.
- 2) Please follow the 'unwritten' one way system - as you come towards the school, turn left. It also helps our neighbours using a clockwise system.
- 3) In order to maintain a good relationship with our neighbours, please do not park in front of their drives. There have been times when they cannot get out of their own homes during the school run.
- 4) Please do not park along or use the slip road leading to the Annexe site.

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

Just for your information, on Thursday 14th September there will be individual and sibling photographs taken of children in their school uniform. This is for school age children only.

CURRICULUM EVENING

Our first curriculum evening of the year for Years 1-6 will be on Tuesday 26th September from 6pm to 7pm in the main school hall. The focus will be arithmetic and calculation in Maths. Further information will be sent out soon.

CLASSES 2017-18

A reminder that your child's class teacher should always be the first point of contact. If you still have a further concern then please contact your child's Head of Phase as indicated below.

CLASS ORGANISATION 2017-18

Nursery- Mrs Eden	<i>Mrs Willis</i>
RW - Mrs Willis	<i>Assistant Head</i>
RP- Mrs Pool	
1P- Mrs Prosser	<i>Mrs Cooke</i>
1N- Mrs Newman	<i>KS1</i>
2CP- Mrs Cooke/Mrs Porter	<i>Leader</i>
2RP- Mrs Russell/Mrs Porter	
3J- Mrs James	<i>Miss Freeman</i>
3DW- Mrs Dowbiggin/Mrs Wiggins	
4S- Mrs Simms	
4F - Miss Freeman	
5C- Miss Clark	<i>Mrs Campbell</i>
5J - Ms Johnson	
6B - Mrs Battle	
6CH - Mrs Campbell/Mr Hewitt	<i>Upper KS2</i>
	<i>Leader</i>

INSET DAYS IN AUTUMN TERM

Our INSET days in the Autumn Term will be as follows:

October 20th (Friday) and October 30th (Monday).

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Look out for the After School Club letter which needs to be returned by Wednesday 13th September with choices for clubs. We ask for £1 donation per child/£1.50 per family per week to attend. **Clubs will commence on week beginning 18th September.**



This half term we are thinking about 'Friendship'

PARENTPAY/SCHOOL DINNERS

As you know, all children in Reception, Year 1 and 2 receive a free school lunch. Children in Years 3, 4, 5, and 6 will need to pay the new price of **£2.20** per day in advance. The prices for this term are:
£2.20 per day
£11.00- week,
£165.00 - Whole Term

Just a reminder that we will not take payments in cash (apart from water bottles and book bags available at the school office) unless there are exceptional circumstances agreed in advance with Mr Hewitt or Mrs Oscroft. Outstanding dinner money will result in your child **not receiving a meal** if a prior reminder has been ignored by parents. A lunch costs £2.20 each day.

ASSEMBLIES

Friday assemblies from September will remain as they have been this year. They are as follows:
 KS1 will be every Friday at **9.10am**
 KS2 will be every Friday at **2.45pm.**

MID-DAY SUPERVISOR NEEDED

We are **always** looking to expand our team of Midday Supervisors (MDS). If you are interested, application forms are available from the school office for both part time and full time posts. A full safeguarding disclosure will be sought.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

Our Harvest Festival service for years 1 to 6 children and parents, will be on Monday 25th September 2.00pm in the main school hall. We would like any donations for the foodbank by Wednesday 20th September please.

Our next newsletter will be on Friday 22nd September.

Have a good weekend.

Mr T Hewitt
 Head of School

TEXTILES CLUB SHOW OFF!



A big thank you to our wonderful textilers who spent the summer term embroidering the fish for our very splendid new piano cloth. The children showed not only fantastic commitment and enthusiasm, but also some nifty embroidery skills. Well done!

DIARY DATES

Please be aware that, sometimes, it is necessary to change these dates.

Certificates only Assembly	Friday 8 th September KS1: (years 1 and 2 only) 9.10am KS2: 2.45pm	Annexe Cert only Assembly KS2 Cert only Assembly	Friday 3 rd November 9.10am Friday 3 rd November 2.45pm
Photos Individual and Siblings	Thursday 14 th September	Parents Evening 1	Monday 6 th November 4.30pm - 7.00pm
Annexe Cert only	Friday 15 th September 9.10am	Parents Evening 2	Wednesday 8 th November 3.30pm - 6.00pm
KS2 Assembly + Certificates	Friday 15 th September 2.45pm	1P Class Assembly & certs KS2 Certificates Assembly	Friday 10 th November 9.10am Friday 10 th November 2.45pm
Clubs Start	Tuesday 19 th September	Friends Quiz	Friday 10 th November
Isle of Wight meeting for parents 5.30 pm	Tuesday 19 th September, 5.30pm		
Certificates only assembly Annexe 6CH Class Assembly	Friday 22 nd September 9.10am Friday 22 nd September 2.45pm	Children in Need - Non-uniform day Annexe Certs Assembly 5J Class Assembly	Friday 17 th November Friday 17 th November 9.10am Friday 17 th November 2.45pm
Harvest Festival Service In school	Monday 25 th September 2:00pm	4F Class Assembly and Certs Annexe Certificates Assembly	Friday 24 th November, 2.45pm Friday 24 th November 9.10am
Curriculum Evening for Parents	Tuesday 26 th September Reception - 4.45pm-5.45pm Years 1 to 6 - 6.00pm	NON SCHOOL UNIFORM DAY- bottles for School Fayre	Friday 24 th November
Friends AGM	Wednesday 27 th September 6.00pm	NON SCHOOL UNIFORM- chocolate for School Fayre	Friday 1 st December
2CP Assembly KS2 Certificates only Assembly	Friday 29 th September 9.10am Friday 29 th September 2.45pm	KS2 Assembly & certs Annexe Certificates Assembly	Friday 1 st December 2:45pm Friday 1 st December 9.05am
Sharing Children's Learning session	Tuesday 3 rd October 2:30 to 3:00pm	Christmas Fayre	Saturday 2 nd December 1.30pm - 4.00pm
Annexe Cert only KS2 Certificates Assembly	Friday 6 th October 9.10am Friday 6 th October 2.45pm	Christmas Performances	W/B 11 th December
Whole School Sponsored Walk	Friday 6 th October	Children Christmas Lunch	Monday 18 th December
Annexe Cert only 3J Class Assembly	Friday 13 th October 9.10am Friday 13 th October 2.45pm	Whole School Panto Trip (Oh yes it is...)	Wednesday 20 th December
Open Morning for Prospective parents	Wednesday 18 th October 9:15 to 11am	Year 6 Christingle	Thursday 21 st December
2018 Prospective Parents Meeting	Wednesday 18 th October 6.00pm-7.00pm	Christmas Carol Service at St Peter's and Christmas Jumper Day	Friday 22 nd December, 2.30pm
NON uniform Day for FRIENDS	Thursday 19 th October	Christmas Holiday	25 th December - 4 th January
INSET DAY 2	Friday 20 th October	Teacher Training Day 3	Friday 5 th January 2017
October HALF TERM	23 rd - 27 th October	Children back in school	Monday 8 th January
INSET DAY 3	Monday 30 th October		

DINNER MENUS SEPTEMBER

Next two menus:

Week beginning 11th September MENU 2 and Week beginning 18th September MENU 3
(see website/twitter (@wellesprimary))