

Warmingham CE Primary School

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'Serve One Another In Love'

Galatians 5:13

School Diary for the Week Beginning 17th May 2021

Monday

PE - Otters & Hedgehogs

After School Club -Hedgehogs

Tuesday

WGT Group 1

Wednesday

PE - Squirrels & Badgers

Thursday

Badgers – Music Film Night

Friday

PE for All After School Club – Squirrels & Badgers

Happy Birthday Bradley & Zara



Dear Parents,



It's been the perfect weather for ducks this week! We haven't let the horrible weather dampen our spirits. Squirrels have been designing bird houses and Otters have found yet another use for a box. Hedgehogs have been doing some amazing writing and Badgers were making something very interesting on Tuesday –

Over the course of the week, we have received updated guidance from Public Health England and the DfE. The over-arching message is one of caution - we need to take things slowly. We need to continue keeping school as safe as possible for us all. There is more information later in the newsletter.

Next week, we will be hosting our first PTA event for a while. The children will be able to stay after school to watch a film. We will be keeping each bubble separate. When you pick your child up could you please follow the one-way system and remain 2m apart. You will be able to collect your child from their usual places. The booking forms will be sent home tonight and need to be returned by Tuesday.

Stay safe and have a wonderful weekend. Kind Regards,

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Kate Appleby Principal of Warmingham CE Primary Proud member of the Rural Church Schools Academy Trust

COVID-19 Update

As you will be very aware the roadmap out of lockdown moves to Step 3 on Monday 17^{th} May. We will as a result be granted further freedoms within our everyday lives.

As a school, we have throughout the pandemic kept our procedures tight yet proportionate. We have worked hard to ensure school is as safe as it can be for children and staff whilst trying to maintain the ability to teach our full and balanced curriculum.

As we move out of lockdown I wanted to share with you how school will operate over the forthcoming weeks. Obviously, my over-arching aim is to keep the school open for all, but also operate safely for all those within the building.

Currently, Cheshire East are in a good position with 14 in 100,000 cases. There are some clusters gathering in the north of the borough but nothing of any concern. However, some of our neighbouring areas in the North West are seeing 150 in 100,000 cases in Sefton, Bolton, Greater Manchester and Lancashire. This is being attributed to the Indian variant which seems to be on the rise. Therefore, it seems sensible to take a cautious approach to lifting all our procedures.

Step 3



If things go well, step 3 will start on Monday, 17 May.



From Monday, 17 May:

 you can meet who you like outdoors



but you can't meet people in a group of over 30 people.



We will look at whether it is OK to be closer to people. We will look at whether it is OK to hug people.



Restaurants, cafés and pubs will be able to serve people sitting at a table inside

From Monday 17th May 2021 school will continue to operate in the following ways:

- We will be maintaining year group bubbles and social distancing from other bubbles during the school day.
- We will maintain our existing handwashing routines which are in place.
- We will be maintaining our staggered starts/finish times and we ask that you continue to support the school in dropping off and collecting at the allocated times and following the one-way system.
- We will be maintaining face coverings for staff in communal areas.
- We will be maintaining face coverings for all parents coming onto school property, unless medically exempt.
- We will be maintaining our enhanced cleaning routine.
- We will be maintaining increased ventilation within school.
- All staff will continue to carry out LFD tests twice weekly.
- All visitors will be asked to carry out a LFD test before coming into school.

I know that you will continue to support the school with our procedures so continue to keep every safe.

From Monday 21st **June** at this point should the data allow, we will:

- Allow mixing of bubbles outside where transmission risk is lower therefore children will be able to play outside with other children in the school
- Keep any mixing of bubbles indoors to a minimum
- Operate one drop off and pick up time.

During the summer term, we are planning a number of outdoor events to which parents will be invited: Sports Day, Star Day and picnic, Year 6 Celebrations. As the events draw closer we will be providing clear information as to how these events will run and possible procedures we may wish you to follow if you are attending. These will include completing an LFD test prior to attending as these

are now readily available to the public and signing our internal Track and Trace register so that we know who is on the premises should we have a positive case.

From September 2021

Restrictions may be lifted further at this point and it may not be necessary to continue with bubbles at this point however this is all data dependent. We will be looking to return school to as close to normality as we are able for the start of the new academic year.

Once again I thank you all for your unwavering support throughout the pandemic. Myself and the staff team have very much appreciated your positive comments and messages of support. It has certainly not been the easiest of 12 months but I know as a community we have all worked together to achieve the best possible outcome. Thank you.



Stars of the Week ~ *Letting Our Lights Shine Brightly*

Otters (Reception) ~ Chloe for her fantastic work in maths when investigating halving and sharing amounts equally.

Hedgehogs $(Y1) \sim Seb$ for some amazing maths this week, counting in 2's 5's and 10's beyond 100.

Hedgehogs (Y1) ~ Caleb for a fantastic piece of independent writing about Jack and The Beanstalk.

Squirrels (Y3) ~ Alice for never giving up with fractions, even when it has been really challenging.

Squirrels (Y4) ~ Francesca for being a great team member and willingly including others when designing our treehouses this week.

Badgers (Y5) ~ Ashton for his amazing writing.

Badgers (Y6) ~ Kiesha for great effort with her Maths this week.

PE Award ~ Morrison for his excellent sportsmanship.

Principal's Award ~ Seb for having a kind and caring heart.

House Points

| House | Birch | 0ak | Sycamore | Willow |
|------------------|-------|------|----------|-------------|
| This Week | 196 | 234 | 163 | 187 |
| This Year | 1967 | 2420 | 1823 | 1700 |
| Top of the House | Rogan | Zara | Azalea | Seb & Alfie |



This week Rogan nominated Azalea for helping him with some tricky Maths for our Ethos Award.



Living for Others ~ Matthew 4 18-20

Jesus teaches us to live a life for others, rather than, everyone living for themselves.



This Week's Bible Reading

Pages 172 – 177 Jonah

Prayer for the Week

Dear Father
Help us serve with a smile,
To take pleasure in helping others,
Knowing that we are doing our best
To follow your example.
Amen



PE and Sports

We are now registered for Sainsbury's School Games and are aiming for our bronze award for the next academic year. We're also planning on running some competitive intra-house competitions next half term. If you have any questions about PE or Sports please either speak to me or email Mr Friel, our PE lead – dfriel@rcsat.cheshire.sch.uk

Otters have won this week's 'fill your jar' competition.
Well done Otters. We will be running the completion until half term – keep collecting those coins.





Half Term Holiday Club

Hall Stars Sports & Activities Club is running a holiday club for all RCSAT children from Year 1 to Year 6 this half term. For more details, see the attached poster.

To book online, please visit <u>www.hall-star'hoilday-</u> <u>clubs.class4kids.co.uk</u>

PTA Film night - Thursday 20th May 3:15 to 5pm
Warmingham's Got Talent - Thursday 27th May (Zoom)
Saturday Church - Saturday 12th June
Sports' Day - Friday 18th June and Friday 25th June as a reserve
PTA Sponsored Run - Friday 2nd July
STAR Day, Family Picnic & Raffle Draw - Friday 9th July
Saturday Church - Saturday 10th July
PTA Break the Rules Day - Thursday 15th July
Last Day of Term - Friday 16th July



New Parents' BBQ - Thursday 16th September PTA Spooky Disco - Thursday 21st October PTA Fashion & Pamper Night - Thursday 11th November

More details to follow soon.



Do you have any **wooden pallets or cable reels**. Mrs Allen is looking for some to add to Otters outdoor area.



Parentkind Member Association





& Warmingham

PART TIME

Church Administrator

Approx. 8 hours a week

The parishes of St Peter's, Leighton-cum-Minshull Vernon, and St Leonard's, Warmingham, are seeking to recruit a skilled administrator to assist the Vicar in various aspects of parish administration.

Candidates will be trustworthy, flexible, independent workers with excellent interpersonal skills and an ability to use discretion in working with a wide range of people. They will have good IT skills, an understanding of office procedures, be dependable and sympathetic to and knowledgeable about the aims of the Church.

Closing date for applications: 5pm on Friday 21st May 2021

For further information and an application pack, please contact: Reverend Catherine Cleghorn: 07813 117385 / catherine.cleghorn@hotmail.com

An Enhanced DBS Disclosure will be required for the post-holder



Following a hugely successful launch at Easter, Hall Star Education is delighted to be returning to RCSAT to deliver another action packed sports & activities camp this whit half-term.

DODGEBALL, ARCHERY, NEW WARS, FOOTBALL, BENCHBALL, PARACHUTE GAMES, HOCKEY, BASKETBALL AND MUCH MORE...







- Where: Bunbury Aldersey CE Primary, School Lane, CW6 9NR
- ★ When: 9am 3pm on Tuesday 1st Friday 4th June
- For: Children in Years 1-6
- Cost £20/day*
 sibling & whole 10%
 week bookings OFF

To book visit: hallstar.class4kids.co.uk



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