

Warmingham CE Primary School

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'Let Your Light Shine'

Dear Parents,

Time always flies by in school – can you believe that we are almost at the end of our first half term? On Monday, we welcomed a new family to Warmingham. Nora has joined Year 2 in Hedgehogs Class just in time to join all of our other new children and families at the Bible Service at St Leonard's.

Next week is going to be a little busy with cake sales, home learning exhibitions, SENs meeting, parents' evenings and a trip to Chester Zoo. On Monday the Year 6 children will be selling cakes for our PTA who are raising funds to buy the school a set of VR headsets. We would be extremely grateful if you could provide some cakes for them to sell at playtime and then again at the end of day during the home learning exhibition.

Have you booked your parents evening slot yet? The booking system has closed but you are able to request appointments through Mrs Marsden. The village hall is in use both nights, so you won't be able to use their carpark. Please use our carpark or park on the road instead. The back gate will be open. After meeting with your child's class teacher, you will be able to spend some time looking through your child's books. You are more than welcome to bring your children with you, but you will need to supervise them at all times as all of the adults will be busy meeting with parents.

We are looking forward to seeing all of the children's home learning tasks on Monday. The children always enjoy sharing their work with their peers. Parents are welcome to join us from 2pm to 2:55pm.

Next Friday, we will be breaking up for half term. Our half term holiday is slightly earlier than most schools to fit in with our local high schools so families can be off together. School reopen on Monday 30th October.

Kind regards,

Kate Appleby Principal of Warmingham CE Primary

School Diary for the Week Beginning: 16th October 2023

Monday

Y4 & Y5 – Love Music Trust lessons. Cake Sale Home Learning Exhibition 2-3pm Parents Evening

Tuesday

Football with Crewe Alex Football Club SENS day

Wednesday

Hedgehogs visit to Chester Zoo

Thursday

Y6 – Love Music Trust lesson. Parents' Evening

Friday

Choir – Lunchtime Multi-skills Club Half Term Holiday – school closed until Monday 30th October

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Mrs Brookes will be leaving us at the end of the month to take up a teaching assistant's role at one of our sister schools which means we will be recruiting a new mid-day assistant to join our team. More information about the role can be found on the school's website with an application form - <u>Vacancies</u>

Pastoral Support - Sleep

A number of parents/carers have recently asked about help and support with their child's sleep. Here a few useful web links with information, videos and webinars. <u>https://thesleepcharity.org.uk/national-sleep-helpline/</u>

What We Do

The Sleep Charity, incorporating The Sleep Council, provide advice and support to empower the nation to sleep better.

We campaign to improve sleep support and access to high quality information, raise awareness of the value of a good night's sleep and promote understanding around the complexities of sleep.





CNN Call to Earth Day - 8th November 2023

This year our school is taking part in the CNN Call to Earth Day. This takes place on 8th November 2023. We are participating in this global action to raise awareness for our environment. We encourage our children to be mindful of our environment, in particular it's floral and fauna. We actively promote the increase of biodiversity by planting a variety of plants in our planters and wildflower area. By taking part in 'Call to Earth Day 2023' we will be raising more awareness and as a result will be providing spring-flowering plants that provide vital pollen and nectar to ensure early pollinators can carry on playing their vital role in the ecosystem. Spring-time can be a difficult time for the early pollinators such as bees and butterflies. Let's help them!

Our pledge:

'To increase biodiversity in our gardens we will be planting bulbs this Autumn. The children will provide a recycled planter and we will all plant bulbs to enrich our gardens with beautiful flowers next Spring.'

We would love it if you could support us in this by donating any Spring flowering bulbs, compost and pots/planters. Anything would be gratefully received.

Trips & Residentials

We understand that lots of our families are struggling financially at the moment. As a school, we are able to access some charity funds on your behalf. There are also other pots of money we can use from our budget, if your family fits the criteria. Please don't struggle - we're here to help.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the trip or you are experiencing financial difficulties, please feel free to speak to me. You will need to complete a form to request financial help with the cost of a trip or residential. The form can be found on the school's website - <u>Financial Help Form</u>



Let Your Light Shine - Ours Stars this Week:

Otters (Reception) ~ Jaxon for showing generosity with his time in helping his friends to build with the blocks.

Hedgehogs $(Y1) \sim Olivia$ for showing such joy to lean in all areas of the curriculum.

Hedgehogs (¥2) ~ Nora for showing such courage, starting a new school. Welcome to our school Nora.

Squirrels (Y3) ~ Noah for his positive and hardworking attitude towards his learning this week. He has shown great service to his work. Keep it up!

Squirrels (Y4) ~ Lucas for showing perseverance with his learning and presenting his work with such amazing handwriting!

Badgers (Y5) ~ Tiana for the joy and service she has put into her Niagara Falls leaflet.

Badgers (Y6) ~ Amelia for the service and joy she has put into her science experiment.

PE Award (KS1) ~. Rosco for listening and being respectful in PE lessons.

PE Award (KS2) ~ Lydia for showing joy in her PE lessons.

Mrs Appleby's Principal Award ~ Oliver O for the compassion he showed when he helped Isobelle and Alexander for the courage he showed last week when he helped lead the service for the first time.

House Points				
House	Birch	Oak	Sycamore	Willow
This Week	638	367	415	689
Top of the House	Oliver O	Tiana	Emily	Niamh
This Year	1076	1060	1100	1094



This week our Ethos Council have chosen Ethan for doing his best when working with Mrs Fewtrell this week.



Over the course of the half term, we will be focusing on the Christian value of **generosity**. Next week we will be listening to the reflecting on the following Bible story: 'There is more happiness in giving than in receiving.' Acts 20:35



This Week's Family Bible Reading Samson & Delilah Pages 110 – 113

Let Your Light Shine - Out of School Achievements



Jack has completed his Level 1 swimming award this week.



Isla won a football trophy!



Ivy is now a proud member of Beavers.



Olivia has gained her Level 2 in swimming.



Autumn Term 2023

16th October - Home Learning Exhibition @ 2pm 16th October – Cake Sale 16th October – Parents Evening 17th October – SENs Day 18th – Hedgehogs Class Chester Zoo visit 19th October – Parents Evening 31st October – SENs Day 2nd November – Badgers Class Shrewsbury's Prison visit 3rd November – PTA Glow Up Disco 8th November – Earth Day 10th November – Remembrance Service @ St Leonard's 10:30am 23rd November – Otters trip to the Crewe Lyceum 30th November – The Nutcracker Theatre Trip (Hedgehogs, Squirrels and Badgers) 1st December – Christingle Service @ St Leonard's 10am 13th December – PTA Christmas Fair 18th December – Home Learning Exhibition @ 2pm 19th December – Otters and Hedgehogs Nativity Play @ St Leonard's @ 2pm 20th December – Squirrels and Badgers Carol Service @ 2pm 21st December – Y6 delivering Christmas Cards to local residents

Spring Term 2024

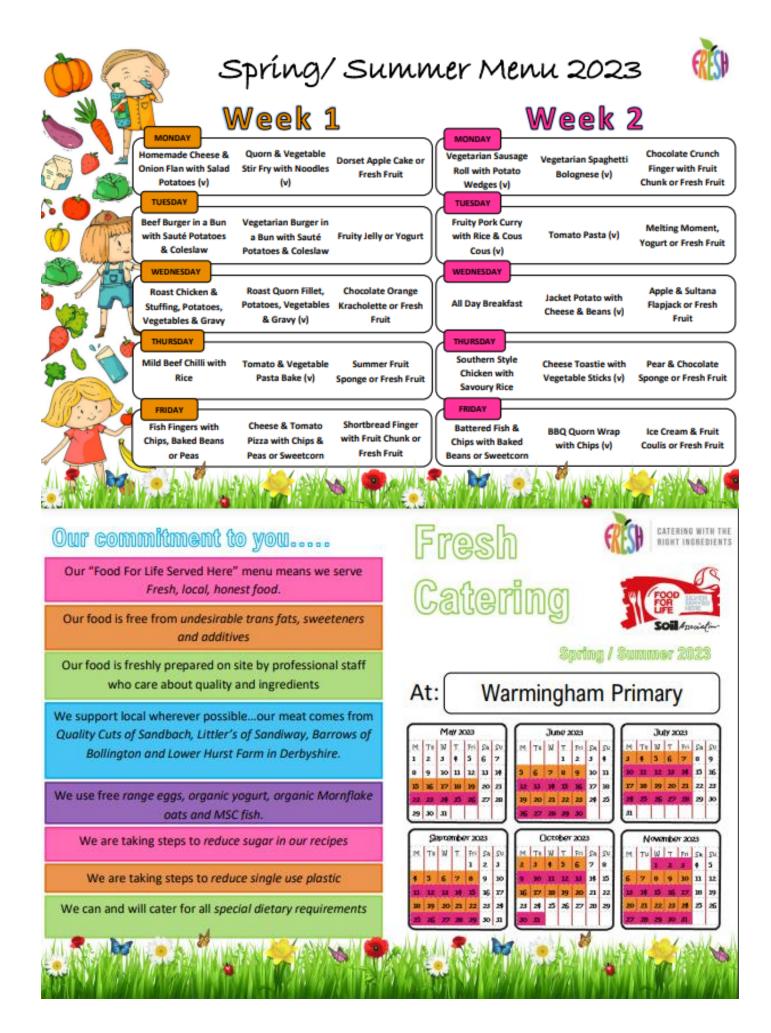
6th February – SENs Day 12th February - Home Learning Exhibition @ 2pm 13th February – SENs Day 13th February – Pancake Sponsored Flip (PTA) 13th February – Parents Evening 14th February – Parents Evening 18th to 19th March – Hedgehogs Residential @ Burwardsley 25th March – Home Learning Exhibition @ 2pm 28th March Easter Service @ St Leonard's 28th March – Y6 delivering Easter Eggs to local residents

Summer Term 2024

15th to 17th April - Squirrels & Badgers Residential @ Robinwood Activity Centre 1st May - Year 6 Leaver's Photographs 13th - 17th May - KS2 SATs Week (Y6) 20th May - Home Learning Exhibition @ 2pm 4th June - SENs Day 11th June - SENs Day 14th June - Ethos Conference 21st June - Sports Day & Family Picnic 28th June - Reserve Sports Day 3rd July - PTA Summer Fair 12th July - End of Year School Reports sent home 15th July - Home Learning Exhibition @ 2pm 17th July - Y6 Prom (Y5 invited) TERM Dates & INSET Days

New dates or changes to previously advertised dates are shown in bold.

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