



WEPs WEEKLY

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Friday 3rd May 2019

Next Assembly Theme: Ramadan / International Fire-fighter's Day (Cornerstones)

Reminder: Please ensure we have your up to date contact details, mobile telephone numbers, landline and email.

What's On Next Week				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
May Day Bank Holiday			Dance Club	Yr 5 & 6 Reading Cafe

Uniform

At our school, we pride ourselves on looking smart and presenting ourselves well. A key aspect of this is our uniform. We keep our expectations high but the costs to parents as reasonable as we can. We ask that all children wear a sweatshirt **with our logo on**. This is the only thing that shows that pupils belong to our school. We have stuck with plain polo shirts to keep costs down rather than one with a logo so we would appreciate all pupils having the logo on their jumper.

I have noticed that standards of uniform are not high enough in school this week in spite of there being a holiday last week. It is our expectation that children have school shoes - not trainers.

There are 3 months of this academic year left. Our uniform shop is open and purchases can be made of school jumpers all year round and you do not need a parent pay account, you are able to pay by card. I am sure standards in our school will be back to their usually high standard very shortly.

Staff will be contacting parents where uniform does not meet our expectations and we would ask that you rectify the issues immediately. If you are having difficulties to do this, then please contact Mrs Smith.

I have attached a copy of the uniform page from our prospectus which details clearly all of the expectations. Please pay attention to guidance on hair, earrings and PE kit.

Thank you to those parents who continue to maintain high standards of uniform. It really does make a difference and it is very noticeable when we are out in the community. It is nice when people comment on how smart our children look.

M Cross
Executive Head

Spot Light on Excellence.....



Our new postcard home

Before the holiday the children were given the challenge of designing our new postcard home. This postcard is sent out to celebrate and acknowledge a child's achievements or effort in class. Only one postcard is given out from each class, each week, so if a child receives one it is something to be really proud of.

I have been impressed with the artwork produced, the children have put a lot of thought and effort into creating their designs. I will now pass all the entries to the school council who will pick the best designs to become our new postcards. I cannot wait to see which ones they will choose. It will be a difficult job but I know I can trust our school council members to make the right choice.

Thank you to all the children who created designs.

Mrs Smith
Associate Headteacher

SAVE *the*
DATE

Friday 24th May



**We are a
'Good' School
Celebration
2 - 3pm**

Info on: Badger Class



At the end of last term, Badger class, along with other schools, had the opportunity to perform a dance at the Hippodrome in front of over 1000 people. We all performed our own Bollywood dance. We could not believe that we were all dancing on the stage in front of thousands of people.

After we had done our part, we went and watched the professional show of 'Spirit of Bollywood'. They were phenomenal!



At school this term, Badger class have been reading Holes by Louis Sachar. We have been really enjoying the book, and particularly enjoyed writing our non-chronological reports about Crime and Punishment - it was rather gruesome!



By Georgina and Badger Class

Academic Year 2018-2019

Summer Term 2019

Bank Holiday

Dance Club	Monday 6th May
Year 5/6 Reading Café	Thursday 9th May
SATs Breakfast Club	Friday 10th May
SATs Week KS2	Monday 13th May
Football Club	Monday 13th May
Summer Census	Tuesday 14th May
SATs Week KS1	Thursday 16th May
New Parents Meeting	Monday 20th May
Class Photos	Tuesday 21st May
We are a 'Good' School	Thursday 23rd May
Year 3/4 Quad Kids Polesworth	Friday 24th May

Half Term

Children Return to School	Monday 27th May
Storytime 1	Monday 3rd June
Manor Adventure Trip	Thursday 6th June
Grandparents Lunch	Friday 7th to Monday 10th June
Storytime 2	Wednesday 12th June
Storytime 3	Thursday 13th June
Staff Training Day*	Thursday 20th June
Sports Day	Friday 21st June
Induction Evening Kingsbury School	Tuesday 2nd July
Year 6 Induction Day 1	Tuesday 2nd July
Year 6 Induction Day 2	Wednesday 3rd July
CSI Day Kingsbury School	Thursday 4th July
Results Day	Monday 8th July
Area Athletics	Tuesday 9th July
Show & Share	Wednesday 10th July
Reports	Thursday 11th July
Leavers Play	Friday 12th July
Leavers Disco	Wednesday 17th July
Term Ends for Summer 1pm	Thursday 18th July
	Friday 19th July

Oral health

According to Public Health England almost a quarter of 5 year olds have tooth decay with an average 3 or 4 teeth being affected. Prevention is always better than cure, therefore please encourage and supervise your child/ren to clean their teeth twice a day and ensure they visit the dentist for a check-up every 6 months even if there are no problems with their teeth. **NHS dental care for children under 18 is free.** Children should also limit sugary food intake as we know that sugar harms teeth. You can speak to your Dentist if you have any concerns about your child's oral health. The opportunity to discuss any health issues relating to your child is always available and the School Health and Wellbeing Service can be contacted on 03300 245 204 or confidentially text ChatHealth Parentline on 07520 619 376.



Attendance W/E 05/04/19		
	Last Week	Year
Ladybirds	100%	93.42%
Butterflies	93.20%	91.73%
Hedgehogs	95.00%	92.25%
Dragonflies	96.92%	96.07%
Foxes	94.35%	94.80%
Badgers	89.00%	94.28%
Please ensure you contact the school every day that your child is unable to attend		

Last Week's Postcards Home

Dragonflies = Shari

Foxes = Phoebe

This postcard is your invite to our celebration assembly on Friday at 2:40pm in the Hall



What should children wear in school?



We believe that children should wear uniform in school. We would like children to have pride in being a part of Wood End Primary School and in maintaining a well dressed and smart appearance. The uniform has been designed so that much of it is easily obtainable from chain stores.

If your child is unable to wear an item of the uniform temporarily, please let us know by letter. We have never yet sent a child home for being improperly dressed, but we reserve the right to do so. If you are not sure about what is appropriate we would be pleased to talk with you.



Smart uniform

Girls:

- Black (charcoal/grey is NOT permitted) 'school type' trousers, or skirt
- White polo shirt (logo not required)
- Wood End sweatshirt or V-necked cardigan with school logo (Available through School)
- Black school shoes (flat sole/low heels)
- Black/White socks/tights
- Red check only dresses (Optional-Summer term only)
- Plain red/black hair band if required

NB: Summer fashion shoes e.g. 'jelly beans', flip flops, open toed sandals, and canvas shoes etc are **not permitted**

PE

- Black shorts
- Black/white socks
- Plain white round neck T-Shirt
- Plain trainers for outside PE (reception classes summer term only)
- Named 'pump bag'
- Track suit in cold weather (limited logos, black/blue) except reception classes

Swimming

- Plain one piece swimming costume
- Towel
- Swimming hats for long hair

EVERY item of uniform MUST be marked with the child's full name

- Jewellery must not be worn in school at any time.
- We prefer children NOT to wear earrings because of potential for accidents. However, small round 'ball like' silver/gold studs may be worn ONLY. These MUST be removed for PE/Games or covered with a plaster provided by home.
- Body piercings are not permitted
- ALL hair longer than shoulder length MUST be tied back
- Boots are NOT to be worn in school by children
- Trouser length should not extend beyond the heel
- Extreme hair styles are not permitted. Hair should not be closely shaved and only natural hair colours are permitted
- Make up, including nail varnish is not permitted.

Boys:

- Black (charcoal/grey is NOT permitted) 'school type' trousers or shorts
- White polo shirt (logo not required)
- Wood End sweatshirt with school logo (Available through School)
- Black school shoes (flat sole/low heels)
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