



School Bulletin

Wharton CE Primary School, Winsford, Cheshire, CW7 3EP

Date **16th JUNE 2023**

Train up a child in the way they should go and when they are old they will not depart from it – Proverbs 22 v 6

USEFUL DATES: June/July.

Year 1 Lion Salt Works trip 21st June

Year 2 class assembly 28th June.

Parents meeting for reception new starters 29th June



On Monday we had our SIAMS inspection, where an inspector from the Church of England came. Once she has made her report, it will be published, and the inspection findings will be shared with you. This will be approximately three weeks after the inspection. The report will celebrate all that is special about the school and will identify next steps that are helpful in the school's ongoing development as a Church school. The report will be published on the school's website, and I would encourage you to read it.

This week some of our children have competed in sports competitions, we had Golf on Monday and Tennis on Wednesday. All the children were fantastic, especially with the weather being so hot! So well done to everyone who took part!

Can parents/carers please note that request for absence that has not been authorised will result in a fixed penalty notice. The Government discourages taking holidays in term time. Evidence shows that children who miss school do not achieve as well as those who attend regularly. The law has restricted a Head Teacher's ability to authorise holidays during term time. Head Teachers are now only empowered to approve a leave of absence when it is requested in advance by the parent or carer with whom the child resides and when circumstances of the requested leave are 'exceptional'.

Should you still choose to take a holiday with your child during this period the Local Authority will be informed as this will constitute an unauthorised absence. A Fixed Penalty Notice will then be issued in accordance with section 444 of the Education Act 1996.

The law stipulates that the current penalties payable by parents are £60 when the penalty is paid within 21 days and £120 when the penalty is paid within 28 days. This penalty is per parent/carer per child.

If the fixed penalty is not paid this could lead to parents/carers being prosecuted in the Magistrates' Court.

If you feel the decision has not taken into account any relevant exceptional circumstances, then you will need to contact the school immediately for further discussion.

We would like to remind parents that due to the hot weather children will need to come into school wearing sun cream and they may bring some in for them to reapply in the afternoon. It is also important that all children bring a water bottle and sun hat into school with them.



Contact Details

If you have moved house, changed telephone number or would like to make changes to emergency contact numbers, please email:- admin@wharton.cheshire.sch.uk with details and we will amend our records.

CONTACT DETAILS

DON'T FORGET TO UPDATE THE OFFICE IF YOU CHANGE YOUR ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBER OR EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS

Keeping in touch



Our main telephone number is **01606 663530** and will show as this on caller ID



We use e-mail through school spider as our main method of communicating with parents and carers as it's quick, efficient and cost effective. Please make sure we have your current e-mail address so you don't miss important communications. To report and absence use;

Attendance@wharton.cheshire.sch.uk



We also distribute up-to-the-minute information via Facebook

Wharton CE Primary School



<http://www.wharton.cheshire.sch.uk>

COMING UP...

Year one will be visiting the Lion Salt Works on Wednesday 21st June. Thank you to all the parents joining us on the trip for their support. Those children who are bringing a packed lunch from home please bring in a disposable bag, and drinks must be in a disposable bottle/carton. Thank you for your support with this.

Forest school for Reception classes will take place each Monday until their final session on Monday 10th July. Please ensure children come in the correct clothing, this was outlined in the letter sent out earlier this year. A copy of this has been sent via spider. Sun hat and cream are a must in the hot weather.



We encourage everyone to follow our school Facebook page



Year two will be having their class assembly in two weeks' time. This is a great opportunity to come and learn about everything they have been doing in school.

Year 3 parents, on Wednesday 28th June we would like to invite you to join us in the hall at 11:10am for a final performance of various pieces of music we have been learning with our violin tutor.





A look into our week at Wharton CE...

Attendance Champions this week
are Cherry With %



Class	Percentage
Peach	94.6%
Plum	96.8%
Apple	93.9%
Pear	97%
Cherry	97.3%
Damson	97.1%
Beech	93.5%
Oak	92.6%
Maple	98.5%
Elm	93.8%
Willow	97.2%
Rowan	87%
Sycamore	93.2%



DELAMERE STREET FESTIVAL

24TH JUNE
11AM-4PM

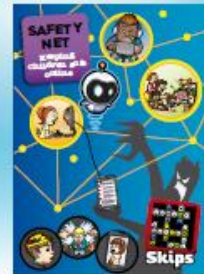
HOG ROAST / LIVE MUSIC /
SCHOOL PERFORMANCES/
CRAFT BEERS / MARKET
STALLS / CREAM TEAS / ART
EXHIBITION AND MORE!

Summer holidays – Parents guide to help keep children safe online

School's out for summer!

It's always best to be prepared

During the summer holidays, without the distraction of school, internet usage for many young people can increase all the way up to September. This guide is designed to help parents with a realistic approach to help keep their children safe when using the internet, social media and playing online games. Please click on each image below for more information.



A Parent's Guide to Social Media



A Parent's Guide to Sharing Pictures



A Parent's Guide to Gaming



A Parent's Guide to Live Streaming



A Parent's Guide to Online Grooming



A Parent's Guide to Online Influencers



A Parent's Guide to Fake News



A Parent's Guide to Privacy Settings

Online safety is when young people know who they can tell if they feel upset by something that has happened online.

Parents please contact your school if you would like to attend a parents internet safety workshop or have any concerns.

Schools please [contact us](#) if you would like a SKIPS Safety Net session delivered to your parent groups or staff.

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Developed in partnership with



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