



School Bulletin

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

Date **29th January 2024**

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:

JANUARY/FEBRUARY.

29th Jan- Forest School- Willow AM,
Maple PM

31st Jan- Open the Door Science

15th Feb- Year 3/4 class assembly in church

9.30am Year 3 parents and 2pm Year 4 parents

16th Feb break up for half term.



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

Can we please remind parents not to park along the drive, down to the school! This is dangerous for children coming in and out of school as this reduces visibility crossing the road. Parents can use the public carpark next to the school, access onto school grounds is for parents with limited accessibility and those who have made prior arrangements. Please help us in keeping the children safe at drop off and pick up times.

Dogs are also not permitted onto school grounds!



Snack price list;

TOAST	HALF A BAGEL	MILK	JUICE APPLE / ORANGE	FRUIT	<u>FRIDAY ONLY</u>
					BACON BUTTY
20p	25p	25p	30p	30p	60p Or £1:20

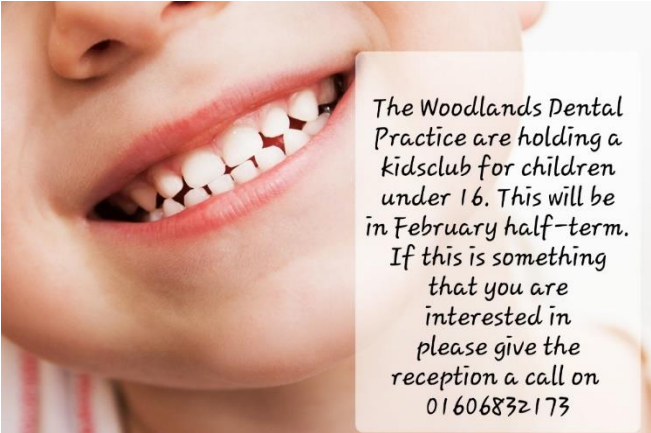
Reminder; dinners are £2.45 per meal
£12.25 per week.

Reception class has asked if anyone has any spare pairs of socks. Due to the weather, we have had a few incidences where children have needed spare socks, so we would be grateful for any donations of small pairs of socks.

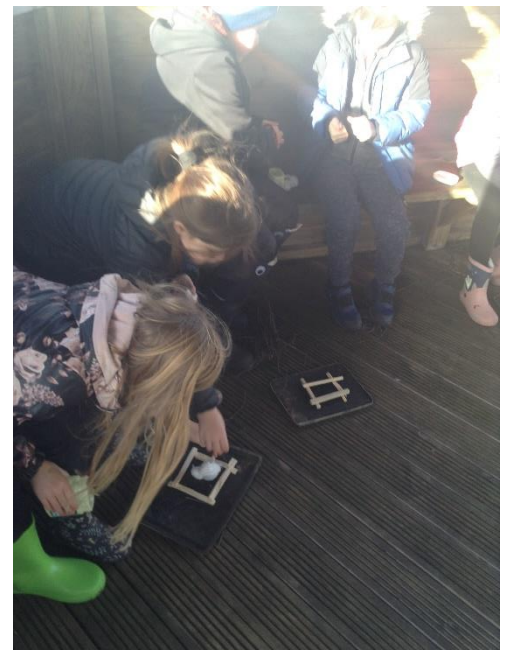


Forest school

Monday 5th Feb will be Beech and Oak. A letter has been sent out to all parents, including a timetable of when each class will be having forest school. A copy of this letter is also available on our website under parent letters. It is important that children wear/bring appropriate clothing to school on the days they have forest school, a list of what children may need to wear is on the letter, and is weather dependant. We look forward to sharing all the fun forest school activities with you all throughout the year.



The Woodlands Dental Practice are holding a kidsclub for children under 16. This will be in February half-term. If this is something that you are interested in please give the reception a call on 01606832173



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>



**Attendance Champions this week
are Cherry With 98%**

CONTACT DETAILS

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

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.

Class	Percentage
Peach	79.4%
Apple	89.2%
Pear	85.4%
Cherry	98%
Damson	85.9%
Beech	91.1%
Oak	93.6%
Maple	92.1%
Willow	95%
Rowan	96%
Sycamore	89.2%

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DATE	TIME	LOCATION	AGE
Mondays 29/01 - 11/03	4:00 pm - 5:15 pm	Winsford Library Winsford, CW7 2AS	8 - 11 years old



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STARTS TUES 23/1/24

Presenting...
"JUNIOR TUESDAY JUNCTION" CLUB

TUESDAY EVENINGS
Junior's (8-11yrs): 5.30-7.15pm
Senior's (11-16yrs): 7.15-9.00pm
@ Wharton Library, Willow Square, CW7 3HP

MEET WITH FRIENDS.
CHILL OUT
SPORTS, GAMES
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JUST £1 ENTRY
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SESSIONS FOR CHILDREN
IN PRIMARY SCHOOL:
AGE 8-11YRS
&
HIGH SCHOOL
AGE 11-16YRS

**PARENTS MUST COMPLETE A REGISTRATION FORM AT DROP OFF.
NO FORM = NO ENTRY!**

CONTACT US FOR MORE INFO: 01606 659413



Parent/Carer Autism Online Workshops

Whether your child is awaiting a diagnosis or has already been diagnosed, these workshops are a great opportunity to learn more about Autism & ask questions within a supportive group of other parents & carers.

- Monday 5th February - An introduction to Autism**
An opportunity to explore what Autism is, the many strengths and the differences that make each child so wonderfully unique.
- Monday 12th February - Communication**
Identifying what communication is and the different communication methods that may be helpful for Autistic children.
- Monday 19th February - Sensory Processing**
Explaining the 8 sensory systems, how the environment can impact on a child with sensory processing differences/challenges and strategies to meet an individual's sensory needs.
- Monday 26th February - Pathological Demand Avoidance**
A look into the interesting subject of PDA, how this may present and what is the best approach to take to avoid conflict.

Workshops will be held 7:30-8:30pm via Zoom.

£25 per workshop for each family.

To book your place...Email enquiries@theautismtrainingnetwork.com

Or scan the QR code



EASTER

Egg hunt

Join us on
30th March 2024
10am - 2pm

for some egg-citing fun in Winsford Town Park

Find eleven hidden letters around Town Park to reveal the mystery word to win an Easter egg

Easter bonnet competition
Refreshments available at
St Andrews

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