



# School Bulletin

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

Date: **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2022**

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: Nov /Dec

Inter-faith Art Week 14<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup>  
November 2022

Children In Need – Friday 18<sup>th</sup>  
November 2022

Evacuee Day – Year 6 Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup>

November 2022

Year 1 Trip to Chester Cathedral and Year 2 Trip to  
Nantwich Museum – Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Christmas Dinner – Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Year 1 and Year 2 Nativity – Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Christmas Jumper Day – Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Christmas Fayre – Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Year 6 Concert – Monday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Year 3 and 4 Christingle – Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Gem Treat Day – Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Party Day – Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Christmas Break – 19<sup>th</sup> December 2022 – Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup>  
January 2023

Inset Day – Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2023

School Returns – Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2023

The harvest festival donations weighed in at 88.9kg.  
These have been donated to Cheshire Food Bank,  
Thank you everyone!

A Winsford Remembrance Parade and Service will be held on **Sunday 13th November from 10.15am**, where representatives for the school will attend.

The Service will commence 10.45am, at the Shopping Centre, led by the Town Mayor's Chaplain, Father Simon O'Connor, for those who would like to attend.

The service will finish at 11.15am.

Attendance Champions this week  
are **MAPLE With 98.4%**

 Well done!



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/carers 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.

**Thank you for responding to our Christmas Fayre survey. We appreciate your feedback and comments, from the surveys we received, we have decided that we will be hosting a Christmas Fayre on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December! We will send you more information over the next few weeks.**

With Children in Need just around the corner we would like to invite children to wear spotty accessories along with their usual school uniform **on Friday the 18th of November**. Those who have already purchased Pudsey accessories are more than welcome to wear these with their school uniform also. Spotty accessories may include;

- ❖ Socks
- ❖ Hair Bands
- ❖ Head Bands
- ❖ Scarfs
- ❖ Gloves

etc. We will be fundraising for children in need and welcome donations, these can be handed into class on the day.

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