

Dear Parents & Carers

It has been another busy week in school with lots of learning going on. The children in Reception are using their phonic sounds to write words and sentences. In Year 1 the children listened to a story about an alien which they then based their writing around. Year 2 have learnt all about 'The Gunpowder Plot' and have been writing facts all about what happened and why.

School was busy on Wednesday as we opened our doors for our second open morning. There was a real buzz around school as prospective parents and children walked around school. Our WIS children worked really hard and spoke very sensibly to the visitors.



As I have been walking around school recently it has been great to read all the acts of kindness that have been posted on each year groups kindness boards, these include helping other children when they have fallen over and saying kind words when someone has been upset. Kindness certificates are being given out and these are stuck into big books which you will be able to see at the next sharing time.

Kind Regards



Tina Lagdon – Head Teacher

Parking on Waynflete Avenue

I appreciate that parking is hard along Waynflete Avenue but we have had another complaint about inconsiderate parking. A resident was blocked in and when she asked the parent to move she was sworn at, this was done in front of her WIS child who was in the car. Please be kind to others and try not to use inappropriate language as children will use this language if they hear parents using it. As a school we find this really disappointing as we are teaching the children the school values of good manners and being respectful to each other. Thank you for your co-operation with this.

SEN Teaching Assistant

We are looking for a suitably qualified SEN TA to work across the school with individual children and groups of children. If you are interested in this position or know of anyone please come and speak to Mrs Lagdon for more information.

School Photo's

We are pleased to let you know for those of you who have ordered school photo's these will be coming home with your child this afternoon. Anyone who has ordered a digital print this will be emailed to you by Monday 20th November. Please do also check your junk mail. Should you have any other queries whatsoever Katie is more than happy for you to email her directly kts.photography@yahoo.co.uk.

Extended Services

Please can anyone with outstanding invoices for Term 2 kindly settle these as soon as possible. Thank you.

M&M Theatrical Productions – Tuesday 9th January 2024

You can make your contribution of **£6.50** and give your consent via sQuid.

Reporting your child's absence

We would like to remind you how important it is to advise us if your child is going to be absent from school. The easiest way to do this is via the Studybugs app. You can download the app for free and report your child's absence this way: <https://studybugs.com/about/parents> Alternatively, please telephone or email the school office (before 9.30 am) each day your child is going to be absent.

National Online Safety

We would like to remind you that the National Online Safety website has lots of posters and help guides for all the online platforms, as well as quick helpful video guides to help with some top tips for online safety for younger children in KS1. As well as the website you can download an app from the Apple/Android Stores. As a member, school and our parents have free access to the site and all the resources, below is the link for you to register with National Online Safety: <https://nationalonlinesafety.com/enrol/waynflete-infants-school>. This week we have attached a guide about what parents and carers need to know about "Smart TV's"

Safeguarding

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility and this is at the heart of everything we do within school. WIS is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. All children have the right to be and feel safe. If you have any concerns about any child please contact the schools Designated Safeguarding Leads who are Mrs Lagdon and Mrs Watson.

Recycle your ink cartridges

To raise money for our school and help to protect the environment, if you have any used printer ink cartridges that you would like to dispose of, we are happy to take these off your hands. You can drop these into the Main Reception where we have a recycling box.

Week commencing 20th November

Monday 20 th Nov	Dodgeball - 3pm until 4.15 pm – Please make sure your child has appropriate clothing to change into)
Tuesday 21 st Nov	Strings Tuition Football Club (Please make sure your child has appropriate clothing to change into)
Friday 24 th Nov	Sharing Assembly - 9.00 am (Your child will bring home a letter if they are sharing) PTFA Mufti – in exchange for Lucky Jar filled with toys and/or sweets

PTFA NEWS

Please find attached our comms for this week.