



Warren Wood Primary School



Newsletter – September 9th 2022

This Week's 'Must Do's'

As we start our new term, it is really important to have all of your details up to date on our system. Data Collection sheets will be sent home in the next week. It is vital that you send us the form back, with amendments to new addresses, phone numbers and any allergies or medication that your child has. Even if there are no changes to details, please return the form marked – 'NO CHANGES'.

Coming up next week

As we settle back into our normal school routine, it is helpful to remember what that looks like! With year group moves and new pupils joining school, it can be helpful for reminders of the basics.

P.E is carried out twice a week – once with the class teacher and once with our Sports Coaching team from JWC coaching, headed up by Mr. Cooke and supported by Mr. Machin who is taking over the role left by Mr. Akram. Class teachers will communicate which day your child's class has P.E. Otherwise, P.E. sessions follow the same pattern each week. These are:

Tuesday am - Nursery
Wednesday am – Reception
Wednesday pm – Y1 +Y2 (KS1)
Thursday pm – Y3 + Y4 (LKS2)
Friday pm – Y5 + Y6 (UKS2)

Swimming this term will take place on a Tuesday morning for Y5 pupils only. Class teachers will send out School Ping reminders to the relevant classes only.

If you haven't already, please also remember to sign up for any wrap around provision you may need at Woodies Club – either for breakfast club or after school club. Please ask at the office for more details.

Also, don't forget Mr Cooke's After School Sports clubs start next week. These are from 3:15pm – 4:30pm and as follows:

Monday – Infant Football
Tuesday – Junior Football
Thursday – Outdoor Games
Friday – Girls Football



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A Message from the Headteacher

Happy days are here again!

Our first week back has been wonderful! After 3 uncertain years, riddled with change, we have enjoyed stability in our unique Woodies way! As I wandered between classes on Monday to say hello to everyone, I was so proud to see children settled into their learning already, focused and engaged and even to the point where some classes didn't even notice I had walked in because they were concentrating so much! A really super start everyone – well done!

We have already embraced our topics for the term. Our topics focus around questions to embrace our children's enquiring minds and allow them to question openly and use their brains creatively. These questions range from things like 'What makes amazing animals?' in Y1, 'Who's swimming in our ocean?' in Y2 to 'Was the whole world at war?'

Over the coming weeks, I will share with you snippets of drop ins from lessons, funny stories I pick up along the way or just celebrate all that is wonderful in the world of our Woodies!

We have already seen self-portraits in Nursery, role play Rock Shops in Y3 and Greek Salad being made (and eaten!) in Y4. I just wish I had been saved some! Maybe next time!

Obviously our week has ended with the sad news that the Queen has passed away after 70 years of reigning as our Monarch. Please know we will be dealing with this sensitively and answering any questions in an age appropriate way, supporting children who this may provoke more questions in.

We look forward to building on this positive start and embracing the year for all the promise it has already shown and has yet to offer.

Mrs. Reyes

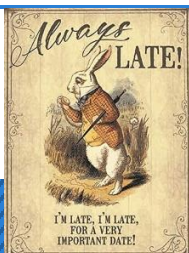
And finally... Meet Boo!



He is our school mascot, named after the badger who visits our school grounds at night time. We have our very own cuddly version who will spend time in the classes in school over the year for all things attendance.

This may be for improved attendance, for great punctuality or for a great team effort as a class. Don't worry, Boo knows that people are poorly sometimes and that this can't be helped.

His message though is '**Miss school, Miss out**' – we love having you here and so does Boo!



Upcoming Diary Dates

Monday 12th September – New Reception Parents – Social Meet Up – Hall – 2:30pm – 3:15pm

Friday 30th September – Parents/Carers – Macmillan Coffee Morning – Hall – 9:00 – 11:00am

Monday 10th October – Whole School – World Mental Health Day – Wear Green and/or Blue

Friday 14th October – Y3 and Y4 – Harvest Celebration – Hall – 9:15am-10:00am

Further detailed information will be sent via School Ping nearer to the time of each event.