



Westfield Primary School
 01761 413662
 office@westfieldprimary.com
www.westfieldprimary.com
 Headteacher: Mr Simon Mills



Friday Note
 10 September 2021

Dear Parents

Welcome back to what we hope will be a more settled school year!

Curriculum meetings

There is a heavy focus on phonics and early reading in primary schools at the moment.



We would like to invite our Reception and Year 1 parents in for Curriculum meetings to learn about how we teach phonics and early reading at Westfield.

Year 1 - Wednesday 15th September at 8.55am
 Reception - Friday 17th September at 2.30pm

Help your child with home reading

Please can you make sure that you hear your child read their school reading book 5 days each week. This needs to be recorded in their reading record book. At KS1 we ask parents and carers to fill out the comments, whereas in KS2, the children should be recording what they have read and writing a comment. Both reading books and reading record books need to be in school EVERY DAY!

Clubs

A clubs timetable will be on Weduc from today and places for Netball, Gymnastics and Gardening will be available to book on the school cloud site from Tuesday next week.

Open Days

We are very flexible with Open Days this year and are offering potential parents the chance to visit our school on a Tuesday or Friday morning at 10am. If anyone you know would like to visit please ask them to get in touch. Tours will be starting on 21st September.

Year 6 Camp

A reminder that Year 6 camp is fast approaching and payments need to be made to ensure children can go. Please see Mrs Bowery if you have any difficulty with

this. All information regarding camp is available on Weduc.

Behaviour policy

We have made changes to our behaviour policy for this academic year. Children would often struggle to remember school rules and class rules so we have simple reduced our rules to three words.

READY RESPECTFUL SAFE

Please talk to your children about these words and see if they can explain them to you. We will be holding a behaviour meeting for parents and carers later in the Autumn term.

Dinners

Dinners **MUST** be ordered by Thursday every week for the following week on ParentPay. If nothing is ordered and your child is expecting a meal we will no long be able to provide one and you will have to bring a packed lunch up for them straight away.

As you know we are part of the MAT and our catering providers have to follow their strict guidelines with regards to ordering. We are now a hub kitchen for 6 other school and cooking over 800 meals a day so we would really appreciate your support with this. Any problems at all with parent pay, please just call.

Congratulations

Congratulations to the Mrs Ainslie who is expecting her second child in February.



Diary Dates

September	
Mon 27 – Fri 1	Year 6 Camp
October	
Tues 5	Individual and Family Photos
Wed 6	Photos for those who have missed
Tues 12	Harvest Festival KS1 & KS2
Mon 18	Parents Evening 3.15pm-6.15pm

Thurs 21 Parents Evening 3.15pm-6.15pm
Fri 22 Inset Day

Mon 25 – Fri 29 Half Term

November

Mon 1 Pupils return to school
Wed 10 – 17 Travelling Book Fayre

December

Tues 14 Christmas Service
Fri 17 Break up for Christmas

January

Tues 4 Inset Day
Wed 5 Inset Day
Thurs 6 Pupils return to school



February

Mon 21 – Fri 25 Half Term
Mon 28 Pupils return to school

March

Mon 7 Parents Evening
Thurs 10 Parents Evening

April

Tues 5 Easter Service
Fri 8 Break up fro Easter
Mon 25 Pupils return to school

May

Wed 4 – Fri 6 Year 4 Camp
Mon 9 – Fri 13 SATS week

Mon 30 – Fri 3 Half Term

June

Mon 6 Pupils return to school
Thurs 30 Sports Day
Fri 1 Sports Day

July

Fri 1 Westfield School is 100 years old
Thur 21 Schools out for Summer