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Headteacher: Mr Simon Mills

Friday Note 6th May 2022



Dear Parents

Earrings/nail varnish

For health and safety reasons no jewellery should be worn in school, if your child has pierced ears, one pair of small plain stud earrings will be allowed. No hoops or dangly earrings are allowed as these can be ripped out of the ear lobe! No nail varnish should be worn in school as per school policy.

Shoes

As the school uniform policy states - black shoes should be worn. It is important to note that fashion trainers are not permitted.

Reading Raffle

Key Stage 1 Winners Panda 85% 2nd Badger 65% 3rd Squirrel 49%

Key Stage 2 Winners Monkey 85% 2nd Falcon 79% 3rd Dragonfly 69%

Help your child with home reading

Please can you make sure that you hear your child read their school reading book at least four 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!

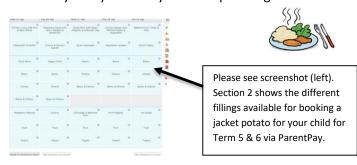
Star Learners

Class	Name	School Value
Monkey	Oliver Pillinger	Ambition
Dolphin	Jackson Waldron	Resilience
Dragonfly	Chloe Bundy	Ambition
Turtle	Parker Edgell	Resilience
Panther	Rhys Wood	Ambition
Butterfly	Ashton Ludlow	Resilience
Eagle	Maddison Bryant	Ambition
Falcon	Keeley Aldom	Ambition

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Monkey	Daisy Hucker	Resilience
Dolphin	Gunner Junge	Ambition
Panther	Olivia Langan	Ambition
Butterfly	Lola Rogers	Resilience
Eagle	Maya Atkin	Ambition
Falcon	Georgina Nettley	Resilience

School Dinners

Please make sure that you are continuing to book school dinners via ParentPay for your child by the end of the day every Thursday for the upcoming week.



From now on if your child has a school dinner ordered via ParentPay but you choose to send your child in with sandwiches instead. You will still be charged for this.

Weather

With sunny weather forecasted for the next 10 days and temperatures expected to rise up to 20 degrees and higher. Please make sure your child brings sun cream, sun hat and a water bottle to school.

A quick reminder that PE kits, water bottles, reading books & reading diaries should be in school at all times.

EYFS classes - (Badger & Panda)

Just a gentle reminder that Badger & Panda classes school day ends at 2.55pm. Please don't wait nearby to the classroom windows when waiting for your child.

EYFS sports day - Monday 4th July

Due to Westfield 100 year celebrations on Friday 1st July. EYFS sports day has now been moved to Monday 4th July.

School photos

Orders for all school photos need to be in school or done online by Tuesday 17th May. Any orders that come into school will be collected on Thursday 19th May.

Inflatable Fun Friday - Friday 20th May

Inflatable Fun Friday is taking place on Friday 20th May from 3pm until 5pm. If you would like your child to come, please go to the payments page https://www.pta-events.co.uk/westfieldradstock/ to reserve spaces. More info regarding this event is on WEDUC.

Term 5 - Swimming days

Tuesday - Year 3 Wednesday - Year 4

Thursday - Year 1 Friday - Reception

If you have any spare swimming kits at home that your child doesn't wear anymore. Please feel free to bring them into school for a donation.

Queen's platinum jubilee celebration

On **Friday 27th May** will be celebrating the Queen's platinum jubilee in school. We are inviting all pupils and staff to put on their best outfits for a day of celebration. Whether it's your best party dress, your smartest shirt or you even want to impress with a dickie bow, get dressed to impress! We will be enjoying lots of fun activities and having cream tea out on the fields with our classes. The PTA have generously gifted every child a commemorative bookmark which will be given out on the day.

Westfield 100 year celebration day - Friday 1st July

On Friday 1st July we will be celebrating 100 years of Westfield school. If you are an ex pupil of the school or know of anyone who is and would be interested in coming into school to talk to the pupils about what the school was like back then. Please contact the school via email at office@westfieldprimary.com or phone the school office.

Year 6 camp - September 2022

Year 5 pupils should have come home with a Year 6 camp letter detailing plans for September. We would also like to invite you to a camp meeting on Wednesday 6th July at 3.15pm.

Residential parking

Please be respectful of local residents at drop off times at the start & end of the school day. Please don't drop off your child on the Zig-Zag lines on Longfellow Road - this is illegal. PCSOs are issuing out tickets to anyone they catch doing this.

Times tables

Following a pupil survey we have decided to move our times tables home learning onto the Doodle platform. As a school we are currently using Doodle maths and have seen positive engagement from all year groups and some fantastic progress in maths. We will not be renewing our Times Table Rockstars subscription next week and will now use Doodle Tables instead. Your login for Doodle tables will be the same login as Doodle maths. If you are using a smart device you will need to download the separate Doodle tables app or you can select Doodle tables from the Doodle learning platform on a laptop or computer. Your child will complete the placement assessment over the next few weeks in school and your class teacher will inform you when your child is ready to access the app from home. If you have any problems please email the school office or ask your child to go and speak to Mrs Rich.

Year 3 sleepover - Friday 10th June

To prepare our Year 3 pupils for their first school residential in Year 4, we hold a Year 3 sleepover each year. This year we would like to invite Year 3 to sleep at school on Friday 10th June. Pupils may return to school at 5.30pm for an evening meal and games and fun on the school field. Pupils are encouraged to attend to develop their independence if they are not used to sleeping away from home and we always have lots of fun (and very tired pupils AND staff the following day!)

Playground one way system

Just a gentle reminder to please continue using the playground one system when dropping off & collecting your child from school.

At home time please can pupils NOT run over the new mound on the field as it has been planted with bulbs and wildflowers!

Dogs

Please can you **NOT** bring any dogs onto school site! This is a school policy and protects all of our pupils.

Diary Dates

May

Mon 9 - Fri 13 SATS week

Fri 27 Queen's platinum jubilee celebration day Mon 30 - Fri 3 Half Term

June

Mon 6 Pupils return to school
Thurs 30 KS1/KS2 Sports Day



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July

Fri 1 Westfield School is 100 years old

Mon 4 EYFS Sports Day

Wed 6 School reports sent home
Wed 6 Year 6 camp meeting
Thur 21 Schools out for Summer



Job vacancy

Cleaner

10 hours per week (3.00pm - 5.00pm)

All Year Round - £9.79 per hour

We are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic and motivated cleaner to join the team at Westfield School.

The successful candidate will use cleaning materials and equipment in a safe and proper manner, following the school's instructions and procedures.

Benefits include Access to a government pension scheme, sick pay scheme, salary sacrifice schemes including cycle to work and an Employee Assistance Freephone Helpline.

Start date: As soon as possible

We encourage early applications as we reserve the right to close the vacancy prior to the closing date if we receive sufficient applications for the role.

The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff to share this commitment. It also values the diversity of the workforce and welcomes applications from all sections of the community. The successful candidate will need to undertake an Enhanced Disclosure Certificate from the DBS.

If you would like more information regarding this job vacancy. Please feel free to contact the school office.





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Join a virtual group cookery session with optional cook along to discover how to make easy, healthy recipes

- Free recipe booklet and links to our NEW video recipes
- Support with meal planning and budgeting
- Every family who completes the course receives a £25 supermarket voucher to put towards buying ingredients or equipment for recipes

Upcoming course start dates Tuesday 26th April 5-6pm Thursday 12th May 4-5pm Tuesday 7th June 5-6pm

Call or email the Community Wellbeing Hub to book Tel: 0300 247 0050 Email: BATHNES.thehub@hcrgcaregroup.com

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