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Friday Note
 13th 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 - Panda 70%

Key Stage 2 - Monkey 74%

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	Camille Trouche	Respect
Dolphin	Raya Whittock	Resilience
Dragonfly	William Bailey	Ambition, Resilience & Collaboration
Turtle	Andrew Shell	Collaboration
Butterfly	Ollie Newman	Ambition
Panther	Bethany Martin	Ambition
Eagle	Ruby Williams	Collaboration
Falcon	Kayleigh Tamblyn	Resilience

Easter Bingo - Friday 29th April

Thank you so much to everyone that came to our Easter Bingo evening on Friday 29th April and well done to all the winners! We hope you all enjoyed it and you helped us raise **£167.84** for the school!

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.



Please see screenshot (left). Section 2 shows the different fillings available for booking a jacket potato for your child for Term 5 & 6 via ParentPay.

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.

Year 6 SATS

A huge well done to our Year 6 pupils who have worked their socks off this week doing important tests. We are so proud of them. I am sure we will all be so pleased when we get to know their results.

Year 2 Tests

Year 2 pupils will also be doing some tests over the next couple of weeks. It is really important that your child is in school during this time, unless of course they are unwell.

BAG 2 SCHOOL

Please bring any bags of second hand clothes that you are happy to donation for BAG 2 SCHOOL into school on Wednesday 18th May. More information is on the bottom of the Friday note.

Weather

With sunny weather forecasted for next week and temperatures expected to rise up to 20 degrees. 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.

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.

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 information regarding this event is on WEDUC.

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!)



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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

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

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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BAG 2 SCHOOL
FREE FUNDRAISING FOR SCHOOLS
In partnership with your school or organisation



Westfield Primary School
Bag 2 School is a company that specialises in the reuse and recycling of good quality second-hand clothing and we have arranged to make a collection from your school. All the bags will be weighed and you will be paid for the total weight collected. Remember, the more you collect the greater the benefit to your school.



PLEASE USE YOUR OWN BAGS, OR BAG 2 SCHOOL BAGS (THERE IS NO LIMIT)



When the clothes have been removed from the bag the plastic will be packed and sent for recycling.

We are collecting good quality items for RE-USE:
Men's, ladies' & children's clothing, paired shoes, handbags, belts & accessories.
(No uniforms, workwear, pillows, duvets or pieces of fabric please)

The more we weigh the more we pay!
Extra bags are welcome - there's no limit

Please return your Bag2School on:

Wednesday 18th May 2022 by 9am

01609 780 222 | www.bag2school.com | helpdesk@bag2school.com




FREE five week online course for parents and children

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@hrcaregroup.com

Service provided by 

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES Here's what is happening in your Libraries this week

w/c May 16 2022 For any ticketed events, the link will be online via Social Media or via the blog.

Bath Central Library
Storytime Sessions, Family Fun
Tuesday 10.30 - 11.00 am 17 May
Thursday 12.00 - 12.30 pm 19 May

Art in the Library - Shane Feeney, Impressionistic Paintings of Bath Landscape
Monday - Saturday 4 - 27 May

Keynsham Library
Baby Bounce & Rhyme, Family Fun
Tuesday 9.30 - 10.00 am 17 May
10.30 - 11.00 am

Midsomer Norton Library
Baby Bounce & Rhyme, Family Fun
Monday 11.00 - 11.30 am 16 May

Storytime Sessions, Family Fun
Wednesday 10.30 - 11.00 am 18 May

Mobile Library
The Mobile Library may stop near you! Pop in for a visit, return your books, collect a reservation & choose something new to read. You can do all this & more with your B&NES or LibrariesWest library card.
For the Route Timetable, please visit: <https://beta.bathnes.gov.uk/mobile-library-service>

Digital All Social Media
Local & Community History Month
National Walking Month
Dementia Action Week, 16 - 22 May
Children's Book Review 21 May
Bathnes Libraries Blog
Unboxed Festival March - October

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Instagram @bathnes_libraries
Twitter @BathnesL
Pinterest @BathnesLibraries
Blog bathneslibraries.wordpress.com

Bath & North East Somerset Council
Improving People's Lives

Holiday Camps

Awards for all children
Presentation ceremony on the final day of the week
Parents welcome

£20 per day or £50 for all 3 days

30th, 31st MAY and 1st JUNE Monday - Wednesday 9am - 3pm each day

- Northgate Primary School, Bridgwater - Multiparts Camp
- Northgate Primary School, Bridgwater - Champions League Football Camp
- St Cuthberts Junior School, Wells - Multiparts Camp
- St Benedicts, Radslock - Multiparts Camp

Rugbytots Radstock – Open Day

This Saturday (14th May) Rugbytots Radstock are inviting local families to give rugby a try through the fun Rugbytots sessions and find out what it's all about

Girls and boys from 22 months up to 7 years can join the open day totally free of charge and there are 4 different classes available to join.

Children will have a lot of active fun, exploring the Rugbytots games, learning to play as a team, and learning coordination in passing, catching and kicking

Book here : <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/331504267187> or contact gareth@rugbytots.co.uk if the sessions are fully booked.

Location : Bath College, Somer Valley Campus, Radstock on Saturday morning