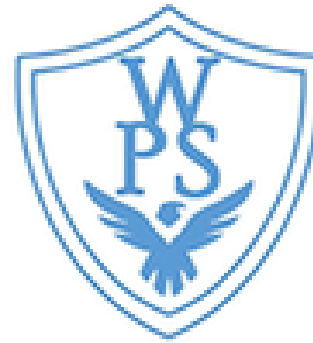


Warley Primary School

Summer Term 2 - Newsletter

June 2019



Term Dates and Diary Dates

You can now find our diary dates and term dates on our website. The office staff also provide a 2 week diary under the 'This Week' page. We will be updating our diary dates with dates for 2019-2020 in the next few weeks.

Non-Uniform

The last week of school will be non-uniform for all pupils, however, Yr 6 will need to wear their uniform for the Leavers' Assembly. This is to allow for donations of uniform that children have grown out of for a large pre-worn uniform sale to offer parents the chance to stock up on items before September. More details to follow.

Important Dates

Year 1 Phonics Check - 14/6/19
Year 2 Phonics re-check - 11/6/19

International Yoga Day - Friday 21st June 2019

We will be celebrating International Yoga Day towards the end of this month. We are very lucky to have Mrs Barclay, a qualified Yoga Teacher, on our staff. Mrs Barclay will be planning a special assembly for the children and we will be incorporating Yoga into all lessons on this day. At 2.30pm, parents, siblings and family members are invited to join us for a whole-school yoga practise on the field. It will involve some simple sun salutations, fun poses and a short relaxation. If you would like to join us for this, please meet us on the field at 2.30pm with a yoga mat or towel. You will need to wear comfortable clothing.



Gate opening and closing times and arrangements - Sept 2019

There will be a few changes to our gate procedures from September 2019. The drop-off zone will continue to operate for all year groups and will be operational from 8.40am until 8.55am.

We now have sufficient staffing to open the rear gate near the dip in the mornings. Both gates will be open from 8.40am until 8.55am. In the afternoons, parents should enter the playground via the front gate. From September 2019, the end of the school day for RECEPTION ONLY will be 3.10pm. This is to try to ease congestion in the area. For the rest of the school, the school day will end at 3.15pm. In future years, we will stagger our finishing times further to allow for the increase in pupils.

Congratulations - Year 2 and Year 6

A huge well done to Year 2 and Year 6 who completed their SATS at the end of last term. We are very proud of all children for their hard work and resilience in these tests.

Expansion/Building Work Update

The internal works to the current school building will begin in early July. This is to give the contractors sufficient time to complete all works prior to September. Any works taking place on site will be carefully risk-assessed and all builders will have DBS clearance. Areas that they are working on will be completely sealed off to children and no major works will start until after we have broken up. During this time, it will be necessary for us to set up a temporary classroom for Reception class in the old library area.



Uniform

Please ensure that children continue to wear correct school uniform as the year progresses. A reminder that all children should be wearing black formal shoes and NOT trainers. Girls may now wear blue gingham summer dresses, however these must be totally blue gingham and not the half and half white t-shirt style. If girls are to wear the culottes style summer dresses, they must be loose fitting rather than looking like a tight-fitting playsuit.

Please ensure that hairstyles for both girls and boys conform to the guidelines set out in our policy.

We have an excellent stock of pre-worn uniform which will be available to buy at a sale at the end of each half-term.



Things to look forward to this term!

FoW Summer Fete

Health and Nutrition Day

Year 6: 'It's Your Move.'

Quidditch Day

District Sports

Fathers' Day Sale

Olympic Athlete Visit

Year 5 and 6: Walton on the Naze Visit

Reception: Southend Visit

Year 6: Activities Week

Warley's Got Talent

Sports Day

Year 1 and 2: Brentwood

Explorers Walk

Year 3 and 4: Thorndon Park Visit

Reception 2019 Inductions

Musical Soiree

Class Assemblies

Pyjamarama Day

International Yoga Day

Year 5 to BCHS - Mad Hatter's Tea Party



Staffing - Sept 2019

We will be writing to you later in the year to confirm staffing for September 2019. We are pleased to be welcoming two new members of teaching staff to our team - Miss Russell and Miss Walters.