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Diary Dates

West Meon C.E. Primary School Learning together, Respecting each other

20th Sep - YR start full time

22nd Sep- Y5/6 -Dunhurst U11 Football

23rd Sep—3pm -3.30pm - Hedgehogs Parent Information Meeting

24th Sep - 9am -10am - MacMillan Coffee Morning

4th Oct - Walk to School Week

6th Oct - 3pm -Harvest Festival Assembly

8th Oct - FOWMS Donut Day

18th Oct - Late Parents Evening

20th Oct - Early Parents Evening

22nd Oct -FOWMS Halloween Disco 4pm - 5pm Village Hall

25th - 29th Oct -Half Term

Welcome Year R



A warm welcome to all our YR children, and not forgetting our new children who have joined us.

Everyone has settled down incredibly well.

Outdoor Learning

The weather this month has been perfect for some outdoor learning. Owls visited the Nature Station early on this month and Foxes studied insects and their habitats on the field. Hedgehogs will be visiting the Nature Station soon.



House Captains

Congratulations to the Y6's who put themselves forward to be captains. Everyone who wanted a responsibility has been successful. School Council elections next week!

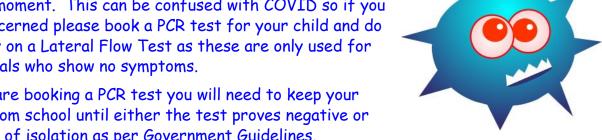
Parking



It's the start of a new school year and parking has once again become somewhat of a problem. Can we respectfully remind all our parents who drive their children to and from school to park at the Village Hall and walk down/up with their child. As you can appreciate the road leading to school is very narrow and parking near or at the school

could cause a delay to any emergency services who would have to access Church Lane.

There appears to be a spate of heavy colds doing the rounds at the moment. This can be confused with COVID so if you are concerned please book a PCR test for your child and do not rely on a Lateral Flow Test as these are only used for individuals who show no symptoms.



If you are booking a PCR test you will need to keep your child from school until either the test proves negative or the end of isolation as per Government Guidelines.



Have you changed your address or phone number? Please don't forget to let the school office know so that we can update our details.

Times have been hard for some people during COVID and we understand. If you are on Universal Credit you can apply for Pupil Premium. If you are successful then you will be eligible to receive help toward the cost of school meals, trips and music/sport.

You can apply for this via the Gov. Uk website at

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/free-school-meals-and-pupil-premiumregistration-form





Our Years 5 & 6 were sent home with a letter yesterday regarding an U11 Football Match at Dunhurst on Wednesday 22nd September from 2pm - 4pm.

If you child is taking part please remember football boots, shin pads, coats and most importantly a water bottle. We will supply the kit. Pick up will be at the school from 4.30pm.

Hedgehogs Parent Information Meeting is on Thursday 23rd September at 3pm - 3.30pm.





FOWMS are holding a Macmillan Coffee Morning at the school on Friday 24th September from 9am - 10am. Please come along to support this worthy cause and if you can bake a cake all the better!

And finally





Is anyone interested in taking the units pictured in return for a small donation to the school? If you are, contact the school office. You would need to arrange pick up as we are unable to deliver these.