



School Celebration Awards

Friday is our 6th WPS birthday and we have a range of activities taking place in school this week. Our Back to School Celebration Awards take place on Friday and children from each phase will attend a special assembly on Friday morning. Awards will be made in the following areas:

- Attendance Award
- Best Start in Reading Award
- Best Start in Maths Award
- Celebration Citizenship Award
- Celebration Art Award
- Celebration Award in Computing
- Celebration Playtime Award
- Celebration Lunchtime Award
- Phase Award X2



We will let you know our winners in the next newsletter. Don't forget we are proud of all our WPS Children for having such a positive return to school. Well done.

Homework Timetable 2017-2018

The are no changes to our homework timetable for this school year. Children from years 1 to 5 share the same homework timetable. Children from Year 6 have a separate timetable that will support them as they move towards secondary school.

| Year Groups | Homework/Day |
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| Year 1 to Year 5 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Home reading is on-going, children can change their reading books on a daily basis as required. • Please ensure your child returns their reading book at least once a week. • Friday – Children will bring home English and Maths homework as well as their spellings. • Homework should be returned on the following Thursday. • Children will have their spelling test on Thursday. |
| Year 6 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Home reading is on-going, children can change their reading books on a daily basis as required. • Monday – Children will be given spellings, their spelling test will be on Friday. • Tuesday – Maths Homework to be returned for the following Tuesday • Wednesday – English Homework to be returned for the following Wednesday. |



Woolton Primary School Newsletter

| Dates | Event/Activity |
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| 25/09/17 | School Council Elections |
| 28/09/17 | Snakes 'n' Dragons animal visit workshop |
| 29/09/17 | Back to School Celebration Awards 2017 |
| 29/09/17 | WPS 6 th Birthday Celebrations–Information to follow |
| 19/10/17 | Anti-Bullying and Online Safety Day One – Whole School |
| 19/10/17 | Individual and Family Photograph Day |
| 20/10/17 | School finishes for Half-Term Break |
| 30/10/17 | Teacher Training Day 3 School closed |
| 31/10/17 | School returns following the Half-Term Break |
| 9/11/17 | WPS Values Day One – Whole School – Excellence |
| 16/11/17 | Parents Evening One |
| 21/11/17 | Reception 2018-2019 Intake Open Evening |
| 7/12/17 | Anti-Bullying and Online Safety Day Two – Whole School |
| 08/12/17 | Christmas Pantomime – Aladdin |
| 19/12/17 | Y1 & Y2 Cinema Trip |
| 20/12/17 | Y3 & Y4 Cinema Trip |
| 21/12/17 | School finishes for the Christmas Break |
| 8/01/18 | Teacher Training Day 4 Children not in School |
| 9/01/18 | Children return to school following the Christmas Break |

Celebration Attendance Rewards

The Book People bus will be joining us on Friday morning. All 69 children who achieved 100% attendance last year will be able to choose a book to celebrate their achievement.

We are also saying well done to all our children for working so hard to achieve good attendance across the school. Well done!

Visitors to school

We welcomed two sets of visitors to school last week when teachers from across the city joined us to learn about developing reading and writing skills for children.

Well done to the following Y6 children who were watched taking part in three Reading lessons on Wednesday and demonstrated just how wonderful our children are they were Bella T, Will H, India MJ, Will K, Aimee G and William D Here are some comments they made:

"I had a wonderful time at WPS. All the children were very polite. They work very hard".

"Amazing, inspirational staff. Gorgeous learning environment . Made to feel welcome – greeting from children and reception staff in the office was lovely".

Well done to the Y6 children who worked hard taking part in three Reading lessons and on Wednesday and Friday demonstrated just how wonderful our children are.

Weekly Attendance Update week Starting Wednesday 18th September

Our attendance target for this school year is 97.0%. Our attendance last week was 97.0%

Please help us to achieve our target by ensuring your child is in school everyday. Well done to classes RR, RL, RE, 1BM, 1C, 2H, 2R, 3R, 3H, 4S, 5D, 6M, 6D who achieved our target.

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| | RR | RL | RE | 1BM | 1C | 1J | 2H | 2R | 2E | | | |
| % | 100% | 97.3% | 99.0% | 98.7% | 98.6% | 94.3% | 100% | 99.3% | 96.7% | | | |
| Class | 3R | 3L | 3H | 4S | 4G | 4M | 5Mc | 5D | 5U | 6M | 6D | 6B |
| % | 98.5% | 94.6% | 97.3% | 98.5% | 95.3% | 95.0% | 87.3% | 97.1% | 96.3% | 98.7% | 98.6% | 95.0% |