

# DIARY DATES

(ALL DATES SUBJECT TO CHANGE)



**WB: Mon 10 Sept**  
All Week

Mon 10 Sept  
Tues 11 Sept

Friday 14 Sept

## Lunch Menu = Week 2

Nursery staggered intake  
Reception in school full time  
1.00 pm Parenting Course in Community Room  
9.15 am Triple P course in Community Room  
11.00 am Swimming starts for 4M, 5H and 5W  
8.45 am Wake up Shake up

**WB: Mon 17 Sept**  
All Week

Mon 17 Sept  
Tues 18 Sept  
Wed 19 Sept  
Thurs 20 Sept

## Lunch Menu = Week 3

Nursery staggered intake  
1.00 pm Parenting Course in Community Room  
9.00 am Triple P course in Community Room  
8.45 am Wake up Shake up  
2.30 pm Zahida Hussain Assembly (Infants)  
3.00 pm Zahida Hussain Assembly (Juniors)

### School Uniform

- Plain grey or black trousers, skirt or pinafore
- Plain grey, black or navy blue hijab
- White shirt, blouse or polo shirt
- Navy blue cardigan or jumper
- Plain grey, black or white socks/tights
- Plain grey, black, navy blue or white hijab

### PE Kit

- Plain black or navy blue shorts or jogging bottoms
- Plain white T-shirt or house colour T-shirt

Please do not send your child with a football shirt or T-shirts with a logo on them.

### Other School Closures 2018—2019

Half Term Holiday Monday 29 October to 2 November 2018

Christmas Holiday

Monday 24 December 2018 to Friday 4 January 2019

Teacher Training Day

Monday 7 January 2019



# WELFORD NEWS

7 September to 21 September 2018



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## From Mrs Foster ...

Dear Parents/Carers,  
I hope all members of Team Welford and our Welford Community have enjoyed family fun over the summer holidays?

As usual it has been very busy in school and I would like to thank all staff who were involved in preparing the school for the new Academic Year.

The school is looking, bright, inviting and ready to engage children.

It was lovely to see so many children returning to school smiling, smart, ready to learn and eager to get into classrooms to meet staff and catch up with friends. We look forward to welcoming children into Nursery over the next couple of weeks. In the first 3 days the children have been looking at expectations, positive behaviours and introduced to their new topics. Our curriculum programmes begins next week and the school website will be updated with information for you over the next couple of weeks. We will also be planning for Parent Workshops and sharing relevant information with you. Please let us know if there is any additional information that you would find useful to have on the website.

It's great to see children looking so smart in their uniforms. I am hoping that this is the year when PE Kits are consistently in school for lessons. Please see the information about Uniform and PE Kits and expectations across the page. For more detailed information please look at our Uniform Policy on the school's website.

It would be great if every child's clothes were labelled, believe it or not we already have some items in Lost Property as clothing items aren't named! It would also be fabulous if this was the year where Persistent Absence improved so that children are in school every day, on time and ready to learn. If you have a child in Year 6, please read information regarding the Secondary School application process. If you have any queries, or require assistance completing the application form, please contact the school. Thank you so much for all the positive conversations this week, with everyone working together we will be the Best School we Can Possibly Be. Here's to a fabulous new Academic Year.

Mrs C. Foster

## MEDICATION IN SCHOOL



Does your child need regular medication? If your child needs regular medication please ensure that the school is fully informed and that any appropriate prescribed medication is also kept at school.

It is very important that you inform the school if you know that your child has an allergy. We keep this information on file in case of an emergency.

Children do not need to be absent from school for allergies if they are properly managed.

## Lending Library—starting in October

After School Sessions  
Tuesdays 3.40 pm to 4.00 pm



## YEAR 4/5 SWIMMING LESSONS

Class 4M, 5H and 5W will have swimming lessons this term at Handsworth Leisure Centre. Every child is expected to take part unless there is a medical reason for them not to do so. A doctors note is required if this should be the case.



Swimming lessons will take place every Tuesday, starting on 11 September 2018.

4M will take part in Session 1 (11:00am – 11:30am)

5H and 5W will take part in Session 2 (11:30am – 12:00pm)

Your child will need to bring a swimming costume / trunks and a towel.

## Promoting Positive Parenting Course

Birmingham City Council are running a FREE 8 week parenting course @ Welford starting 9.15am on Tuesday 11 September in the Community Room. If you would like help and support with parenting issues and wish to be considered for a place please contact Sarah ASAP as there are only 2 spaces left.

Remember there is always lots of information on the school website :  
[www.welford.bham.sch.uk](http://www.welford.bham.sch.uk)

## Secondary Transfer 2019

Children in current year 6 will be able to apply for secondary school places online. Secondary Schools prospectus will be available from 3 September 2018 and all applications will be processed on-line. YOU WILL NOT RECEIVE A PAPER APPLICATION FORM. Now is the time to start looking at secondary schools via websites and enquiring about their open days.

Applications must be completed on-line by 31 October 2018.

<https://www.birmingham.gov.uk/schools> and learning/apply for a school place  
*If you need any help or support with your application form, please contact the school office*

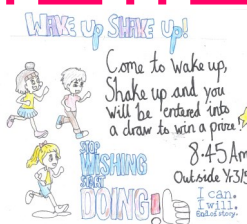
## King Edward's Boys School Edgbaston (Grammar School)

Open Morning on Saturday 15 September from 10.00 am to 12.30 pm.

Leaflets and information are available from the school office.

[www.kes.org.uk/admissions](http://www.kes.org.uk/admissions)

Tel: 0121 415 6056



## Wake up Shake up

Miss Fortner's Eco Team

The Healthy Hunters

Wake Up Shake Up

**Every Friday at 8.45 am**

## Dinner Money

Dinner Money is now £2.30 per day  
£11.50 per week. Please pay on  
Monday with the correct amount in an  
envelope with your child's  
name, class and  
amount enclosed  
written on the front.



## Contact Telephone numbers

Have you changed your mobile number or landline number? Please inform the school office so that we are able to contact you when necessary.

## SARAH'S COMMUNITY CORNER

*A big warm welcome to all Welford parents and remind you that we have a parent coffee morning every Friday in the Community Room (entrance Broughton Rd) @ 9.00 am.*

*I look forward to seeing some new faces.*

*Sarah*