

# Tune in on Tuesday

Wheelwright Lane Primary School Newsletter  
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## Diary Dates


Diary dates for the Autumn Term are shown below and will be included and updated on every newsletter.

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|--|---|
| Monday 12.10.2020<br><i>Change of date</i>   | Proposed Parents' Evening via TEAMS 3.30-6.00 |
| Thursday 15.10.2020<br><i>Change of date</i> | Proposed Parents' Evening via TEAMS 4.30-7.00 |
| 22.10.2020 (Thursday)                        | School finishes 3.15                          |
| 23.10.2020 (Friday)                          | <b>INSET Training Day - children not in</b>   |
| w.c. 26.10.2020                              | Half term begins                              |
| 02.11.2020 (Mon)                             | Children return                               |

INSET Day Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October

INSET Day Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2021

## Attendance

|          |          |   |
|----------|----------|---|
| YR 94.5% | Y4 96.1% | Winner's this week are <br>Y3 with 100%<br><b>Well Done!</b> |
| Y1 98.5% | Y5 98.7% |   |
| Y2 96.2% | Y6 95.2% |   |

Attendance for week commencing 5<sup>th</sup> October overall was 97%. Very Good Attendance achieved.

## Parents' Evenings

We had a very successful Parents' Evening last night. Thank you to all parents/carers who logged on at the right time - it went smoothly. Just a few technical issues but they were rectified within minutes so thank you to Mrs Frith who stepped in to support parents when needed. If we missed you then we will make a further appointment so don't worry we will contact you to arrange a further date.

## Extra-curricular activities

Activities start the week Monday 9<sup>th</sup> September

|           |                   |           |              |
|-----------|-------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Monday    |                   |           |              |
| Tuesday   | Running club      | Yr3 & Yr4 | 12.30-1.00   |
|           | Multi-skills      | Y3 & Y4   | 3.15-4.15    |
| Wednesday | Rounders          | Y5 & Y6   | 12.30 - 1.00 |
|           | Multi-skills      | Y1 & Y2   | 3.15-4.15    |
| Friday    | Penalty Shoot-out | KS2       | 12.30-1.00   |
|           | Dance Club        | Yr1 & Yr2 | 3.00-3.45    |

## Applying for Secondary School

The deadline for applying for Secondary School placements is 31<sup>st</sup> October. Please make sure you have applied online at <http://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/admissions>

## Absence due to Medical reasons

Just a reminder that if children are ill (not due to Coronavirus or advised to stay off due to close contact with Coronavirus) then we still require proof of illness after 3 days. If a child is ill for 3 days then they will normally be seen by a G.P. and be prescribed medicine. Please take a picture of the medicine and forward to the school office [admin2021@welearn365.com](mailto:admin2021@welearn365.com)

It is our safeguarding duty to ensure that children are seen during this time and that

they are not being kept away from school for another reason.

## Children accessing Covid19 tests

If you have taken your child for a Covid 19 test you must wait for the result before bringing your child back in to school. Your child may have recovered quickly and in your opinion look well but you must wait for the test result to be sure.

## Wearing facemasks

A reminder regarding the recent guidance from the government and echoed by the Local Authority to request that adults wear facemasks while on school site if you are able to do so. This is advisory at the moment - see attached poster.

**ATTACH**

## Outdoor clothing

**Please make sure your child comes to school with a suitable outdoor coat, preferably waterproof. KS2 children will need their tracksuits for sports and may be outside in the rain and cold accessing sports. They may need their waterproof too.**

## Applying for Reception

Please make sure you have applied for your child's Reception place for September 2021 by 15<sup>th</sup> January 2021. For Warwickshire schools use the following website.

<https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/applying-school-place-reception/apply-school-place-reception/1>

For Coventry schools use the following website:

[https://www.coventry.gov.uk/info/148/school\\_admissions/114/primary\\_school\\_admissions/2](https://www.coventry.gov.uk/info/148/school_admissions/114/primary_school_admissions/2)

## Hybrid Learning

We will continue to use TEAMS for our on-line learning. As you are aware over the coming months children will be in and out of school either isolating with their families or because they are part of a bubble that has a positive Covid-19 member. We want to make sure that their learning continues on-line if they are at home. Teachers from Yr 3 to Yr6 will be uploading Maths and English assignments that children can work on if they are at home. These will be uploaded from 9.00 to 3.00 daily in line with the school day. Yr 1 and Yr2 children will also access this once their teachers have introduced this to parents on Parents' Evening.

## Contacting School

The numbers of Coronavirus infections have increased all around the country and many schools in the local area have sent bubbles home due to positive cases. On many occasions parents are given the information of a positive case when the school is closed - this causes delay to the track and trace system.

The school has a new out-of-hours phone that parents can contact after 6 o'clock at night and early in the morning to be used for reporting a positive coronavirus test.

If you are advised that someone in your household has tested positive and it is out of hours then please call this number: 07704064023.

## Can you offer some help to clean up Ash Green?

Some of our families are volunteering to help keep Ash Green litter free and tidy. If you can offer some support then contact the group on Facebook -Ash Green pick it up gang - they would love to hear from you.

Please also look at the website for children to find out about how they can look after their environment, please click on the link below.

<https://www.backyardnature.org/eco-emeralds/>