

Wheelwright Lane News

28th June 2023



Headteacher Message

The summer term is a busy time in school and we are now beginning to make preparations for our in school transitions. Our Jigsaw program for Personal, Social, Health Education (PSHE) this half term will be discussing changes, including moving to new year groups and schools. Our children will all have the opportunity on 10th July to spend time in their new classes and meet their new teachers. Your child will also come home with a transition passport which has information about their new classrooms.

Year 6 Performance

Our year 6 pupils have been busy learning their lines for their end of primary school performance. This year they will be performing their own version of Macbeth. We would like to invite all of our year 6 parents to attend the performance and celebrate their child's primary school years before moving on to secondary school. There will be an opportunity to have tea and cake after the performance so please do join us. Save the date for Thursday 20th July. Time TBC.



Dress to Express!

Today our pupils came to school dressed to express. It was a fantastic day where children had the opportunities to share information about their interests, hobbies, culture, faith and personalities. All the staff have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know more about our pupils at Wheelwright Lane. Today has linked really well with our British Values work this year and the children have been encouraged to ask sensible questions about other children's clothes, showing respect for others.

Teacher Strike Days

Strike Days

Two strike days have been announced and will take place on Wednesday 5th July and Friday 7th July. As it stands our school will remain open during this time. If there are any changes to this you will be notified.

Attendance

We will be sending out our end of year breakdown of attendance in the coming weeks. This will provide details about our attendance figures over the year.

Please take time to read this as good attendance is important.

Last week of our attendance was 94%.

This is below our expected standard of 96%



Bikeability

The children in year 5 and 6 have had the opportunity to join the Bikeability workshop this week. They have had a great time learning all about safety on their bike. They practiced a number of key skills safely on our playground before having the opportunity to ride around the local area putting their skills and knowledge to the test. We have had a brilliant team of Bikeability staff to lead these sessions and have received really positive feedback about our pupils.

Date	Year	Event Details
Monday 19 TH June	Nursery	New Reception pupils parent meeting
Tuesday 4 th July	Year 2	Trip to Warwick Castle
Wednesday 5 th July	Year 1	Trip to a Mosque in Coventry
Monday 10th July	ALL	Transition Day for all year groups
Wednesday 12 th July	ALL	Roots to Branches
Wednesday 12 th July	5	Warwickshire Sing Event. Parent Collection
Tuesday 18 th July	ALL	Sports Day AM time TBC
Thursday 20 th July	ALL	Sports Day AM (reserve day in case of weather cancellation)
Thursday 20 th July	6	Year 6 performance to parents. Time TBA
Tuesday 25 th July	ALL	Break Up for Summer 2:15pm.
Tuesday 5 th September	ALL	Pupils return to school 8:45am

Class Attendance

Reception	89%
Year 1	96%
Year 2	98%
Year 3	84%
Year 4	81%
Year 5	95%
Year 6	90%

Well done to year 1 and year 2 who have achieved at least 96% attendance and won the school trophy.

Diary Dates

Learning Behaviours Assembly

Year 1

Eva and Theo have been showing collaborative behaviours this week, measuring the circumference of their heads to make wigs. What great fun they had!



Year 2

James and William showed excellent collaboration this week by measuring their arm span and height. They were such super role models to the rest of the class. Great work boys!



Year 3

Amelia and Freya have been determined learners this week. They have been developing fluency and expression when reading aloud. Keep up the good effort girls!



Year 4

Frank and Archie have shown incredible determination in basketball. They are now in the top 20 out of 450 pupils who have participated in Hot Shots basketball this year. Amazing !

Year 5

Alfie and Jamie have shown bravery this week. Alfie is a talent artist creating his own comics and Jamie supported Alfie to act out part of the comic with Alfie and Mrs Hitchins. Brave work boys!



Year 6

Ava and Bailie have shown resilience in maths. Mr Trew has been setting some maths challenges and the girls have been showing that they can really stick at it and bounce back!



Best Wishes

Miss Rutherford

Headteacher.



Be Kind, Be Safe, Be Fair