



Weekly Newsletter

Living to Learn, Learning to Live



28.04.23

REACH FOR THE STARS

KEY DATES

01.05.23 - May Day Bank Holiday (School closed)

02.05.23 - 2MB Pizza Express Trip

02.05.23 - NEU Strike Day. School closed to Nursery, 3OK, 4EB, 4CL, 5LG, 5MC and 6KJ. All other classes in school

03.05.23 - Y5 PGL Residential

04.05.23 - Polling Day. School closed to Nursery-Y5; Y6 to attend school 8:45am-1:00pm

08.05.23 - Coronation Bank Holiday (School closed)

09.05.23 - 12.05.23 - Y6 SATs Week

15.05.23 - 19.05.23 - Y2 SATs Week

19.05.23 - Finish for half term at 3:15pm

05.06.23 - School reopens for Summer Term 2 at 8:45am

Cooperate



Dear Parents and Carers

We've had a very busy week in school!

The children have been working very hard and ensuring they focus on our current value of co-operation. It has been lovely to see them work so well together this week in lesson observations - they support each other so well!

Next week, there are a few events which mean we are closed to different classes on different days:

Monday - school closed to ALL PUPILS (Bank Holiday)

Tuesday - school closed to Nursery, 3OK, Y4, Y5 and 6KJ. All other classes MUST attend school

Wednesday - school open to ALL PUPILS

Thursday - school closed to Nursery—Y5. Y6 to attend school 8:45am-1:00pm (Polling Day)

Friday - school open to ALL PUPILS

Please follow us on Twitter

Whole-school page - @WellesbourneSch

Nursery - @WellesbourneNur

Y1 - @WellesbourneYr1

Y3 - @WellesbourneYr3

Y5 - @WellesbourneYr5

Reception - @WellesbourneRec

Y2 - @WellesYear2

Y4 - @WellesbourneYr4

Y6 - @Yr6Wellesbourne

Have a lovely weekend!

Effort



THIS WEEK IN PSHE

In PSHE this week, we have continued to focus on health and wellbeing. The children have been learning about how we create healthy habits and breaking bad habits.

In assembly, we focused on two really important events which happened last week - Eid (21/04/23 and St George's Day (23/04/23). Ask your child what they learnt about these two important dates in our calendar!



Year 1 Phonics

This week, Year 1 have been revising the Phase 5 consonant digraphs (sounds consisting of two letters) 'ph' and 'wh'.

'ph': phone, elephant, alphabet, phonics
'wh': whisk, when, which, what

Can you read these alien words containing our focus sounds?

Whiss, groph, phim, whob, kiph, whut

Look for these sounds in your home reader!

ATTENDANCE is one of our school values

As a school we are striving to achieve at least **97% attendance** each week. Attendance this week has improved Tuesday-Friday, but was very low on Monday. Please ensure your child is in school, on time, every day. We cannot teach them if they are not here!

YEAR TO DATE - 92.1%

Monday - 95.0%

Tuesday - 94.4%

Wednesday - 92.8%

Thursday - 84.6% (This does not include classes which were closed due to teachers striking)

Friday - 90.7%

Well done to 3OK who are our best class attenders this week and have won Champions Breakfast!

Attend





Honest

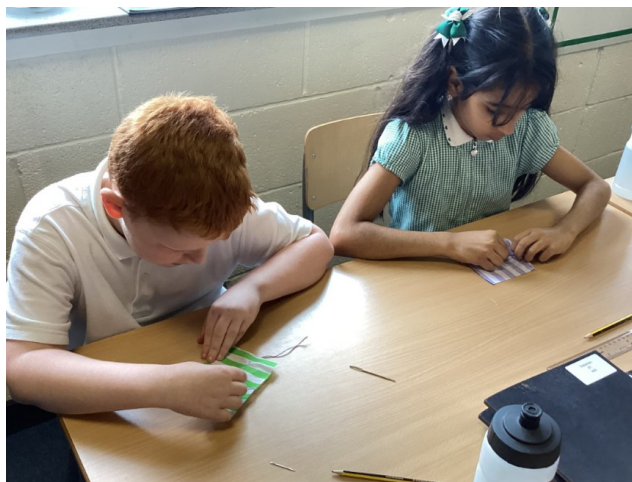


CURRICULUM CORNER

This Week's Subject: Design Technology (DT)

As part of our DT curriculum, children have the opportunity to research, practise skills, plan and make a range of products meeting the requirements of a design brief. They then reflect on this learning to evaluate their project and consider changes they may make in the future.

Throughout school, pupils develop skills working with textiles. This is introduced in the Early Years where children will practise threading as an early introduction to sewing skills as well as developing fine motor skills. Over time, children learn new techniques and practise different sewing stitches. This half term, Year 4 are working to produce a textile cover for their reading books. Children worked hard this week to revisit stitches they have used previously. Moving forward, pupils will decide how best to make their product choosing appropriate methods and resources. Keep an eye on our Twitter accounts to see more of our wonderful learning.



Helping Your Child With Maths

Adult Education are running a FREE course at Wellesbourne school to help parents/carers understand how Maths is taught to their child in school so that they can offer support at home. The course will start on Friday 9th June and run every Friday 9am-11am for six weeks. If you would like to sign up for this course, please contact the school office.



TTRS AND NUMBOTS WINNERS THIS WEEK

TTRS

Most correct answers: Maisie B Y4 - 513

Most coins: Jason R Y4 - 2,968

Improved speed: Lola B Y5 - Improved by 0.23 seconds

Fastest all-time speed: Luca E Y4 - 0.78 seconds

Numbots

Most minutes played: Iris G Y2 - 52 minutes

Correct answers: Gracie B Y6 - 375

Most coins: Gracie B Y6 - 2,388

Respect



NUMBOTS

Reading Recommendation

This week our reading recommendation comes from 4EB!

Ammar recommends *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows* by JK Rowling.

He said; "I like this book because it is very well-written. Some characters are interesting, some are smart and some are good or evil. I recommend this book because it has adventures and I like adventures."

Be sure to read the full series, pictured below!

