



Weekly Newsletter

Living to Learn, Learning to Live



REACH FOR THE STARS

16.10.2026

KEY DATES

19.10.26 - Smile Squad

W/C 19.10.26 - Y1, 2 and 5
Stay, Play and Learn

23.10.26 3:15pm - Finish
for half term

02.11.26 - Return to
school for Autumn 2

W/C 02.11.26 - Y3, 4 and 6
Stay, Play and Learn

W/C 16.11.26 - Parents
Evening Week

W/C 23.11.26 - Y2-6
Assessment Week

25.11.26 - Nursery and
Reception Open Day

30.11.26 - KS2 Trip to
Theatre Royal

W/C 07.12.26 - Christmas
Performances

11.12.26 - Rocksteady
Concert

16.12.26 - Christmas Fair

17.12.26 - Christmas
Parties

18.12.26 2pm - Finish for
Christmas

Hello Parents and Carers!

Yesterday we held our school discos! The children had a brilliant time dancing with their friends (and stocking up at the tuck shop!) and their outfits were absolutely fantastic! Behaviour at the discos was really good, and it was a pleasure to see the children enjoying themselves so much. We hope they all came home talking about what a great time they'd had!

This week in school, we have also held our first Stay, Play and Learn event of the year. Reception parents attended to learn all about their child's first year in school and to find out how to help their child with learning to read. They had lots of fun practising their sounds with their child and building reading dens! We look forward to welcoming Y1, 2 and 5 parents next week, and Y3, 4 and 6 in the first week back after half term.

We ask that parents do not bring prams and younger children as we are very limited on space at these events. Dates are as follows:

Wednesday 21st October - 2PP 9:15am, 1GA 2:15pm

Thursday 22nd October - 2MB 9:15am, 1GG 2:15pm

Friday 23rd October - 5LG 9:15am, 5CL 2:15pm

Tuesday 3rd November - 4CY 9:15am, 3OK 2:15pm

Wednesday 4th November - 6HG 9:15am, 3EB 2:15pm

Thursday 5th November - 6KJ 9:15am, 4CM 2:15pm

Have a lovely weekend!

Miss Howard

Effort



Cooperate



THIS WEEK IN ASSEMBLY

This week in KS1 Assembly, we were lucky enough to have Bully Busters come in and speak to us! Enola talked to the children about how we have superpowers to help us to stay safe and know how to deal with conflict before bullying is allowed to happen. We talked about the three superpowers - Be Kind, Be Brave, Speak Out. The children were brilliant at giving examples of how they could show these powers! In KS2 Assembly, we were visited by our friends from Christ Church who spoke to us about role models. The children were very good at identifying what characteristics a good role model might have and could talk about following people for the right reasons rather than the wrong ones.

Year One Phonics

This week in Phonics

This week, Year 1 have been revising the following Phase Three sounds:

'ure': sure, pure, cure

'er': winter, dinner, ladder

'ow': snow, crow, grow

We have also looked at the trickier-to-read-and-spell words 'all', 'tall', 'ball' and 'call'.

Can you read this sentence?

The tall crow had dinner in the pure snow in winter.

Look out for **these sounds and words** in your reading books!

ATTENDANCE is one of our school values

As a school we are striving to achieve at least 97% attendance each week. This week we have only had one day over 97%.

OVERALL - 94.8%

Monday - **95.0%**

Tuesday - **95.6%**

Wednesday - **96.9%**

Thursday - **97.0%**

Friday - **92.6%**

Well done to 2PP, 3EB, 3OK, 4CM, 5LG and 6HG who achieved over 97% attendance this week! 2PP and 3OK were the highest again - a big well done to these classes! You will receive Champions Breakfast next week.

Attend

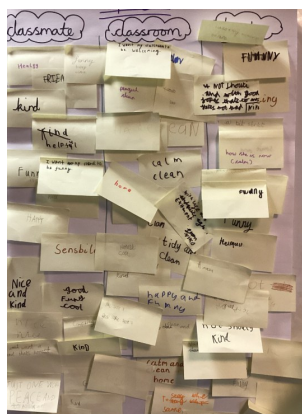


PSHE

At Wellesbourne, we deliver a PSHE curriculum which is accessible to all and will maximise outcomes for every child. PSHE is embedded in all that we do to enable our children to become independent, responsible, healthy and confident members of society. The PSHE curriculum has been built to support the development of the whole child, by helping them to understand how they are developing personally and socially as well as promoting their mental and physical wellbeing. Each term, our PSHE lessons have a different focus - 'Relationships' in Autumn, 'Living in the Wider World' in Spring and 'Health and Wellbeing' in Summer. We provide our children with opportunities to learn about rights and responsibilities and appreciate what it means to be a member of a diverse society.

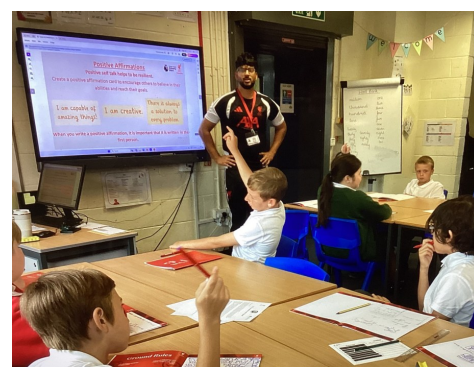


Year 2 have been discussing feelings and ways in which we can express our feelings. They loved reading 'The Worry Monster' to help them to really understand their feelings.



Year 4 have been thinking about relationships in school. They thought about what kind of pupils they would like in their class, what kind of teacher and what the atmosphere in their classroom should be like.

Year 6 have been working with the LFC Foundation in PSHE this half term. They have been exploring resilience and ways in which we can show this.

TTRS AND NUMBOTS WINNERS THIS WEEKTTRS

Most correct answers: James C Y4 - 28,914

Most coins: James C Y4 - 169,130

Improved speed: Ayaan K Y4 - Improved by 1.16 seconds

Fastest current studio speed: Luke S Y5 - 0.4 seconds

Numbots

Most minutes played: Lincoln R Y1 - 31 minutes

Correct answers: Lincoln R Y1 - 798

Most coins: Lincoln R Y1 - 6,527



NUMBOTS

CURRENTLY READING...

In school, every class dedicates 15 minutes a day to reading for pleasure from a carefully-crafted reading spine. This allows children to explore new worlds, builds imagination and develop a lifelong love for books!

This week's recommendation comes from RSR!

RSR recommend the series of 'Oi!' books by Kes Gray and Jim Field.

RSR say, "We couldn't choose just one of the 'Oi!' books because we love them all! We recommend them because they rhyme and they're good to learn to read aloud from memory. They have so many rhyming words in!"

