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Dear Parents and Carers.

What a chaotic week weatherwise, more snow than we anticipated for Wallasey! However, I am sure the children had a wonderful day sledging and playing in the snow on Tuesday. They came back in full of excitement.

At school, we are aware that the timings of our decisions to close school are critical for you to make arrangements. Following a heavy overnight snowfall, we always try and make the judgement on school closure/changes as early as

possible in the morning and will inform you via Arbor email, twitter and on the website. If there is heavy snowfall during the day we will always keep you updated on our plans, again via Arbor email. Whatever the time of day, please be assured that the decision to close school or adjust our timings and procedures is taken after considering many factors, particularly the health and safety of our children and staff, and is not taken lightly.

Thank you for your support and co-operation this week, it has been much appreciated. Hopefully, that's the end of the snow!



Coffee and a Chat

We would like to take this opportunity to invite you to this term's coffee and chat session on Friday 26th January 2024 between 9:00am and 10:00am. This is a great chance to meet other parents, chat to our leadership team and discuss anything you would like to, even if it is not school related! It's good to talk! There will be a selection of drinks and biscuits available. Please complete the form if you would like to attend. https://forms.gle/oqfMC1BabTYALma47

World Religion Day

It is World Religion Day on Sunday 21st January.

World Religion Day takes place each January, aiming to promote understanding and peace between all religions as well as mutual understanding and tolerance between peoples from different backgrounds.

In school, the children will be exploring universal values through stories from a variety of faiths, cultures and world views. Children in F2 will be looking at **kindness**, Year 1/2 **teamwork**, Y3/4 **diversity** and year 5/6 **mutual respect**. Keep an eye on Twitter to see what they get up to!

Diary Dates 2024 Please check frequently for updates.

In-house Clubs - For morning clubs your child will be collected from the main pedestrian gate at 8:15am by the staff member running the club. Please remain with your child until they arrive. For after school clubs, the children will be released to an adult at the pedestrian gate. This will either be 3:45pm or 4:15pm depending on the club.

January 2024		
24.01.24	F2 Superhero dress up day	
26.01.24	Parent's Coffee and a Chat – see above	
February 2024		
01.02.24	Y3/4 Roman Workshop	
02.02.24	F2 Parent maths workshop	
9.02.24	F2 wear red for Chinese New Year	
w/c 12.02.24	Y5 Bikeability	
16.02.24	F2/Y6 walk around local area - mapping	
16.02.24	Break up for half term	
26.02.24	Term Begins for all	
March 2024		

01.03.24	Y6-7 Allocation Day	
w/c 11.03.24	POOC Assemblies	
20.03.24/21.03.24	Parents' Meetings	
28.3.24	End of Spring Term	
April 2024		
15.04.24	Summer Term begins for all	
May 2024		
7/8.5.23	Y4 Residential Barnstondale	
w/c 13.05.24	Y6 SATs	
16.05.24	Summer Census Lunch	
20.05.24	Class Photographs	
w/c 20.05.24	Y6 Bikeability	
24.05.24	Half Term	
June 2024		
03.06.24	Term begins for all	
w/c 03.06.24	Y4 times tables check	
w/c 10.06.23	Y1 Phonics Screening check	
24.06.24	Y6 Residential	
July 2024		
03.07.24	INDUCTION Day	
w/c 8.7/15.7.24	Transition meetings for parents dates tbs	
19.07.24	End of term for children	
	SDD4/5 22.7.24 and 23.7.24	

General Reminders

- Keep personal belongings brought into school to a minimum. We do not have the space to accommodate large bags.
- Wear PE kit on PE days. NO FOOTBALL KITS OR FASHIONWEAR PLEASE
- Bring a labelled water bottle daily (no juice please).
- Please ensure all clothing is labelled so that misplaced items can be returned to their owner.
- Please check Arbor, ParentPay and the website frequently for important updates.
- School Streets is in operation from 8:30am-9:30am and 2:30pm-3:30pm daily. During these times, only pedestrians, cyclists or motorists with an exemption should enter Greenleas Close.
- Registration is at 8:55am, children can arrive between 8:45am and 8:55am.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Take care and enjoy the weekend.

Warmest Wishes Mrs Sharon Edwards Headteacher