



Be nice, work hard, never give up

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Another week has flown by and February has arrived! Only 2 weeks left until the half term break, lighter nights and Spring on the horizon ... lots to look forward to!

### Safer Internet Day 2024

Safer Internet Day will take place on the 6<sup>th</sup> February 2024, with celebrations and learning based around the theme '**Inspiring change? Making a difference, managing influence and navigating change online**'.

During the week, the children will take part in various tasks relating to online safety using the computer resources we have in school.

Safer Internet Day is also a great opportunity to focus on online safety with your child/ren at home. Why not ask them for their top tips for staying safe online – always a good conversation starter or perhaps use their favourite app or game with them.

Attached below is a website link which includes useful information for parents and carers.

<https://saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/safer-internet-day-2024/top-tips-for-parents-and-carers>

### Family Toolbox

A quick reminder about this fabulous resource. It is a free online hub for Wirral families. It's full of video's, tips and ideas to support you and includes:

- Tried and tested tips on parenting, well being and life as a family.
- Signposting to people and places who can give you support
- Events, clubs etc.. for you and your family.

It is accessible on Facebook, Instagram and <https://familytoolbox.co.uk/>

### General Reminders

**School Streets** – A small number of cars are still entering the Close during restricted times. No vehicles should enter Greenleas Close from 8:30am-9:30am and 2:30pm-3:30pm, unless exempt. Please tell relatives or friends who may do drop off too. As mentioned previously, officers from Merseyside police will be in attendance over the coming weeks to assess levels of compliance and engage with families accessing the school. Whilst enforcement is not the desired outcome of this, a fixed penalty of £50 for those who do not comply, is not out of the question. Thank you for your support.

**KS2 Breaktime Snacks**- Children in Y3-Y6 can bring in a healthy snack (ideally fruit) to eat at breaktime. This does not include chocolate bars, sweets or crisps, which children are currently bringing in for breaktime.

**Jewellery** - For safety reasons **children should not wear any jewellery in school**, including bracelets, necklaces and rings. However, they may wear a watch (not a smart watch connected to a phone) and if your child has pierced ears, small studs may be worn. These will need to be removed for PE lessons.

**Uniform** - Wearing the correct uniform is important to us as a school because it contributes to the pupils' sense of belonging to the school community; it allows them to have a sense of pride and self-respect for the way that they present themselves. Our uniform is a clear message to everyone that we care about each other and ourselves. We are seeing an increasing number of children not adhering to it. As a reminder, it comprises of:

- Grey trousers, grey skirt or grey pinafore dress

- In summer a green gingham dress can be worn.
- Green sweatshirt (with school logo if you wish)
- White polo shirt
- Plain black sensible low-heeled shoes – no trainers or open toe sandals
- Grey, black or white socks or tights.
- An appropriate coat to keep your child warm and dry

Also available:

- Green fleece for cooler weather

On PE days, children should attend school wearing their PE kit

- Plain black pumps
- Plain white 'T' shirt
- Plain black shorts, jogging bottoms or leggings
- Green sweatshirt/hoodie
- No football kits or fashion wear to be worn Thank you for your support.

**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.

February 2024	
<b>9.02.24</b>	F2 wear red for Chinese New Year
<b>w/c 12.02.24</b>	Y5 Bikeability
<b>16.02.24</b>	F2/Y6 walk around local area - mapping
<b>16.02.24</b>	Break up for half term
<b>26.02.24</b>	Term Begins for all
March 2024	
<b>01.03.24</b>	Y6-7 Allocation Day
<b>w/c 11.03.24</b>	POOC Assemblies
<b>20.03.24/21.03.24</b>	Parents' Meetings
<b>28.3.24</b>	End of Spring Term
April 2024	
<b>15.04.24</b>	Summer Term begins for all
May 2024	
<b>7/8.5.23</b>	Y4 Residential Barnstondale
<b>w/c 13.05.24</b>	Y6 SATs
<b>16.05.24</b>	Summer Census Lunch
<b>20.05.24</b>	Class Photographs
<b>w/c 20.05.24</b>	Y6 Bikeability
<b>24.05.24</b>	Half Term
June 2024	
<b>03.06.24</b>	Term begins for all
<b>w/c 03.06.24</b>	Y4 times tables check
<b>w/c 10.06.23</b>	Y1 Phonics Screening check
<b>24.06.24</b>	Y6 Residential
July 2024	
<b>03.07.24</b>	INDUCTION Day
<b>w/c 8.7/15.7.24</b>	Transition meetings for parents dates tbs
<b>19.07.24</b>	End of term for children SDD4/5 22.7.24 and 23.7.24

Warmest Wishes  
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