

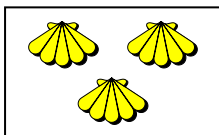
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High Wych CE Primary School

Success and Excellence within a Caring Christian Environment

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Welcome back

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Welcome back to all of our children and parents and a big welcome to our new families. I hope you all had a good restful holiday.

Dinner money

Please pay weekly **in advance**, preferably on Schoolcomms or by cheque to Herts Catering Ltd (£2.60 /day or Nursery £2.40).

Wheelie Wednesday

Year 1 and 2 will be able to bring in their scooters from Wednesday 11th if you have filled in the form. Year 2 will use the form from last year, so no new form is necessary. Year 1 children have had a form sent home to sign. On **Tuesday 10th September** Year 1 will take part in Herts scooter training. We hope they enjoy the scooter track.

Value of the month

September Value is being **selfless** (generosity of heart) and the stories used to support this are Rainbow Fish and the Big Party (Matthew 22, Luke 14)

SUCCESSFUL- Please see the website for a list of the values used.

Parking

Please remember to be considerate to other members of the community when using the village car park. Please do **NOT** park in the school car park in the mornings for any reason as staff cannot park - use drop and go or car share. Thank you for your support with this.

Parents are NOT to use the pedestrian front gates at the start or end of the day. Please walk through the back gate only.

ASC

Can I please remind those of you who use the After School club to contact them direct during club hours on 07561 840349 as the main school office is closed at this point. Please also be aware that club is heavily subscribed for this year so there are unlikely to be any drop in spaces available. If you have booked spaces you no longer need please inform the office.

Urgent- Nuts

Please DO NOT use any nut products eg nutella, peanut butter etc in home packed lunches as we have children who are allergic to nuts.

Secondary Applications - Year 6

The online process for Year 6 children is now open and closes on 31st October 2019. Please ensure you make an on time application for your child to the county in which you live. You will also need to complete each school's own application form, if they have one, by the 31st October.

PE Kit sponsorship

A huge thank you to Canon Windows and Locks for sponsoring our great new Hoodies for sporting events, it is much appreciated.

Homework

This year we have reviewed our homework policy for each year group. Please read the class letters for more information - these will be sent out soon.

Whole school Panto

This year we will be taking the whole school to Hertford Theatre for a panto. More details to follow.

Online safety workshop - 8th October

Please keep this evening free to attend this valuable workshop. More details in due course.

Dates for the term

September	Values: Selflessness (generosity)
7-8 th September	Scarecrow festival
10 th September	Yr 1 scooter training
19 th September	Leventhorpe open evening
23 rd September	Yr 6 to Kingswood 7.30 am
27 th September	Yr 6 return from Kingswood 4pm
23 rd September	Sawbridgeworth travel challenge week
October	Values: Understanding
1 st October	Year 1 Alpha bake cookery day
1 st October	Individual and sibling school photos
3 rd October	Harvest service 10.30am
4 th October	Year 5 swim for 4 weeks
8 th October	Online safety Parents meeting 7pm
9 th October	Yr 3 Celtic Harmony
15 th October	Yr 2 Colchester Zoo
17 th October	Yr 4/5 Hertford Theatre
21 st October	Parents' evening 3.30-6.20 Yr N-5
23 rd October	Parents' evening 3.30-6.20 Yr N-3, 5-6
24 th October	Parents' evening 3.30-6.20 Yr 4 & 6
24 th October	Flu Vaccination Yr R -6
28 th Oct - 1 st Nov	Half Term
November	Values: Courage
11 th November	Anti-bullying week
15 th November	Yr 4 swim for 4 weeks
15 th November	Children in Need Day
2 nd December	Occasional Day
December	Values: Compassion
10 th December	Whole School PANTO- Hertford Theatre
18 th December	Christmas Dinner
20 th December	Christmas service 10am
20 th December	End of term. Finish 2pm

We look forward to another good year.

Yours sincerely
Mrs M. J. West
Headteacher