



# Weston Primary School

Dear all

We commenced this week at school by celebrating Earth Day on Monday. Earth Day is an annual event on April 22 to demonstrate support for environmental protection. The theme for Earth Day 2024 was 'Planet vs. Plastics,' and we engaged our students in various activities to raise awareness about the importance of preserving our planet and reducing plastic waste.

Another fantastic Judo club session took place on Thursday morning. The children are thoroughly enjoying learning about the sport and actively participating in the activities.

Don't forget Class photos on Tuesday, get practising those smiles!!!!



Enjoy your weekend



## ATTENDANCE

*Moments Matter, Attendance Counts*

*OTIS Award winners*

Our OTIS programme (On Time, In School) is designed to promote the importance of attendance.

Our whole school attendance since September 4th = 96.8%

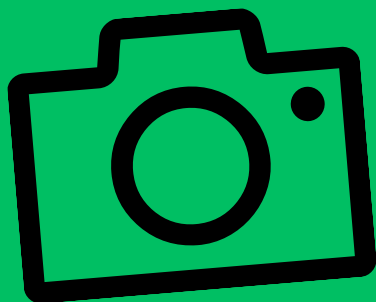
National attendance = 93.4%

Attendance this week

EYFS + KS1 Winners = Year 1 = 97.5%

KS2 Winners = Year 4 & 5 = 100%

Congratulations to our attendance winners this week

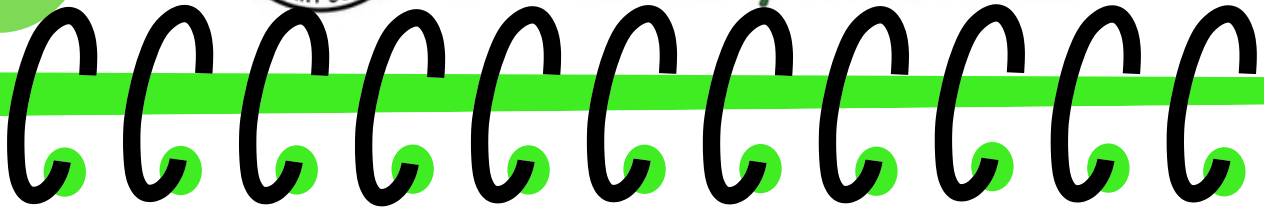


Tuesday 30th April  
Class Photos





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## Dates for the Diary

There may be changes or additions to these dates, but we will endeavour to let you know with as much notice as possible

- Tuesday 30th April = Class Photos
- Thursday 2nd May = Polling day
- Thursday 2nd May = Reception Class trip to Manchester runway
- Monday 6th May = Bank Holiday
- Monday 13th-17th May = Year 6 SATs
- Monday 20th-21st May = Year 2 Camping at school
- Monday 20th May-23rd May = Year 6 Bike ability week
- Tuesday 21st May -23rd May = Book fair after school
- Wednesday 22nd May = Year 1 & 2 Infant Music Festival at The Heath High school
- Friday 24th May = House day 5 Sports day. House colours to be worn
- Friday 24th May = School closes
- Monday 3rd June = INSET DAY
- Tuesday 4th June = INSET DAY
- Wednesday 5th June = School re-opens
- Tuesday 18th June = Parents Evening 1
- Thursday 20th June = Parents Evening 2



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## EARTH DAY 2024



Reception took time to consider different ways they could look after our planet during Earth day. They created an ocean and thought about the dangers to our Ocean life.

Year 2 created under the sea silhouettes to celebrate Earth day. They talked about plastic pollution and the impact that has on our animals.



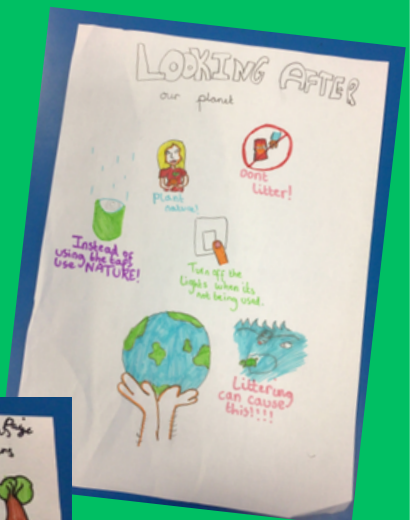
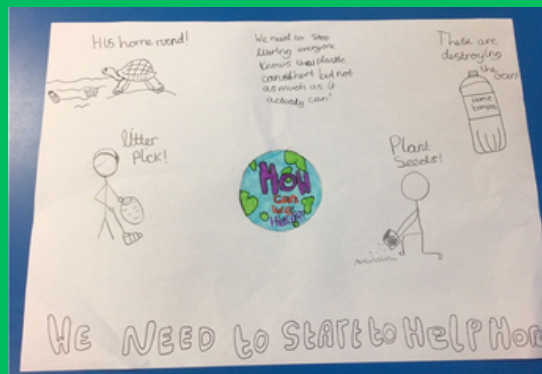


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Year 1 focused on the oceans and how important it is to keep them clean. They then created their own sea silhouette art.



Year 4 created some fantastic posters on what can be done to make the Earth a better place.





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Year 6 have created a poster of recommendations for protecting our planet and reducing plastic

## PLANET VS PLASTIC !!!!!

Can we protect our earth so it can be a better place?  
Our earth is being ruined by plastics that are being littered all over our planet and now we need to do something about it.

We can help by:

1. Reduce our travel: we can do this by not using our cars as much as we do.
2. Choose local seasonal food such as strawberries and bananas.
3. Reduce, Reuse and Recycle is what we need to do to save our beloved planet and our animals so that they do not die from the plastic.
4. To save money you can grow your own foods in your garden or even rent an allotment so you don't have to go to a supermarket and buy them with money.
5. To save ourselves we should eat less red meat because it often contains plastic particles that can affect our bodies.



PIC•COLLAGE



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## COMMUNITY NEWS



Dora took part in her first dance show at the Brindley with her dance group, Art in motion. Well done Dora



Millie and Freya, participated in the recent Art in Motion dance show. We have heard that it was a fantastic show, and we are proud of all the students who took part. Well done to everyone involved!



Nia climbed Moel Famau last weekend with her dance group and raised £175 for new costumes



# WELL DONE



## COMMUNITY NEWS

100% FULLY FUNDED **3D** TRAINING LTD

# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

For Parents & Carers

**ENHANCE YOUR KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND AWARENESS BY ENROLLING ON 3D TRAINING'S FULLY FUNDED ACCREDITED COURSES!**

**CHALLENGING BEHAVIOURS LEVEL 2**

**UNDERSTANDING SPECIFIC LEARNING DIFFICULTIES LEVEL 2**

**ADVERSE CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCES LEVEL 2**

**MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS LEVEL 1&2**

**CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE'S MENTAL HEALTH LEVEL 2**

**COUNSELLING SKILLS LEVEL 2&3**

*To be eligible for funding learners need to be aged 19+, have a Liverpool City Region postcode and either be unemployed claiming benefits or employed earning under £31,600.*

**FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT**  
[info@3dtraining.uk.com](mailto:info@3dtraining.uk.com) | 0151 294 4749

Mental Health Support Team  
**WELLBEING WEBINARS**  
NHS Mersey Care NHS Foundation Trust

Your MHST is running a series of webinars one Friday a month on a number of topics relating to mental health and wellbeing.

**TOPICS AND DATES**

- Neurodiversity - 26 April
- Parent Skills for Behaviour - 17 May
- LGBTQ+ - 21 June
- Emotional Regulation - 19 July

**WHEN**  
4pm to 4:45pm

**WHERE**  
Zoom  
(link will be emailed)

To register please email which webinar you want to attend to [events@merseycare.nhs.uk](mailto:events@merseycare.nhs.uk)

Webinars will be recorded.  
No chat function will be available for safety purposes.



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## Music Lessons

Dear Parent/Carer,

Your child has the opportunity to learn the **ukulele** or **keyboard** on a weekly basis with Class Sounds. We are a music tuition company situated in Liverpool, visiting many schools to help enrich music provision and inspire children to become awesome musicians.

**Group lessons take place every Wednesday after school**, costing £5.50 per lesson and instruments are provided during lesson time. We always make it a priority to group your child with children of a similar age and with their classmates.

Every lesson is tailored to each group, packed full of musical games and activities making learning fun and engaging. At their first lesson children will be given a folder containing everything that was taught during the lesson, including material to help practise at home.

### How to sign up:

Please fill out your details online at [www.class-sounds.co.uk/sign-up](http://www.class-sounds.co.uk/sign-up)

Alternatively, scan the QR code in the bottom corner using your phone

Following this, we will be in touch with the details of your child's first lesson.

Kind Regards,

Jonny Catt

Director

Class Sounds

Get in touch - [info@class-sounds.co.uk](mailto:info@class-sounds.co.uk)  
Find out more - [www.class-sounds.co.uk](http://www.class-sounds.co.uk)

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## SUMMER UNIFORM

As we move into the warmer months ahead, we would like to remind you that pupils are able to wear summer uniforms after the Easter break.

Please note that sandals are NOT permitted as part of the uniform due to Health and Safety reasons. We kindly ask for your cooperation in ensuring that your child adheres to the uniform guidelines.

Please clearly mark all items of clothing with your child's name

PLEASE SEE BELOW FOR A REMINDER OF THE UNIFORM THAT  
THE CHILDREN CAN WEAR DURING THE SUMMER TERM

- Grey tailored shorts / skirt
- Plain white shirt, blouse or Polo shirt (short-sleeve, no tie)
- Green & white summer dress with long or short white socks
- NO SANDALS

Thank you for your continued support in helping us maintain a smart and appropriate dress code for our students.





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UK Health Security Agency



## Should I keep my child off school?

### Yes

#### Until...

Chickenpox	at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over
Diarrhoea and Vomiting	48 hours after their last episode
Cold and Flu-like illness (including COVID-19)	they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19.
Impetigo	their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics
Measles	4 days after the rash first appeared
Mumps	5 days after the swelling started
Scabies	they've had their first treatment
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after they started taking antibiotics
Whooping Cough	48 hours after they started taking antibiotics

### No

but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

Hand, foot and mouth	Glandular fever
Head lice	Tonsillitis
Threadworms	Slapped cheek



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#### Advice and guidance

To find out more, search for health protection in schools or scan the QR code or visit <https://qrco.de/minfec>.

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## SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 2023 to 2024

TERM DATES	DATE OF CLOSING	DATE OF OPENING
SUMMER TERM		Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> September 2023
AUTUMN HALF -TERM	Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> October 2023	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> November 2023
CHRISTMAS	Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> December 2023	Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> January 2024
SPRING HALF TERM	Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February 2024
SPRING BREAK	Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> April 2024
SUMMER HALF TERM	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> June 2024
SUMMER	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	

### INSET DAYS (May be subject to change)

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2023  
 Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2023  
 Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2024  
 Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2024  
 Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2024

### BANK HOLIDAYS

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2024  
 Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2024



### WESTON PRIMARY SCHOOL TERM DATES: ACADEMIC YEAR 2024-25



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Inset days may be subject to change.



School Holidays can be found on our school website within the tab heading 'Parent information' Paper copies can also be found in the letter racks outside the main school office.



## PARKING REMINDER

Recently, we have noticed a significant increase in the number of vehicles parking in an unsafe manner during drop-off and pick-up times. We understand that the school's location may pose challenges when it comes to finding suitable parking spots. However, we kindly ask that you remain mindful and considerate of others when parking your vehicles



### TACKLING ILLEGAL PARKING

Parking illegally or inconsiderately can create significant problems for other road users and pedestrians, particularly those with push chairs or using mobility scooters.

**Parking enforcement**  
In Cheshire East, Cheshire West and Chester, and Warrington

The enforcement of yellow lines, time-limited parking and other parking restrictions in Cheshire is entirely the responsibility of the local authorities and their parking enforcement teams.

**Report online:**

<b>Cheshire East Council</b> <a href="http://www.cheshireeast.gov.uk">www.cheshireeast.gov.uk</a>
<b>Cheshire West and Chester Council</b> <a href="http://www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk">www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk</a>
<b>Warrington Borough Council</b> <a href="http://www.warrington.gov.uk">www.warrington.gov.uk</a>

**In Halton (Widnes and Runcorn)**  
The enforcement of yellow lines, time-limited parking and other parking restrictions in Halton is the responsibility Cheshire Police. To report this please phone **101**.

**Obstruction**  
A vehicle causing an obstruction is one which has been parked and left unattended in such a way that it is considered to be a hazard to pedestrians or other road users. For example, a car parked on a bend in the road. This also includes blocking free passage to pedestrians and blocking access to private or public property.

If you need to contact the police because a vehicle is causing a safety hazard or an obstruction on a public road, please contact Cheshire Police on the non-emergency number, **101**.

**Do not report illegal parking via social media.**

All road users need to be aware of and adhere to parking restrictions:

- No parking on bends
- No parking on zigzag lines
- Do not obstruct a resident's driveway
- Do not park on double lines
- Do not park on 'time-limited' single lines
- Do not cause an obstruction

CALL THE  
POLICE  
ON

101  
IN AN EMERGENCY  
ALWAYS CALL 999



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