

What a fantastic week we've had here at school! Today, Year 6 continued their swimming lesson, where they develop important life skills in the water. EYFS Pupils thoroughly enjoyed their stay and play session today. It was a wonderful opportunity for the children to engage in hands-on activities, interact with their peers, and explore their learning environment in a fun and stimulating way.

Our Safety officers attended the launch of the Road safety programme 2024-2025 at Halton Stadium on Wednesday. Our safety officers will help to keep all children in our school safe both in and out of school Have a lovely weekend

ATTENDANCE

Moments Matter, Attendance Counts



OUR OTIS PROGRAMME (ON TIME, IN SCHOOL) IS DESIGNED TO PROMOTE THE IMPORTANCE OF ATTENDANCE. OUR WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE SINCE SEPTEMBER 4TH = 95.60% NATIONAL ATTENDANCE = 93.4%

15 Award winners



ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK EYFS + KS1 WINNERS = YEAR 2 = 100% KS2 WINNERS = YEAR 3 = 98.8% CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR ATTENDANCE WINNERS THIS

WEEK



EMTINDER!

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Christmas production dates Times to be confirmed.

- Thursday 28th November Year 5 & 6 Advent performance PM & Evening
- Thursday 5th December Year 3 & 4 Christmas performance PM & Evening
- Thursday 12th December Year 1 & 2 Christmas performance PM & Evening
- Tuesday 17th December EYFS Nativity am & pm.



Dates for your Diary

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

Wednesday 16th October = Individual school photos

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- Wednesday 13th October = World Kindness day details to follow
- Friday 18th November = Cosy Craft Night Details to follow
- Thursday 24th October = Nasal spray (Flu vaccination programme)
- Thursday 24th October = Open afternoon = For prospective parents for children starting Reception in September 2025.
- Friday 25th October =House Day/ Halloween Disco
- Friday 25th October = School closes
- Monday 4th November = School Re-opens
- Thursday 7th November = Open afternoon = For prospective parents for children starting Reception in September 2025.
- Wednesday 13th November = World Kindness Day
- Wednesday 20th November = Nasal Spray Catch up
- Thursday 28th November = Year 5 &6 Advent Performance
- Tuesday 3rd November = Height and Weights for Reception & Year 6 and also the Reception vision and hearing screening



ROAD SAFETY OFFICERS

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COMMUNITY NEWS

We are thrilled to share with you the exciting news about Betsey, who has been a shining star at Street Funk since September 2023. Betsey's passion and dedication towards her classes have truly shone through, earning her the awards for 'Best Newcomer' and 'Class 1 member'.





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Working, Enjoying, Succeeding Together'

Invites prospective parents for children starting Reception in September 2025 to our

Open Alternoon

Thursday 24th October or Thursday 7th November from 1.30pm to 2.45pm

Please contact the school office to book a place and for further information

Weston Primary School Lambsickle Lane Weston Village Runcorn 01928 574544



Email: sec@weston.halton.sch.uk Website: www.weston.halton.sch.uk/ ston Twitter: @Weston PS



Cash pot for Schools

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Parentkind – a charity that supports school PTAs - have teamed up with Asda, who is making millions of pounds available to donate to primary schools across the UK through their 'Cashpot for Schools' initiative. To support our PTA, all you have to do is opt-in through the Asda Rewards app, choose our school, shop and scan in store or shop online at Asda.com.

Between 2nd September and 30th November 2024 – every time you shop with Asda using your Asda Rewards app, Asda will donate 0.5% of the value of your shop to your chosen Primary school. Also, every time somebody opts-in to support our Primary school, Asda will give an additional £1 to the school Cashpot. Plus, it doesn't stop there – Asda are also giving £50 to every school to get them started.

The supermarket has joined forces with Joe Wicks to support the initiative – look out for the TV advert, radio ads and social media coverage!

It's as easy as 1,2,3

- 1. Download the Asda Rewards app, register and opt-in to Cashpot for Schools (make sure you have the latest version of the app installed)
 - 2. Choose our Primary School either searching by name or postcode
- 3. Shop instore across Asda and George, or online at Asda.com and start filling your Cashpot as you shop
- Asda does the rest, all money raised will be donated to schools to spend on the things they need the most.
- Remember, anyone can sign up so start spreading the news and raising funds for our school.

This initiative is on top of the existing Asda Rewards benefits you get as a shopper – so you won't lose out on any of your own earnings or Cashpot, so everyone is a winner! For more details, visit asda.com/cashpotforschools







Uniform Reminders We have got the thumbs up from our children on the

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We have got the thumbs up from our children on the new PE kit.

Children must wear Yellow PE top, Plain bottle green or black top, or our new green PE top with the school Logo on

<u>NO Branded clothes</u> . Our new school PE top is now available to purchase from touchline.

<u>Jewellery</u>

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<u>Bags</u>

The school does not have the room to accommodate backpacks/rucksacks. Only school bags are allowed.

Children must not wear Smart Watches. They will be taken off them and stored away in a lock cupboard.



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Absences

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
Scables	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

Head lice Tonsillitis
Threadworms Slapped cheek



Advice and guidance

NHS

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



Term Dates 2024-2025



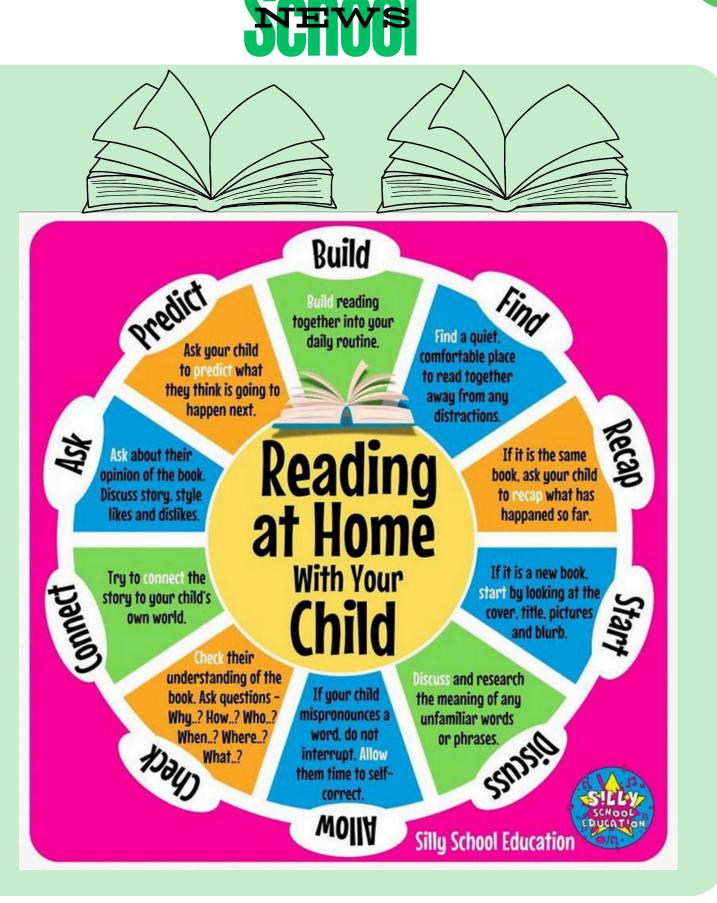
School Holidays can be found on our school website within the tab heading 'Parent information'

Paper copies can also be found in the letter racks outside the main school office.



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Parking Reminders

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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:

Cheshire East Council www.cheshireeast.gov.uk

Cheshire West and Chester Council www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk

Warrington Borough Council www.warrington.gov.uk

In Halton (Widnes and Runcorn) The enforcement of yellow lines, time-limited parking and other

the road. This also includes blocking free passage to pedestrians and blocking access to private or public property.

parking restrictions in Halton is the responsibility Cheshire Police. To report this please phone **101.**

A vehicle causing an obstruction

is one which has been parked and

left unattended in such a way that

pedestrians or other road users. For example, a car parked on a bend in

it is considered to be a hazard to

Obstruction

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

POLICE

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

www.cheshire.police.uk/priorities

Sign up to cheshirepolicealert.co.uk

Follow us on twitter: @CheshirePolice

Facebook.com/Cheshirepolice



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.

We have also been asked by the Heath business park not to park on Heath boulevard as they are unable to get big vehicles down/ up the road.