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Newsletter Term 5 Week 3: Friday 13th May 2022

Be Courageous. Be Strong. Do Everything with Love. (1 Corinthians 16:13-14)

Dear parents,

Well, what a week! I am so utterly proud of all our children this week but of course, year 6 in particular. Our year 6 children have persevered brilliantly with their SATs tests every day and have come into school ready to give their best and apply their wonderful learning and they have done us all proud. Of course, behind dedicated and knowledgeable learners are dedicated and knowledgeable teachers and I know that we all extend our thanks to Miss Day and Mrs Carter for their brilliant hard work all year- our year 6 children are incredibly lucky to have such wonderful staff! I know that you will all enjoy next week's treat of camp and you all thoroughly deserve to have a fantastic time!

Children across the whole school, but especially Beech Class, have been wonderfully respectful to our Year 6 children this week and have been extra quiet for those working in the hall and the library. Thank you.

Finally, this week I have also had the pleasure of working with Mrs Roberts and Mrs Rose and looking at their books this week- particularly year 2 as they prepare for their assessments, which start next week. Seeing their wonderful writing and progress has made my week! Thank you!

Susan Friend
Head Teacher



Living our Values

Our collective worship on Monday this week was led by Reverend Joanne, who came to talk to use about The Holy Trinity. She used water, steam and ice to show us how Christians believe that The Holy Trinity is the unity of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit in one God. Many of our children were able to suggest other ways we can represent The Holy Trinity to help us understand too and we were really impressed by their mature ideas. Reverend Joanne was also really impressed by the act of kindness shared by Maple class. As you can see in the photo, Maple class created and decorated a prayer box for our church with a whole range of beautifully illustrated prayers in too.





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This week's gold award goes to Riley in Oak Class. While we are very proud of all of our Year 6 pupils this week, Riley has shown exceptional dedication and resilience and impressed us all with his efforts. We hope that he is just as proud of his achievements as we are.

Well done Riley- keep it up!

Mrs Shigdar's Tips for Wellbeing!

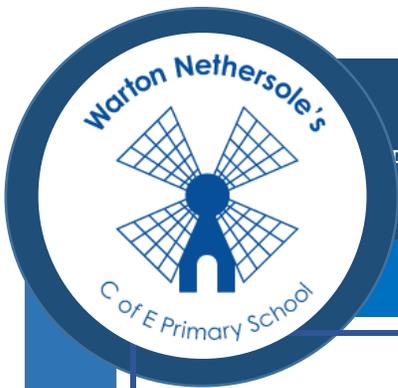
How to help our children deal with friendship issues.

As soon as your child/children start at playgroup, nursery or school, I am sure you will agree that is the time they start to have disagreements with their friends.



They can get so emotional over these fall outs, take it very personal and feel very hurt. This is the time when your little person must learn to speak up for themselves as you are not there to prevent or intervene in these situations. You will hear about them after it has taken place and only hear one side of the story as to the build-up, cause and consequence to the fall out. So, as their parent, carer, grand parent, what is the best way to help them deal with these experiences:

First thing is to listen to them. Just this alone can help your child feel better, ease their emotions about the whole thing. As these emotions can be scary for a little person to process. Pro-actively listening can also help you understand exactly what has happened to cause this upset. The next thing is to be reserved in any action you take or feel you want to take, as you may find that more details come your way over time. The other reason to stay reserved is the fact some children will move on from these fallouts quite quickly. They may have moved on, got over it, totally forgotten anything has happened or how upset they felt. Yet, you are harbouring the unjust feelings about what happened or what was said. Behaving like this teaches your child/children that holding a grudge is acceptable. The main thing to do is give your child/children the confidence to work out these differences with their friends, teach them how to treat others and praise them in the way they deal with situations, how they don't react but stay calm and neutral. Explain how kind, understanding words are better to solve their differences than using their hands or speaking unkindly. The most important thing is understanding 'what happens in school, stays in school. As school will deal with all incidents appropriately'



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Newsletter Term 5 Week 2: Friday 6th May 2022

Acts of Kindness day

On our Acts of Kindness day the children created positivity posters to encourage people in our local community. Some of our parents and children spent time over the weekend putting the posters up. Thank you to the McGowan and Hicks families for doing that on behalf of the school. See how many posters you can spot when you're out and about in the village.



Willow RE

Willow have been learning about the story of creation from The Bible. They have learnt that Christians believe God made all of the animals. This week they made a banner by drawing a range of animals using stencils then cutting them out and sticking them onto big paper!



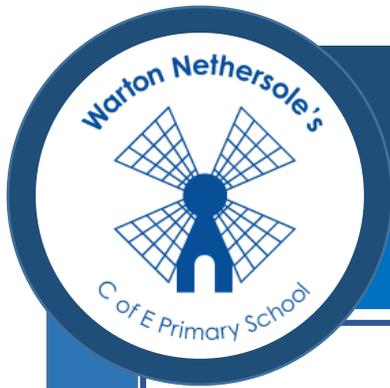
Covid

We have multiple cases of Covid 19 confirmed by LFT in several of our classes. Please can all parents remain vigilant for symptoms at home. Current advise is that all children with a positive result stay at home for 3 clear days after the Covid test has been administered (day 0) and only return to school if they are well enough and no longer have a temperature after the third clear day.

School Holidays

We are seeing a significant increase in the number of holiday requests being submitted to the school office. Please remember that all holidays will be unauthorised and should be booked in the holidays.

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Diary Dates

May

- 18th-20th - Y6 at Laches Wood Camp
- 19th-20th – Class photos for nursery to Y5
- 27th- Jubilee Picnic for all pupils- come in red, white or blue!
- 27th – Break up for half term

June

- 6th June – Back to school
- 10th June- Year 6 Class Photos
- 27th June- Commonwealth Week at CCSA
- 28th June- Rowan Class Trip

Term Dates

For those very organised in our community- we can confirm term dates through to January 2023!

May

- 27th – Break up for half term

June

- 6th June – Back to school

July

- 21st July- Last day- 1:30pm finish

September

- 5th / 6th INSET- School closed for pupils
- 7th - First day for all pupils

October

- 21st- Break up for half term
- 31st- INSET- School closed for pupils

November

- 1st- First day back for pupils

December

- 16th- Last day for all pupils

January 2023

- 3rd- INSET- School closed for pupils
- 4th- First day back for pupils

NURSERY PHOTO DROP IN 8.45- 9.30 ON THURSDAY 19TH FOR ALL CHILDREN NOT IN NURSERY THAT DAY. IT WILL BE GRADUATION PHOTOS AND PHOTOS FOR A CLASS PICTURE.

Children in KS2 took part in NWPSSA Cross Country races over the last two terms. They did exceptionally well in some extremely trying conditions. The boys were the winners of the small schools and the girls came second. Overall, this meant that we were the combined winners! Well done!! Thank you to all of our parents who supported these events and our staff who make them happen!

