

WESTWOOD PARK
COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Friday News!

9.11.18

If you have any concerns about Child Protection or Health and Safety, please contact school.

Designated Child Protection Officer – Sara Walker.

School Website: westwoodpark.org.uk

Is your child a Young Carer? 8% of children are. School and the LA can help if you let us know.

				Weekly total for the whole school: 95.3% ☺	
Blue	91.9%	Green	97.1%	Yellow	91.9%
Sycamore	95.6%	Cedar	95.2%	Elm	95.5%
Poplar	97.8%	Rowan	96.2%	Beech	96.2%
Oak	97%	Ash	95%	Willow	93.9%
Y6 – for the year so far – 92.3% ☺					

Please remember to telephone school if your child is unwell so that such absences can be recorded as authorised. If permission is not given for a holiday or we are not informed of the reason for an absence, it will have to be recorded as unauthorised and may result in a fine being imposed.

Replacements:	Book bag £4.75, Water bottle £1.30, Reading record £4. Reading book - various. Bring correct change please. ☺
Meals	Inform by Friday to change on Monday! Thank you. The cook needs to order or cancel the food.
Property	We can take no responsibility for items left over night, especially in the bike shed. Thank you.
Pupil Collection	It is really important that your child knows who is picking them up every day. Not knowing causes anxiety.
Drinks	School policy is ONLY water or milk during lesson time. Thank you.

New Year Resolutions - *Calm Kids, Cool School /Terrific Times Tables*

We are a **TEAM TEACH** school. In emergency situations staff trained in Team Teach strategies may need to restrain your child to keep them and others safe from harm. Please speak to staff if you have any questions.

Disability

Do you or your child have a disability that we don't know about? Let us know. We'd like to help if we can?

On November 17th from 11.30 the lights will be switched on in Eccles Shopping Centre & Santa will arrive with FREE gifts for children - then he'll be there from noon to 2pm each Saturday until Christmas.

The Tempest

Oak were brilliant this week performing The Tempest at the Z Arts theatre and in school. Very well done to the children, staff (especially Miss Eden) and adult helpers.



Governors

Governors looked at the children's writing and models this week. They were very impressed with the standard. Thank you for your hard work with all the models at home.

Writer of the week

Tyler F in Ash did super writing this week! Well done.

P.E and Sporting Heroes

Callum W was brilliant in gymnastics this week - well done. ☺

E Safety

Create difficult passwords that no one will know. (Then remember them!)

Parenting Tip

Read - make sure your child sees you read. If reading is a struggle for any one please contact school and we will help you.

Pupil Comment

'I just want to be friends with everyone.' Ella B, a brilliant attitude, well done. ☺

Behaviour and Manners

Don't confess to something you haven't done! Protect your reputation – it's important.

Class Singing in Assembly - The theme is 'Weather'.

16.11.18 -Cedar	30.11.18 - Willow
23.11.18 - Oak	

Every day	KS1 Phonics Club – 8.30 – PROMPT – Hall door Y6 – 8.30 – Ice Cool/IXL Club – September to May each year.
Monday	Young Voices Club – 3.15-4pm – ICT Suite
Tuesday	Gymnastics Club – hall - Miss Grime – until 4pm. Lightning Club – by invitation – Y2
Wednesday	SEND 'Drop In' surgery with the Educational Psychologist – 9-9.30. Y2/3 ICT Club – Suite – Miss Oldbury - until 4pm. Kick Start Education – 3-4.30. PARENTS WITH THEIR OWN CHILDREN.
Thursday	ICT Club – Y4,5,6 – ICT suite – Mrs Grogan/Mrs Walker Football Club – outside – Miss Grime/Mr Sharrock – until 4pm Magpies Club – by invitation – Y3
Friday	Dance Club – hall - Miss Grime – until 4pm.

All clubs before and after school, all evening trips and the Robinwood trip are attended by volunteer staff in their own time. ☺

School Talk Topic of the Week

Who are the Chelsea Pensioners? What is the British Legion?

To help with speaking and listening skills please discuss this with your children. We will be talking about it in school. Thank you.

Autumn TERM 2018	
12-16.11.18	FRIENDSHIP WEEK
16.11.18	Non-uniform – soft toy
9.11.18	TEST WEEK
23.11.18	Pride Morning – 9am Non-uniform – bring a bottle
28.11.18	1.30 – Xmas Decorations - Parents
30.11.18	9.15 – Crib Service - Church
6.12.18	2.30 – Xmas Tree service
7.12.18	Panto – Macron Stadium - am 3.15 – 4.30 Xmas Fair
11.12.18	KS1 Xmas Show – 9.45 and 2.15
12.12.18	Parents' Evening 3.15 onwards
13.12.18	Xmas Dinner
14.12.18	KS2 Xmas Show – 9.30 and 1.30
18.12.18	FS Xmas Show – 9.45 and 2.15 School Discos – KS1 – 1.30 KS2 – 4pm -5.15pm
20.12.18	Christmas Jumper Day 2.30 – Carol Service
Friends of Westwood Park meetings – FIRST THURSDAY OF HALF TERM – 2.15PM – IN THE STAFF ROOM - ALL WELCOME. ☺	
Panto – 2018 – Friday 7 th December - in school time. We will ask for parent volunteers nearer the time.	
World Book Day 2019 — Theme - David Walliams. Each class will look at a different book. ☺	
Y6 SATs – 2019 – Week beginning 13th May. All children MUST be in school.	
Y6 Prom – July 18th 2019	
Robinwood – Dates pending. 2019 – Please make sure your children have had a night away from home before!	

Would you like our weekly newsletter emailing? If so, please let us have your email address.

Best wishes **Sara Walker – Head teacher**