



Witley C of E Infant School

Learn, love and flourish together

Attendance
for the Year
95.6 %

Newsletter no. 27 - Summer Term
Friday, 19th April 2024

Our value this term is trust



Dear Parents and Carers

We hope you all had a wonderful break over Easter and it's great to see the trees turning green and our planters beginning to bloom. We've turned our outside taps on and thank you to Winona and Maeve, in Year 2, who have been busy watering the plants at lunchtime. Hopefully we'll be able to make more use of our outdoor area over the coming weeks as the grounds dry out!

Charlie reads a story

At the end of last term Dolphin Class were treated to some wonderful story telling by Charlie, an ex- pupil!

Charlie entertained the children as part of his voluntary work with children, for an award he is working towards at his school.



Lost property and spare uniform

Our lost property box is full! Please do take a look and see if any of the items belong to you. Most of the uniform is not named. There are also coats and lost property from after school clubs.

We have quite a lot of surplus uniform like fleeces, etc. please do call into the office if you need anything. The items are free but you can make a small voluntary donation to FWS.



Uniform update

A few parents have asked if children can wear green polo shirts as the white ones get dirty very quickly; what a great idea! We will be updating our uniform policy to include green polo shirts which do not have to have the embroidered Witley School logo.

Our uniform supplier is changing. Please look out for the new supplier's flyer being distributed soon. The manufacturer and quality looks to be identical, if not better than our current provider.



WitStock

With less than a month away, come along and say hello to us on the Witley stall at WitStock! The fun starts at noon!

Spring decorating

Many thanks to Simon Portsmouth who has made a splendid job of redecorating the Jubilee Hall. The Jubilee Hall belongs to the Scouts who have funded the new look!



Our school is also benefitting from a little bit of tlc. Thank you Mr Szczepanski for painting the handrail over the Easter break that runs from the Jubilee Hall down to the playground.

It's looking very smart!

FWS - Break the Rules day!

Next Friday 26th April sees the return of our FWS fundraiser Break the Rules day. For 50p you can break a school rule such as wearing nail varnish, coming in casual clothes, wear your football kit or dye you hair purple!

Messy Church!

Finally, tomorrow sees Messy Church at All Saints starting at 3.30 pm.

Have a wonderful weekend
Mrs Helen Szczepanski



Well done to the following children who are in our Gold Book this week:

Year R: Billy and Rex

Year 1: Astrid and Olivia

Year 2: Maeve and Winona

Mrs Szczepanski's Headteacher Award in our Celebration Assembly goes to:

Year R: Rex

Year 1: Indy

Year 2: Winona



Cake Raffle

Our cake raffle takes place in our Celebration Assembly.

Thank you to the Middleton family for providing this week's hedgehog cake!

Well done to Bella in Puffins who won!



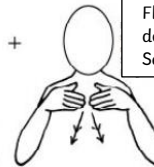
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Small circular movement in front of mouth.



school uniform

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Flat hands make small, slow downward movement on chest. Second movement is longer.



Reception and Junior school places for September 2024

On Tuesday 16 April Surrey County Council's School Admissions team issued the outcomes for Reception and Junior school places for September 2024, parents and carers should now know the school their child has been offered, although those who applied on paper will be sent either an email or a letter by first class post to tell them of their outcome. **All parents and carers are required to either accept or decline their offer by 30 April 2024.**

If parents and carers have questions, they can call the Surrey Schools and Childcare Service on a dedicated line which is 0300-200-1004.

TERM DATES 2023/24

DAY	DATE	SUMMER TERM 2024
Fri	26.04	FWS Break the Rules day
Mon	06.05	BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY
Mon	07.05	Witley School will be participating in the optional Key Stage 1 Tests for Year 2 pupils this academic year. This will take place in the month of May.
Sat	11.05	WITSTOCK at The Chichester Hall and the fun starts at noon
Fri	24.05	INSET DAY No. 5 – SCHOOL CLOSED FOR STAFF TRAINING
		MAY HALF TERM 27.05 to 31.05
Mon	10.06	Phonics Screening Check for Year 1 – all week
Weds	19.06	Year 1 Team Building Games at Rodborough School - am
Th	20.06	Whole Class group photographs
Fri	21.06	Open Classroom - parents/carers welcome 2.45 – 3.30 pm
Weds	26.06	Year 2 Team Building Games at Rodborough School - am
Wed	03.07	Year 1 Trip to Chichester Harbour
Tues	09.07	Year R Trip to Tuesley Farm
Tues	09.07	Year 2 Trip to Alice Holt Forest – Woodland Wellbeing (there is no charge for this trip)
Weds	17.07	Year 1 Trip to Alice Holt Forest – Woodland Wellbeing (there is no charge for this trip)
Th	18.07	Year 2 Trip to Sayers Croft
Th	18.07	Year R Trip to Alice Holt Forest – Woodland Wellbeing (there is no charge for this trip)
Tues	23.07	1.05 pm LAST DAY OF TERM. PLEASE NOTE EARLIER FINISH.

DAY	DATE	ACADEMIC YEAR 2024 -25
Mon	02.09	INSET DAY no. 1
Tues	03.09	INSET DAY no. 2
Weds	04.09	Welcome back to Year 1 and Year 2 Year R (EYFS) start dates and home visits to be confirmed
Fri	25.10	INSET Day no. 3
		AUTUMN HALF TERM 28 th October – 1 st November
Mon	04.11	First day back
Fri	20.12	1.05 pm LAST DAY OF TERM. PLEASE NOTE EARLIER FINISH
		CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY 23 rd December– 3 rd January 2025
Mon	06.01	First day back
Thurs	13.02	3.15 pm LAST DAY OF TERM
Fri	14.02	INSET Day no. 4
		FEBRUARY HALF TERM 17 th – 21 st February 2025
Mon	24.02	First day of term
Fri	04.04	1.05 pm LAST DAY OF TERM. PLEASE NOTE EARLIER FINISH
		EASTER HOLIDAYS
Tues	22.04	First Day of term
Fri	23.05	INSET Day no. 5
		MAY HALF TERM HOLIDAY 26 th – 30 th May 2025
Mon	02.06	First day of term
Tues	22.07	1.05 pm LAST DAY OF TERM. PLEASE NOTE EARLIER FINISH

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