



DIARY DATES

(ALL DATES SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

WB: Mon 8th April 2024

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Tues 9th April

Lunch Menu = Week 1

INSET DAY – School Closed To All Children

All Children Back In School

School Closures 2023 – 2024

Monday 8th April 2024

Monday 22nd July 2024

Upcoming Holidays

Monday 25th Mar – Friday 5th April 2024

Monday 27th May – Friday 31st May 2024

Dinner Money – Price Increase From Monday 9th April

Due to the rising costs of staffing, utilities, food and non food items, we have no alternative but to increase the price of School Meals from **Monday 8th April to £2.60 per day - £13.00 per week.** We have tried to keep this to the minimum due to the challenging times for all. Our prices have not increased for many years even though staffing and other costs have risen considerably, therefore this increase was inevitable.

Friday's we have Pizza & Chips or Fish & Chips, if your child has sandwiches and would like to join their friends in having either meal, either put £2.60 in an envelope with the child's name and class on there or come and see Mrs Marva in the School Office.

Please ensure you notify the office of any changes in your circumstances.



WELFORD NEWS

22nd Mar – 19th April 2024



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Dear Everyone,
As we come to the end of the second term of the academic year, we have much to celebrate and be proud of as a school. It has been a short half term but we have packed a lot in as we ensure that children at Welford continue to work hard to make progress from their starting points, whilst engaging in a broad and balanced curriculum that celebrates and targets all subjects and aspects of their learning.

Children have taken part in Pupil Book Studies conducted by our school improvement partner who was impressed by the way children can discuss their learning and it was good to share children's progress with all of you who attended Parent/Carer Consultation meetings. If you were unable to attend due to Ramadan please get in touch with class teachers after the holiday... The children have participated in a range of trips and welcomed external visitors into school who have enhanced and excited their love of learning. Last week we ended with Comic Relief fund-raising an AMAZING £804.42...and we started this week with Performance Poetry to celebrate World Poetry Day.

Year 5 had a lovely trip to Stratford-upon-Avon and our hosts were very complimentary about the interest, enthusiasm and knowledge the children had, which truly did my heart glad... Our Street Dancers did us proud, representing the school brilliantly in the all dance styles Birmingham finals and winning an award for determination and support for all... We were also thrilled to receive a trophy for Gymnastics ...Well done to Mrs Wingrove and her team of very flexible Y4 children- they were fabulous... Well done to the staff for making this possible and the children for their interest and engagement.

On a personal note to you all- we have been overwhelmed by your generosity and support for fund raising efforts at a time when the current economic climate is a challenge for so many members of our community...

It has been wonderful to celebrate our Spring 2 Gold Book children, which proved to be a very difficult task for teachers, as so many children have been working so hard and displaying such positive attitudes in their year groups...

Congratulations to those classes who have successfully achieved our whole school target of 96%

Weeks Beginning: 4th Mar – 15th Mar 2024

CLASS	%	%
NUR AM	74.7	88
NUR FT	97.1	100
NUR PM	87.8	98.9
RG	93.3	81
RW	90	95
1A	92.3	87.1
1K	93.5	88.1
2F	91.9	94.1
2G	92.1	90
3D	94	93
3WP	87	89.3
4M	92.7	90.7
4W	93.1	91
5JH	95.3	91.7
5MH	95.9	94.5
6C	94.8	98.3
6G	93.5	87.4

EYFS had an extremely successful Easter Hat Parade and an enthusiastic reception from KS1 and KS2 children. We were thrilled and thankful for the support from parents/carers and a lovely time was had by all.

The response to our Decorate an Egg Challenge has been overwhelming and we had tough judging decisions to make to identify prize winners... A HUGE thank you to all those of you who supported your children with their entries- we are very appreciative... Finally, myself and Welford's Governors would like to thank all of the staff in school (in whatever role) for all they do to ensure children are firmly at the heart of all we do.

I thank you all for your continued goodwill and support as we continue to move forward together as a school...

Happy Easter to all those who are celebrating next week and a blessed Ramadan to all our families who are currently observing this special month in Islam. Enjoy the break, some family fun and a chance to relax... I know you will join me in the hope for a positive Summer Term for everyone.

Mrs C Foster

MEDICATION IN SCHOOL

Does your child need regular medication? If your child needs regular medication please ensure that the school is fully informed and that any appropriate prescribed medication is also kept at school. It is very important that you inform the school if you know that your child has an allergy. We keep this information on file in case of an emergency. Children do not need to be absent from school for allergies if they are properly managed.

Snack Y1 – Y6

Snack forms are available from the School Office. The forms are to be completed every Monday, with the correct amount enclosed in an envelope. Snack forms can be collected from the School Office. Please remember to bring in the correct change - Many thanks ☺

Item	Price
Toast	20p
Milk	25p
Fruit Juice – apple or orange	50p
Flavoured Water	50p
Flapjack	25p
Fresh Fruit	25p
Pack of Biscuits	25p

**CHILDREN SHOULD BRING A HEALTHY SNACK TO EAT IN SCHOOL.
NOT CRISPS OR CHOCOLATE.**

**LOOK OUT FOR OUR SUMMER
MENU AFTER THE HALF TERM**

PARENT NOTICE

The Police have asked for us to tell drivers that they must NOT park on the zig zag lines outside of the school.

School would like to thank LIDL for their generous donations of new toys as well as the regular donations of flowers they send for our Monday flower arranging class. They really have been very supportive and kind.

SUE'S COMMUNITY CORNER

Coffee Mornings - Every Thursday, 9am - 10.30am in the Community Room. Come and join Sue Thompson & Nagina, for a coffee and a chat. Come and make new friends, and catch up with the old ones!