



Wincle CE Primary School

Wincle School creates an enriching and outstanding rural education, nurturing the whole individual: body, mind and soul, inspiring rounded, happy, courageous children who shine in all that they say and do, exhibiting a passion for learning, a confident faith, a loving concern for community and an inclusive respect for all.

Wednesday 5th July 2023

A message from the Headteacher, Mrs Smith:

Dear Parents,

This newsletter contains all of the information required for the final few weeks of the year: I thought a step-by-step guide would be useful. On Wednesday 12th July, you will receive my end of year letter along with your child's report and data letter.

Please keep a note of all of the information below and I look forward to celebrating the successes of the year at the upcoming events.

Best wishes,
Sarah Smith

School Events for the final few weeks of term:

Thursday 6th July

Move up morning: This will take place between 8.55am and 12.15pm. Children in preschool can line up on the playground as the 'new reception'.

The year six pupils need to come in their old clothes with waterproofs and wellies. Sun screen and bug repellent are also required. They will be taking part in a Forest School session with Mrs Borland for the morning.

Macclesfield Music Festival: All pupils will need to be in full school uniform (including a tie). They also need to take a packed tea. Transport is being provided by Macclesfield Academy and the pupils will arrive at the Academy for 1.30pm. The concert begins at 6pm but please arrive in good time to find your seats. Once the concert has finished, please follow the instructions given to collect your child.

If you are not attending the concert, please collect your child at 7.15pm from the entrance.

Friday 7th July

Celebration Worship: this will be as normal but Mars Class will not be attending.

Mars Summer Walk: The class will be leaving during the school day and return in time for lunch. Children should arrive in school, at usual time.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO SIGN TO GIVE PARENTAL PERMISSION FOR THE WALK, on Thursday or Friday morning. Please wear:

- *appropriate non-school uniform
- *a sun hat
- *waterproof footwear suitable for walking over rough terrain
- *sun cream and bug protection already applied

Please bring

- *a backpack containing a snack and drink
- *named waterproofs.
- *a pair of shoes in a separate bag, to wear around school after the walk.

In the afternoon, Mars class will be having their Star Reward Party.

They have requested dressing up for the party, in pyjamas or a chosen outfit.

Please send in the dress-up clothes in a labelled bag.

Please be aware that ticks are on the increase this year so we ask that parents check for ticks after outdoor activities such as walks and Forest School. Below is the recommendation on the NHSinform.Scotland site.

Preventing tick bites

Do

- ✓ keep to footpaths and avoid long grass when out walking
- ✓ wear appropriate clothing (a long-sleeved shirt and trousers tucked into your socks)
- ✓ wear light-coloured fabrics that may help you spot a tick on your clothes
- ✓ use insect repellent on exposed skin
- ✓ check your skin for ticks
- ✓ check your children's head and neck areas, including their scalp
- ✓ make sure ticks are not brought home on your clothes
- ✓ check that pets do not bring ticks into your home in their fur

Monday 10th July

All pupils to come in PE kit as PAS are running a sports morning whilst some of the staff and pupils attend Mr Kerr's funeral.

Tuesday 11th July

Preschool trip to Jodrell Bank: The children will now be travelling by coach. Please ensure that your child has a coat with a hood for this trip and a water bottle. A school lunch will be provided. The children will leave and return within school time.

Wednesday 12th July

Whole School Photo: Please send all school children in their shirts and ties - no summer dresses please. Please can all of preschool wear a white polo shirt and a pair of leggings/tracksuit bottoms.

Children's reports will be sent out today.

Year 2 football competition: Mrs Smith will provide the pupils with a football kit. Please transport your child to Macclesfield Town for 3.45pm. Mrs Smith and Simon Aggersbury will be leading the team. Parents are asked to stay and support.

Thursday 13th July

Sports Day organisation

We are all very excited to use Langley Cricket Club for our annual sports day. Please follow the instructions below on the day. Please send your child in PE kit.

Please collect your child at 12pm following the normal pick up routine.

Upon your arrival at the cricket club, please find a space in the viewing area. You are welcome to bring a picnic rug and/or chairs. The children can either sit with you for lunch, or with their class. School staff will distribute school lunches as soon as you arrive.

At 12.55pm, the school bell will ring and all pupils will return to their teachers. The children will be competing in a number of races as their team and there will be races for parents if time allows, so bring your trainers!

During the lunchtime and a break, the PTA will be selling refreshments in the form of drinks and ice creams, so please bring change with you.

Friday 14th July

Saturn Trip to Macclesfield: Saturn are visiting Macclesfield on Friday 14th July.

We will meet at 9am outside the Silk Museum on Park Lane and children are to be collected at 3pm from the same place. The children are to come in their uniform and will have a school packed lunch provided. During the day, the children will experience three different sessions - Anubis mask making, object handling and a museum tour.

The trip is all to link with our history topic - explorers! Next half term, we will be learning all about Marianne Brocklehurst and her travels to Egypt! Our trip to the Silk Museum will allow us to see real life artefacts and learn

more about her explorations!

The trip itself is costing £10 per pupil but Saturn pupils still have £5 per child allocated from the PTA so this trip is now only £5. An e-basket is now available.

Jupiter Trip to Manchester: All pupils to wear school uniform and bring a coat with a hood. They will also need a small backpack with a snack and a water bottle. The children will be given their lunch to carry when they arrive at school. We are hoping to leave Manchester for 9.30pm but Mrs Smith will text parents once we have boarded the coach to estimate an arrival time.

Mars Forest School: Please can Mars pupils bring in Forest School clothing for the afternoon.

Monday 17th July

Preschool graduation: Please join us in church at 9am for our Preschool Graduation. This will be an opportunity for us to celebrate the children moving into reception.

Y6 v Staff Football Match: All of Y6 to come in PE kit on this day.

Looking at work: Parents are welcome to come from 2.45pm to look at their children's work before our formal parents' evening begins at 3.30pm. We will state in your child's report if we would like to organise an appointment with you and there is also a sheet for you to request on if you like.

Tuesday 18th July

Wildboarclough School Rooms: All pupils will be educated at the School Rooms on this day. Please drop off between 8.45am and 9.00am. Mars Class will complete activities in the outdoor space linked to their science and geography and then watch the final dress rehearsal of Hoodwinked. After lunch, Mars Class will walk back to school to be collected at normal time. Please can Mars wear appropriate non-school uniform and bring the following items:

*a sun hat

*waterproof footwear suitable for walking over rough terrain

*sun cream and bug protection already applied

*a backpack containing a snack and drink

*named waterproofs.

2pm Performance: Doors will open at 1.45pm for the 2pm show. Please ensure you bring your ticket with you.

6pm Performance: Please bring your child back to the School Rooms for 5.40pm.

Wednesday 19th July

Year Six Treat: All year six pupils need to come in old clothes with a towel and change of clothes in a named bag. We have organised transport for the children to go to Tittesworth and take part in water sport activities and archery. The children will be transported back to school for lunch.

Year Six Party: The theme for this year is 'What I want to be when I grow up!'

Please send your child's costume in a named carrier bag for them to change into.

Thursday 20th July

End of year presentation: Please join us in church for our end of year presentation.

Year Six Leavers' Service: This will begin at 2pm. Priority will be given to the families of year six but all parents are welcome.

KEY DATES

Tuesday 5th September -School starts

Starters Service at 2.45pm