



# School Bulletin

Wharton CE Primary School, Winsford, Cheshire, CW7 3EP

Date **12<sup>th</sup> May 2023**

*Train up a child in the way they should go and when they are old they will not depart from it – Proverbs 22 v 6*

## USEFUL DATES: May/June.

Ks1 SATs- W/C 15<sup>th</sup> May

Topic Open Door 24<sup>th</sup> May

Inset day 26<sup>th</sup> May

Half term 26<sup>th</sup> May return to school 5<sup>th</sup> June

Sports days 25<sup>th</sup> June, KS1 pm, KS2 am

Year 1 Forest School 5<sup>th</sup> June



Can parents/carers please note that request for absence that has not been authorised will result in a fixed penalty notice.

The Government discourages taking holidays in term time. Evidence shows that children who miss school do not achieve as well as those who attend regularly. The law has restricted a Head Teacher's ability to authorise holidays during term time. Head Teachers are now only empowered to approve a leave of absence when it is requested in advance by the parent or carer with whom the child resides and when circumstances of the requested leave are 'exceptional'.

Should you still choose to take a holiday with your child during this period the Local Authority will be informed as this will constitute an unauthorised absence. A Fixed Penalty Notice will then be issued in accordance with section 444 of the Education Act 1996.

The law stipulates that the current penalties payable by parents are £60 when the penalty is paid within 21 days and £120 when the penalty is paid within 28 days. This penalty is per parent/carer per child.

If the fixed penalty is not paid this could lead to parents/carers being prosecuted in the Magistrates' Court.

If you feel the decision has not taken into account any relevant exceptional circumstances, then you will need to contact the school immediately for further discussion.

**Due to technical issues with the pool last Monday, we have the swimming pool for an extra day on Monday, 15<sup>th</sup> May, for those who missed their lessons, this is so they can be assessed.**



Tomorrow Saturday 13th May 2023 10.00-12.00 at Winsford Library on the High Street members of the Winsford Beat Team will be there to offer you a property marking kit for your household for free. The product is SelectaDNA which is smart water for your home to protect your expensive items you have in your home. Televisions, mobile phones, cameras, tablets, games consoles and laptops are just some of the items you can mark to be protected. We will explain more about it, and register the kit for you.

There will be more opportunities to acquire yourself a kit if you are unable to attend tomorrow's event.

**Well done to year 6 who have finished their SATs. KS1 SATs will begin on Tuesday.**



### Contact Details

If you have moved house, changed telephone number or would like to make changes to emergency contact numbers, please email:- [admin@wharton.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:admin@wharton.cheshire.sch.uk) with details and we will amend our records.

## CONTACT DETAILS

DON'T FORGET TO UPDATE THE OFFICE IF YOU CHANGE YOUR ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBER OR EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS

### Keeping in touch



Our main telephone number is **01606 663530** and will show as this on caller ID



We use e-mail through school spider as our main method of communicating with parents and carers as it's quick, efficient and cost effective. Please make sure we have your current e-mail address so you don't miss important communications. To report and absence use;  
[Attendance@wharton.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:Attendance@wharton.cheshire.sch.uk)



We also distribute up-to-the-minute information via Facebook  
**Wharton CE Primary School**



<http://www.wharton.cheshire.sch.uk>

# Special Summer Term Lunch.

Next Thursday, 18<sup>th</sup> May there will be a change of menu, we will be holding a special summer term lunch, there is no need to pre book but we please ask you make children aware of the change in menu.

For infant children & those on Free School Meals there will be no charge. For everyone else the cost will be £2:45

### MENU

The options will include;

- A- Beef Burgers
- B- Hot dogs  
(Both served with chips)
- C- Jacket potato

Chocolate Iced Sponge

We encourage everyone to follow our school Facebook page





Attendance Champions this week  
are Beech With 99.4%



Class	Percentage
Peach	94.8%
Plum	89.3%
Apple	96.9%
Pear	95.7%
Cherry	84.7%
Damson	99%
Beech	99.4%
Oak	92.9%
Maple	96.6%
Elm	92.4%
Willow	98%
Rowan	96.7%
Sycamore	93.4%

A look into our week at Wharton CE...

