











#### **Dear Parents and Carers,**

Welcome back to the second half of the spring term. This week has been perfect weather for ducks however we have survived the rain, the wet playtimes and made a great start with the learning that is planned for this half term. Please ask your children about their week in school.

In assembly we launched our fourth value curiosity. We talked about asking questions, investigating, exploring and discovering something new. At the end of the term we will be hosting our curiosity trail around school to find out about the learning in other year groups.



#### Curiosity

We show curiosity by having a passion to learn, explore, and discover new things and new ways of working. We are innovative and ambitious, always seeking to be even

#### Lockdown Drill:

Next Thursday we will practice our new "Lockdown Drill" . The drill will only be used when there is an unsafe event or unwanted visitor outside of school, in the immediate school grounds or on the school site. The teachers will talk to the children about the drill before it happens and encourage the children to ask questions and share how they feel. Parents will be notified once the drill has taken place.

#### Football:

Well done to the Year 5 and 6 boys football team who represented our school at the Walsall school football tournament. Mrs Darby and Mr Morton praised the children for their sportsmanship, skill and enthusiasm. Well done boys!

Please read on in the newsletter to hear about the work or our amazing PFA.

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Sugars







Important reminder—we are a nut free school

**Communication:** If you have an issue or question, please ensure that you follow the school's communication policy and make contact with your child's class teacher via Classcharts, telephone or email in the first instance. If you then require additional support, please ask to speak to the **Year Leader**, then a member of SLT.



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### **Absences**

If your child will not be in school, please call the school office *each* morning of their absence to record it.

State their name, class number and the reason for absence.

#### Please do not send absence message via class charts.

<u>School Time:</u> Start of the day-main gates open at 8.40am and classroom doors will open at 8,45am. School starts at 8.55am. End of the day-main gates will open at 3.10am. The school day ends at 3,15pm. No-one, including siblings under the age of 16 are allowed to drop off or collect children from school. Thankyou.

To adhere to our school policy, if your child has sickness or tummy upset, please keep them home for 2 days from the last bout of illness.

#### Medications/Inhalers

Please bring any medications through to the school office. All medications/inhalers need to be in their original box, in date and labelled with the child's name. A pupil medication form will need to be completed at each new term.

#### Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 27th February Martial Arts club - School Hall -4pm & 4.30pm

Wednesday 28th February Year 5 & 6 Girls Football—Walsall E-Act 3.00—5.30pm

Friday 1st March—Wed 6th March Book Fair (details to follow)

Friday 1st & 15th March Uniform Shop

Thursday 7th March KS1 Cinema Night—ticket event

Thursday 21st March KS2 Cinema Night—ticket event

Friday 22nd March Easter Bonnet Parade/design an Egg—all Entries to be in for Wed 20th March

Friday 5th April Uniform Shop

#### **Polite safeguarding Reminder**

Please be vigilant when your children are accessing content on their iPad/devices, lots of programmes are marketed towards children but have content that is not appropriate for children, please always check any age restrictions that may be in place before allowing children to access content both online and on television.

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# Our Fibbersley Stars for this week.

## Well done to...

R 1	Luna & Xariah	2 2	Arnie & Olivia-Mai	4 3	Ayden & Ruby
R 2	Ellis & Benji	23	Daisy & Jaskirat	5 1	Kielan & Kushan
R 3	Clara & Sehajvir	3 1	Rihaan & Ivy	5 2	Kaiden B & James G
11	Iylah & Myran	3 2	Noah M & Taranbir	5 3	Hamden & Sophie
12	Theophilus & Elias	3 3	Avneet & Harkeerat	61	Riley R & Christian
13	Sophia & Mason	41	Nectarie & Elevlyn-K	6 2	Sophie & Joziah
21	Freya & Lily	4 2	Sophia & Miarose	63	Blossom & Arleen
		Nursery	Millie & Layla-Rose		















All our Fibbersley Stars will receive their certificates in assembly on Friday.

Congratulations to the classes with the highest attendance in each Year Group.

R 1 93% 1 3 92%

21 93%

**33** 95%

4 1 93%

5 3 94%

61 93%

Our school target is 93%. Attendance matters!





# WALSALL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES & FOOD PROGRAMME 2024

#### What's on offer?

A free and exciting holiday programme for children and young people aged 5 to 16 who are eligible for free school meals. The programme is running over Easter, Summer and Christmas 2024.

# Take part in:

- Holiday clubs
- Multi sports activities
- Football
- Swimming
- Drama

- Arts and crafts
- Cooking
- Graphic design
- Gaming
- and much more...

Sign up Now!









# How to register and book for the 2024 programme?

Each eligible child will be sent a letter with a unique code on, if you are eligible and haven't received one email us at WR4C@walsall.gov.uk

To register for the programme you can visit our website www.walsall.gov.uk/children\_and\_young\_people/haf\_signup or call our Holiday Activities helpline on 01922 653899

Once you have registered your child you will be able to book them onto activities.



To find out more information visit our website and sign up to our newsletter www.walsall.gov.uk/children\_and\_young\_people/haf\_signup







