



**Wensum Junior School
An academy trust school**



From the head

March

Happy Easter to you all,

Well, that's the end of the Spring Term and it really has flown by. I am very much looking forward to some lovely weather for the Summer Term, allowing us to make use of the fantastic outdoor facilities we have at Wensum. We will hopefully be offering further clubs for the children to take part in during the school day and some events that will involve inviting you into school too... further details will follow.

I would like to thank all parents/carers and children for their continued support and assure you, that your efforts are contributing to making a difference. This term we will continue to work hard on promoting our core values of **Honesty, Kindness and Respect**. This will include further work with the children on the importance of 'belonging' and being part of our school community, along with the expectation that everyone displays kind and respectful behaviour.

During my discussions with children and parents it is apparent that we need to continue to support some children with using kind words in school. Please do encourage your child to follow this rule by reminding them about the school's expectation. We will not tolerate swearing and any such behaviour will be addressed.



We will also be implementing work around the issue of 'Bullying' through the continued implementation of our core values.

Please support us with this again, by discussing with your child the schools expectations of how we behave towards others, always showing **Kindness and Respect**.

Thank you for your continued support.

I hope you all have an enjoyable Easter, spending time with friends and family. See you all again in two weeks time.

Mrs Peachment

Dates for your diary:

Tuesday 18th April - Return to school for Summer Term

Friday 5th May - Coronation Street Party Lunch

Sports Day - 30th June. Reserve date - 14th July

Awards

Always Award:

3/4S: Meadow, Eleanor & Sonny

3/4G: Lola, Lilly & Layla

3/4K: Abigail, Misha, Zack & Rawaa

5W: Amelia H, Amalia, Benson & Jayden

5N: Elias, Jack, Parker, Cody & Victor

6H: Isabelle, James, Amina & Anatasia

6BW: Liam, Olga, Matilda Me & all class!

Kindness Award:

3/4S: Gabija, Arya, Jai & Stan

3/4G: Tanaka, Lucas, Nabiha & Lavya

3/4K: Brandon, Cody, Kyle & Jordi

5W: Amalia, Ahmed & Maria

5N: Julia, Daisy, Bertie & Amelia

6H: Xena, David & Charlie-May

Honest Award:

3/4S: Lilly-Anne, Ethan, Archie & Caspar

3/4G: Demi-Leigh, Freddie, Justin & Ryan

3/4K: Willow, Tommy, Mirah & Ooree

5N: Aaliyah, Mackenzie, Bertie & Isaak

5W: Ava, Elyssa, Lexi & Poppy

6H: Lillie, David & Diego

6BW: Taylor-Jai, Toby & Rose

Respectful Award:

3/4S: Quinta, Colby, Pamela & Ethan

3/4G: Myroslav, Lola, Meredith & Emily

3/4K: Phoebe, Adedotun, Kyle & Katy

5W: Ezekiel, Jasmine, Ahmed & Logan C

5N: Umar, Victor, Jayden & Whole class!

6H: Isabelle F, Daisy & Ella

Attendance Breakfast

Well done to 5N & 3/4K for winning the attendance breakfast!



Headteacher Awards

Well done **Ashlyn** in 3/4K for his amazing efforts this month and for working hard! And to **Amina** in 6H for her improved attitude and effort.

Well done Everyone!!!



Reminders

School Uniform - Please send your child into school wearing the correct uniform below:

- Blue School jumper - **no hoods**
 - White or blue polo tshirt/shirt
 - Grey/Navy/Black trousers or skirt
 - Plain black school shoes
 - Blue and white gingham dresses
- No logos, pictured tshirts or different coloured clothes are to be worn in school.**
- PE kit is plain white/house colour tshirt and plain dark coloured track suit bottoms/shorts.
 - Children who are not in the correct uniform will be asked to change and parents will be informed.



Snacks -

All children are welcome to bring in a snack to have at break time. This should be a healthy snack of fruit, vegetables or salad.

As we approach the warmer weather, please ensure your child has a named water bottle in school every day.

Please note that sweets and chewing gum are not permitted in school.

New Uniform Colours:

From September 23 the colour of the school jumper will change from Navy Blue to Royal Blue. This colour is available from Stevensons and most supermarkets.

There is no requirement for any uniform to be branded and this is parental choice. If anyone is thinking of buying new uniform this holiday, in preparation for September, the new coloured jumper can be worn

Parking:

Please could I ask that all our parents and carers remain considerate when parking outside the school. Your parking must always place the safety of our school community first and be respectful to the residents who live near us.

I know parking is always challenging near the school, but please keep our children safe.

Thank you for your co-operation.



Congratulations to **FIRE** & **AIR**, for achieving 931 house points last half term! They all enjoyed their reward time at an afternoon school disco!

Fire & Air Reward Disco

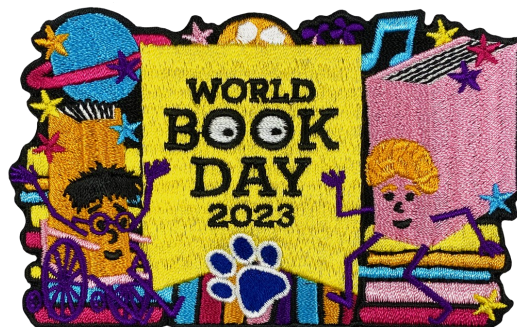
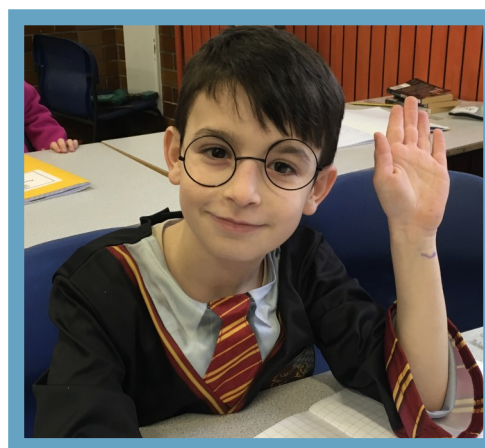


WORLD
**BOOK
DAY**

2 MARCH 2023

World Book Day

We celebrated World Book Day on Thursday 2nd March. Have a look at what some of our pupils dressed up as!



Do you have a safeguarding concern?

We have an amazing Safeguarding Team at Wensum who will be available to talk you regarding any safeguarding concerns.



Mrs Peachment
Lead DSL



Miss Glen
DSL



Mrs Bulman
DSL



Mr Hubery
DSL



Mrs Miller
ASC DSL

If you have any concerns about a child during the Easter holidays then please call the Children and Adults Duty Service line on 0344 800 8020.

Safeguarding is Everyone's responsibility.

Support and Information for Parents/Carers.

Supporting young people's mental health

Parent/Carer workshops April – May 2023

These free virtual workshops (Zoom) are designed to provide up to date advice and guidance on how parents and carers can support the young people in their life. The workshops are live and 60 minutes long.

Emotional Regulation

Supporting your child to regulate their emotions

17th April 2023 – 13:00 [Book a place](#)

17th April 2023 – 18:00 [Book a place](#)

Supporting our Young People with Anxiety

For parents to understand anxiety and how to support their child with worry

18th April 2023 – 18:00 [Book a place](#)

Supporting our Young People with Self-Harm

A workshop to offer guidance for parents around self-harm and young people

18th April 2023 – 19:15 [Book a place](#)

Supporting our Young People Manage Big Feelings

A workshop aimed at parents of young people aged up to 11 to help support our children manage difficult emotions

15th May 2023 – 13:00 [Book a place](#)

Supporting our Young People with Low Mood

For parents to understand low mood and how to support their child/teenager

15th May 2023 – 18:00 [Book a place](#)

Building Understanding and Supporting your Child with Tourette's/Tics

This workshop is delivered by clinicians experienced in working with young people with Tourette's/Tic Disorder

16th May 2023 – 18:00 [Book a place](#)

Social Media and Impact on Teenagers' Mental Health

The impact on our teenagers' mental health

16th May 2023 – 19:15 [Book a place](#)

Scan the QR code to find out more and book a place on a workshop or visit www.eventbrite.co.uk and search for Psychology in Schools Team - NSFT



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Here's the link for booking via eventbrite:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/psychology-in-schools-team-nsft-32627846273>