

# **Warren Weekly Newsletter**

7<sup>th</sup> October 2022

# A message from our Headteachers

#### Safeguarding in our curriculum

At Warren Primary Academy, we take the safeguarding of our pupils, families and community seriously. In school, we have Designated Safeguarding Leads, who are responsible for ensuring the safety of the children in our care. These adults are Mrs Salam, Mr Middleton and Mrs Ford.

We are also very lucky to have our own school Family Support Worker, Mrs Neat. Mrs Neat works in school on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays and is available to support families with accessing services across the city and county. Please speak with Mrs Neat if there is anything we may be able to do to support you and your family at home.

We are also working to create new relationships with charities and businesses in Nottingham too. We have food parcels from charity Himmah, being delivered to school on Monday, for any families who are in need. Please speak to Mrs Salam, Mrs Neat or the office if you would like one of these parcels.

Achievements this week!

Well done to the following children who have been given a certificate in our celebration assembly today!

- **Y1:** Alan for showing excellent determination and explaining his thinking in Maths & Star for her positive behaviour.
- **Y2:** Jorja for growing in confidence & Tabitha for making a good start to her life at Warren.
- **Y3:** Noah for always trying his best & Amber for super concentrating.
- **Y4:** Oscar for showing determination in English & Mckenzie for determination in all areas.
- **Y5:** Zara for increased determination with her learning & Elsie-Leigh for consistently being ready to learn and setting a good example.
- **Y6:** Isabelle for showing such determination with her learning and putting her had up much more to share her ideas & Tianna for a fantastic change in her attitude towards learning in Year 6.

The children in Foundation who received certificates were:

- **F1:** Rafael for growing in confidence and self-esteem & Rufael for respecting our outdoor space by looking after our toys.
- **F2:** Alyssa for using her Phonics to help her label her house & Fatima for showing empathy by taking care of others.



We would also love to hear from you if you have any links to members of the community that would like to work in partnership with the school.





Safeguarding in the curriculum is also being supported by external partners. Children in Year 5 will be having sessions from the Great Project after half term. The project is designed to teach children about healthy and positive relationships, and to develop understanding of domestic violence.

Some pupils in Year 5 and Year 6 will also be taking part in a project being ran by NSPCC called 'In Cntl'. This is designed to support the children understand more about staying safe online.

Thank you,

Mrs Salam and Mr Middleton

#### **Attendance**

Our attendance target this year for each child to reach is 97%. It is important your child is coming to school every day to reach this target. Here is this week's attendance:

F2: 96.5%

Y1: 82.9%

Y2: 96.5%

Y3: 96.5%

Y4: 96.1%

Y5: 93.8%

Y6: 90.3%

Well done to Years F2/Y2/Y3 who all shared the highest attendance this week!



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#### **Key dates**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
Mon 10 <sup>th</sup> and Tues 11 <sup>th</sup>	Parent and carers evening
October	
Thursday 13th October	Black History Month immersion
	day
Friday 14th October	Hello Yellow day for Young
	Minds UK
Last day of term before	Art exhibition of Black History
half-term holidays	Month work

### **Parents evening**



Parents evening is being held <u>in the school hall</u> on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> October. Teachers from Y1-Y6 will be based in the hall and will be available to speak to you at the time that has been allocated to you.

Please use the waiting area in the middle of the hall when you arrive to see the teacher.

There will also be an opportunity for you to look at your child's books and learning environment. Each classroom will be open, and your child's books will be available for you to look at the table they usually sit at.

We ask you to respect the school environment and leave the classroom as you found it after looking at your child's work.

If your child is in F1 or F2, parents evening will be held within the Early Years classrooms.

Entry and exit into school will be via the office, and the playground gate will be kept shut to ensure that school is safe.

If you have not yet made an appointment to see your child's teacher, please speak to them ASAP and they will be able to book a slot for you.

# **Cold weather**

The weather is now becoming much colder. Please make sure your child is bringing a coat to school every day, as the rain has also been quite unpredictable this week.

#### Black History Month - A Day of Celebration

October is Black History Month across the UK and in order to develop the children's understanding of significant black people in history, we are having an immersive art day on Thursday.

Each class has a book linked to black history which they will be studying on Thursday. They will then creating a class art project to display their learning about the text they have read.

We would like to invite parents and carers to view our art exhibition of our learning on <u>Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October</u>. The exhibition will be held in the hall and will be open from 2.45pm on Friday afternoon. We look forward to seeing you there!

These are diverse books being used across school for our learning on the day:



### Reminders about PE kit and lessons:

- Hair should be tied up for PE lessons.
- Jewellery should be removed and not worn on days where your child has PE.

This is important to ensure your child can be kept as safe as possible during these lessons. Thank you.

### **SENDCO support**

Our school SENDCO is Mrs Bennett and is available in school on Thursdays and Fridays.

If you would like to speak to or arrange an appointment to see Mrs Bennett, please email the school office or speak to Mrs Curtis or Mrs Wilson.

# **Hello Yellow Day**



A reminder that next Friday (14<sup>th</sup>), we are fundraising for Young Minds UK. Young Minds are a charity who work tirelessly to support the mental health and wellbeing of young people. The children are invited to donate £1 and wear yellow/a bright colour to raise awareness of mental health.

### **Other updates**

