



A message from our Headteachers

It has been yet another busy week here at Warren! Year 5 have visited the National Justice Museum, to learn more about crime and punishment during the Victorian Era. They got to take part in a real life court scene, and decide as a jury if the person on trial was guilty!



Some children in Year 5 also got to take part in Bikeability this week. Bikeability is a national programme for teaching children how to use a bike safely. 15 children passed the Level 1 stage, with some children making it through to Level 2. These children got to go out onto the road to practicing their cycling skills and understand road safety when cycling. The rest of the class will be able to have a go at this programme in Year 6.



We are also very pleased to share with you that Mrs Miller has given birth to a beautiful baby girl, Lilly. They are both doing well and are enjoying time at home together as a family.

It has been a very exciting half term and we can't wait to see what Spring 2 has to bring. We wish you a happy and safe half term and we will see you back at school on Monday 20th February.

Thank you
Mrs Salam and Mr Middleton.

Achievements this week!

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

- F1:** Eva for fantastic creativity in the art area & Louis for good joining in at group time.
- F2:** Alfie for being determined to complete his work independently & Feeona for having the confidence to play with her friends.
- Y1:** Inaaya for trying hard in her writing & Jan for his great ideas in art.
- Y2:** Caleb for amazing sewing & Kunal for trying hard in maths.
- Y3:** Thomas for always trying his best & Ethan for sharing super answers in our English lessons.
- Y4:** Gracie for improved times tales with a difference of 14 in her score! & Leila for settling in with a great attitude to learning.
- Y5:** Abiraami for super behaviour on our school trip – representing Warren brilliantly as always & Deborah for growing in confidence and always setting a super example.
- Y6:** Harvey & Nebi for fantastic attitude and focus in practice SATS and big improvements on their own scores.

Attendance

Our attendance target this year for each child to reach is 96%. It is important your child is coming to school every day to reach this target. Our whole school attendance for this week is 92.3%.

Mrs Neat, our family support worker, checks on pupil attendance daily. We ask that you communicate with school to share reasons why your child is absent from school.

Here is this week's attendance:

F1: 89.5%

F2: 89.4%

Y1: 83%

Y2: 95.9%

Y3: 95.4%

Y4: 93.2%

Y5: 97.6%

Y6: 92%



Well done to Year 2 who have the highest attendance this week!



Key dates

Date	Event
10.2.23	Last day of school before February half term
21.2.23	Y3 Swimming to begin
21.2.23	Dogs Trust in to deliver assembly and class workshops
21.2.23	F2 and Year 6 Height and Weight Check – <u>if you do not want your child to take part in this, you must inform the office.</u>
22.2.23	Year 2 trip to Newstead Abbey
22.2.23/23.2.23	Year 6 Parents Evening (ONLY Year 6 on these days)
23.2.23	Year 6 trip to National Justice Museum for Ben Kinsella Charity Knife Crime Workshop
1.3.23	Regional planned Teacher Strike Day
2.3.23	World Book Day
2.3.23	PTA Movie Night
13.3.23	Year 6 SATS Parent Meeting
13.3.23	National Science Week
15.3.23/16.2.23	National planned Teacher Strike Day
15.3.23	Year 6 trip to Capital One
17.3.23	Red Nose Day
31.3.23	End of term



Y1 Dinosaur Museum



Year 1 invited parents and carers into school on Thursday after school to showcase their learning about Dinosaurs this half term! The children transformed the classroom into a museum, with tour guides, a map to direct around the museum and they even had a gift shop!

This was a fantastic opportunity for the children to bring their learning to life – a huge thank you to Miss Pithers and Mrs Hannibal for working hard behind the scenes to put the museum together.

Year 6 Parents Evening

Year 6 will be having a separate parents evening held by Mrs Shaw on 22.2.23 and 23.2.23. We are asking all parents and carers to ensure that they attend these meetings on one of the allocated days as we will be providing you with key information in preparation for Year 6 SATs tests in May.

A letter will be sent out to parents and carers for times to be allocated to you. The meetings will be held in the office at the front of school.

Place2Talk Letters

If your child is in Y1-Y6, you will have received a letter about Place2Talk, a service all children can access through our school Place2Be Councillor, Mrs Gallagher. If you DO NOT want your child to access this, please return your letter to school.

After school clubs

As previously mentioned on the newsletter a few weeks ago, we will be starting new after school clubs for different year groups from Monday 20th February. The next page gives information of all of the clubs on offer. There are a few slight changes in the days from last week.

If your child is in Boxing – this will run until Tuesday 21st. Boxing club will then be continuing, but as this is a paid for club, a new payment of £5 will need to be paid to the school office. Eco club will also continue to run with the same children.




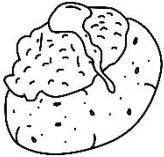
The club sign up page has been posted to Classdojo, and the link can also be found here:

<https://forms.gle/yKZcMzM6n6wbinKL9>

Please only ask the office to sign your child up as a last resort and the link not working for you.



Week 1 lunch menu

Day	Main	Vegetarian	Dessert	Jacket Potato
				
Monday	Quorn Chilli Tacos with Potato Wedges and Sweetcorn		Banana Mousse	Tuna and Mayo Fresh salad
Tuesday	Sausages with Baked Beans and Mash	Quorn Sausages with Baked Beans and Mash	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurt	Cheese and Bacon Fresh Salad
Wednesday	Roast Beef and Yorkshire Pudding with Veg	Quorn fillet with Veg	Orange Iced Smoothie	Spaghetti Hoops Fresh Salad
Thursday	Quorn and Vegetable Stir Fry		Fruit Muffins	Cheese and Beans Fresh Salad
Friday	Fish Fingers, Chips and Beans	Quorn Vegan Fishless Fingers with Chips and Beans	Apple Sponge with Custard	Cheese and Coleslaw Fresh Salad

Tuckshop

Message from Mrs Rankin and Isla and Evie, our tuck shop managers:

We are delighted to announce the opening of our school tuck shop after half term. Evie and Isla are the Tuck Shop Managers and will be running the tuck shops every day. Isaac, Cole, Nissi, Shamarna, Anashe, Bethany, Skylar and Zaram will be customer assistants in the shop.

The opening times will be:

- KS1 playtime 10.20-10.30am
- KS2 playtime 10.45-10.55am

We will be selling:

- Popcorn 45p
- Carton of orange or apple juice 30p
- Strawberry flavoured cereal bar 40p
- Raisin and sultana mix 35p
- From Wednesday onwards Yoghurts 35p (spoons provided)

Please send your child in with only small amounts of change for the tuck shop, and ideally in a small purse or envelope.

Eco-club update











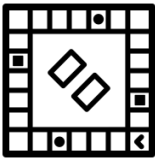

Eco club have spent time looking after our school environment. After school on Thursdays, the children completed a litter pick around the school site and managed to collect 2 huge bags of litter and rubbish.

Thank you to the children, Miss Curtis and Mrs Martin for organising this and keeping our environment clean and safe.

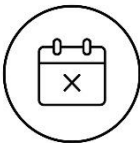





Some Year 6 pupils have also been helping with litter picking during their lunchtimes too.

Please ensure that you do not drop rubbish on site and use the litter bins around the playground to dispose of any rubbish.



Clubs offer for Spring 2			
Day	Club	For which classes?	Time
Monday	Arts and crafts club 	Year 1 and 2	All from 3.15-4.15pm Any sports activities require PE Kit
	Dance club 	Year 5 and 6	
	Girls Football Club 	Year 4, 5 and 6	
Tuesday	Multi Sports Club with The Pythian Club 	Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 £1 per week for 6 weeks Continuing from Spring 1 and any new starters welcome from Week 2 (5 weeks long for Spring 2)	
	Cooking club 	Year 3 and Year 4	
Wednesday	Boxing club with The Pythian Club 	Year 1 and Year 2 £1 per week for 6 weeks	
Thursday	Eco club 	Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 continuing from Spring 1 Club is already full	
	Boys football club 	Year 3 and 4	
	Board Games Club 	Year 1 & 2 10 places for this club	
Friday	Drama club with Nottingham Playhouse 	Year 5 and 6	3.15-4.30pm



Warren expectations of attendance	
Expectation/actions	What you need to know
<p>Absence from school</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We understand your child may not be well enough to attend school. If this is the case, contact MUST be made with school to share why your child is off school. Communication must be made with school on every day of your child's absence. If we do not receive communication from you on each day of your child's absence, school will try all methods possible to ensure contact is made. If it is necessary, a home visit will be completed by members of the Warren team. This is to ensure we know your child is safe.
<p>Absence request forms</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any other absence from school must be submitted to school via the absence request form. This can be provided for you by the office and it must be completed in a timely manner. School will review the request and decide whether this is classed as an authorised or unauthorised absence. Holidays during term time will not be authorised. Only requests for very exceptional circumstances will be authorised and this will be at the discretion of the Headteacher. The outcome of the request will be communicated with you.
<p>Punctuality and lateness</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The start of the school day is 8.50am. The school gates open daily at 8.30am, with the classroom doors opening from 8.40am. If your child arrives after 8.50am, they will be given a late ticket and they receive a late mark if they arrive after 8.50am. All children being on time for school is very important, as learning in the classroom begins from 8.40am. Our registers close at 9.10am. If your child arrives after this time and it is not for a medical reason, they will be marked with a 'U' code, which means they have an unauthorised absence for that session.
<p>Persistently absent pupils</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If your child's attendance drops below 90%, they are classed as being a persistently absent pupil. You will be notified in writing if your child's attendance become below 90%. As a school, we have a duty to monitor attendance and we understand that your child's attendance may be lower due to illness. We will track and monitor this over a 4 week period, with the hope that this will improve. You may be asked to attend regular meetings with the school to implement an attendance action plan. If attendance does not improve, the school will refer to the Nottingham City Education Welfare Service. You may receive communication about a fine if attendance does not improve.
<p>Severely absent pupils</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A child is classed as severely absent if attendance is 50% or lower. This can be classed as educational neglect and a referral to social care can be made by the school. The Education Welfare team will be notified, a referral may be completed by the team due to concerns about your child's attendance, and you may be issued with a fine.
<p>Help and support for attendance</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We want to provide help and support to ensure all pupils can access their learning every day. If you are struggling with attendance, or would like further support with any issues around attending school or being on time, please speak to Mrs Salam, Mr Middleton or Mrs Neat, who will be more than happy to help.