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'Striving for Excellence' Headteacher: Mrs D. Dack

NEWSLETTER JULY 2020



We would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a lovely summer break and look forward to seeing you all on 3rd September 2020. Thank you for the lovely gifts, cards and well wishes received by all the staff. We would also like to thank you for your support over the last term during what has been a very challenging time.

We wish our Year 6 children all the very best as they move on from Wentworth to Secondary school. We know that it has been a hard final year at primary school for them. We are confident the children have had a good foundation here at Wentworth and hope they build on this as they progress in their school lives. Good luck Oliver, Olivia, Billy, Oliver B, Lyla-May, Abigail, Riley, Beth, Elsie, Charlotte, Sonny, Alfie, No-ah, Archie, Neve, Cheryl, Toby, Katie, Maddie, Thomas, Genevieve, Daisy, Mia, Stanley, Nancy, Bryn, Jack, George, Summer, Dillon, Ashton, Mercedes, Eloise, Alli, Evie, Felix, Alex, Hannah, Drew, Ceres, Toby, Liam, Daisy K, Hayden, Lacey, Amelia, Jasmine, Florence, Isabelle, Harry, Kaylee, Maddie S, Lilly, Jack T, Freddie, Preston & Cameron.

RETURN TO SCHOOL ARRANGEMENTS

A detailed letter has been sent home regarding the return to school arrangements. Please refer to that letter for the first day back to school Thursday 3rd September.

LOCKDOWN CHALLENGE/SWIMMING POOL

Thank you to everyone who took part or donated to our Lockdown Challenge to raise funds to replace the swimming pool liner. We have nearly reached our target of £19,000!! This is thanks to the PTA and all of the families who supported the fundraising. Please carry on through the summer holidays. If you have not yet completed your sponsored event, any monies raised can be submitted on Sims Pay.

3rd — 11th SEPTEMBER

During our 'Settling In' weeks, we will be using the book 'Here We Are: Notes for Living on Planet Earth' by Oliver Jeffers to help support the children to re-connect with each other and reengage in school life. Through art and writing, the children will be given the time and space to settle and share their experiences, thoughts, feelings, reflections and questions. Activities will focus on children engaging in creative activities which will help them to make sense of their experiences, their relationships with each other, their wider school community and the wider world around them.

MATERNITY LEAVE & WELCOME BACK

We would like to wish Mrs Edwards all the best as she starts her maternity leave. We will keep you informed when baby arrives. Welcome back Mrs Smith who is coming back from maternity leave. She will be returning to the EYFS Team.

DATES FOR SEPTEMBER 2020

Thursday 3rd September— Pupils return to school.

Monday 7th September—New FS Autumn born children start part time.

Wednesday 9th September—New FS Spring born children start part time.

Week commencing Monday 7th September –All Year group settling in presentations will be available on ItsLearning from Monday 7th September. The Settling in Meetings are an opportunity for you to understand the class expectations and timetables.

Monday 14th **September**—New FS Summer born children start part time.

Week Commencing 28th **September**— Parent Tours of the FS area all week. This will be in small groups due to social distancing measures. Details will follow from the FS teachers.