

'Striving for Excellence'  
Headteacher: Mrs D. Dack

## NEWSLETTER 3

### NOVEMBER 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

The PTA arranged a successful film night. The children really enjoyed the experience, in the hall. Thank you.

This week we held our grand opening of our New demountable. The solar panels are already having a great impact. 2W are enjoying this very modern classroom. A big thank you to year 6 who helped to set the room up.

Wishing you all a happy and healthy half term and we look forward to seeing you all back on Monday the 31st October.

Mrs Dack

#### NEW STARTERS SCHOOL TOURS

We had our first new starter tour and have already received wonderful feedback from some of the prospective new parents. The tours will be with the Head Teacher, Deputy Head and Early Years Foundation Teachers.

Tuesday 1st November Tour at 9.15am—10.15am (Full)

Tuesday 8th November Tour at 9.15am to 10.15am (Full)

Wednesday 9th November Tour at 9.15am—10.15am (Full)

Tuesday 15th November Tour at 9.15am—10.15am (Full)

Wednesday 16th November Tour at 9.15am—10.15am

Please contact the office on 01621 853572 or email [office@wentworth.essex.sch.uk](mailto:office@wentworth.essex.sch.uk), if you would like to book on a tour.

#### SECONDARY SCHOOL ADMISSIONS SEPTEMBER 2023

The statutory national closing date for applications is **31st October 2022**. Applications can be made online via: [www.essex.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.essex.gov.uk/admissions)

As with last year, Essex County Council are **not** sending letters to parents about applying for secondary schools. All application information is available on the website above. Please ensure you make your application by **31st October 2022**.

**PARENT CONSULTATIONS  
ON SCHOOL CLOUD**

Parent Consultations will take place on Wednesday 30th November 3.10pm-5.20pm and Thursday 1st December 3.10pm-5.20pm.

Invites to book your date and time will be sent out nearer the time. We will be offering parents the opportunity to come into school at the end of the day to look at your child's learning on:

Monday 28th November 3.15pm-4.15pm

Tuesday 29th November 3.15pm-4.15pm

**CHILDREN IN NEED—NON UNIFORM DAY**

We will be supporting Children in Need on Friday the 18th November 2022. It will be a non uniform day. Wear what you like day. We ask for a minimum donations of a £1.

**BRITISH LEGION POPPY APPEAL**

We support the British Legion poppy appeal at the school every year. We will be taking the poppy merchandise around to the classes, week commencing 31st October for children to purchase items. Donation for items range from 50p to £2.00.

**HARVEST FESTIVAL**

We would like to thank everybody for their kind donations to our Harvest festival. It was a fantastic response and the Maldon Food Pantry were most grateful. This benefits children in our school.

**MACMILLAN DAY**

We would like to thank everybody for supporting us with Macmillan Day. Due to all your donations and generosity we raised a massive £1045.24 for the charity. What a wonderful achievement! This is a charity accessed by many of our families.

**CLASS ASSEMBLIES**

This year we are delighted to be able to invite parents and carers back into school to see your child's work at their class assembly. These assemblies will start at 2.40pm. KS1 - Millenium Hall and KS2 - Viking Hall. Please put the date in your diary. They are all held on a Thursday and there is no need to book. Younger siblings are welcome but must be quiet!

6K—3rd November

6S—10th November

5P—17th November

5PA—24th November

4S— 19th January

4P— 26th January

3A—2nd February

3W—9th February

2N—2nd March

2W—9th March

1Q—16th March

1S—23rd March

F1—27th April

F2—4th May

F3—11th May

<b>24th–28th October</b>	<b>HALF TERM</b>
31st October	Pupils return
1st November	New Starter School Tour 9.15am – 10.15am
2nd November	Year 5 Road Safety Talk/Walk—9.00am
2nd November	F1 Road Safety Talk Parents invited—2.15pm
3rd November	Year 5 Road Safety Talk/Walk—9.00am
3rd November	F2 Road Safety Talk Parents invited—2.15pm
4th November	F3 Road Safety Talk Parents invited—2.15pm
8th & 9th Nov	New Starter School Tour 9.15am – 10.15am
11th November	5P to walk to War Memorial
15th November	New Starter School Tour 9.15am – 10.15am
16th November	New Starter School Tour 9.15am – 10.15am
18th November	Children in Need – Non Uniform (£1 donation) Dress as Pudsey
21st November	Flu Immunisation Day—Details to follow
28th & 29th November	Parent Book Look in classes 3.15pm -4.15pm—Come and look at your child's work. Enter by the Front door.
29th November	Year 1 Trip to Toy Museum
30th November & 1st December	Parent Consultations on School Cloud—Book online (Further information will be sent nearer the time) <b>Weds 30th Nov 3.10 – 5.20pm Thurs 1st Dec 3.10—5.20pm</b>
2nd December	Decoration Day (£1 donation)
6th December	Year 3 Viking Day— Pupils come dressed in costume
7th December	Christmas Dinners (£2.50 book on sims)
8th December	Christmas Fayre (Pupil only - Donation online) Non uniform
9th December	Year 3 Christingle—2.30pm. Parents welcome to come and watch. This will be outside weather permitting.
12th December	Choir rehearsal - Christchurch Chelmsford 1.00 –2.00pm Choir—Walking in the Air performance 5.30pm
14th December	Year 2 Performances: Mill Hall <b>Wed 14th Dec – 9.30 and 1.30pm, siblings allowed at both performances. 2 adult tickets per family</b>
14th December	EYFS and Year 1 Nativity Day— Pupils come dressed in costume
15th December	Year 5 Ancient Greek Day - Pupils come dressed in costume
15th December	PTA Discos—Non uniform EYFS/KS1 <b>Stay at school 3.15-4.00pm</b> KS2 <b>Return to school at 4.15-5.00pm</b>
19th December	Christmas Raffle PTA
20th December	Santa Day Staff and pupils to dress up as Santa, reindeer etc. or wear Christmas jumpers.
<b>21st December—4th January</b>	<b>CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS</b>
<b>5th January</b>	Pupils return