

Walmsley CE Primary School

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Walmsley News

Friday, 6th September 2024

Welcome Back

It has been a delight to welcome the children back to school this week. A huge well done to our new Reception children who have had a fantastic first week in school.

We started the week with a whole school project to launch our new school values:

-  Aspiration
-  Hope
-  Love
-  Resilience
-  Respect
-  Trust

Further information will be shared with you next week about our vision and values.

Duchenne Awareness Day

On Monday, 9th September, we would like to ask all of the children in school to wear their favourite football kit or sporty clothes to celebrate a very special child in our school family and children all over the world who tackle life each day with Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy.



To support Duchenne Awareness day, we are challenging each class to score 79 penalties during the day and kindly ask that all children bring a voluntary donation to school that we can send to Action Duchenne. Please send any donations in an envelope clearly marked 'Duchenne Awareness Day'.

If you would like to find out more about World Duchenne Day, please click the link below:

<https://www.worldduchenneday.org/>

Dates for your Diary... more information to follow

Monday, 16th September at 5:30pm - Meet the Teacher for Reception, Year 3, Year 4 and Year 6

Tuesday, 17th September at 5:30pm- Meet the Teacher for Year 1, Year 2 and Year 5

Thursday, 3rd October - Nasal Flu Vaccinations

Monday, 21st October - School Photographs

PE Days for the Autumn Term

Further to Mrs Atherton's email yesterday, PE days are as follows:

Class	PE Day 1	PE Day 2
Reception	Wednesday	Friday
Year 1 Simmonds	Monday	Thursday
Year 1/2 Rashford	Monday	Tuesday
Year 2 Farah	Monday	Thursday
Year 3 Attenborough	Monday	Thursday
Year 3/4 Moore	Monday	Thursday
Year 4 Nightingale	Tuesday	Thursday
Year 5 Curie	Tuesday	Friday
Year 5 Turing	Tuesday	Friday
Year 6 Thunberg	Tuesday	Friday
Year 6 Yousafzai	Monday	Friday

Children should come to school wearing their PE kit rather than getting changed at school.

Our PE kit is as follows:

- Plain black short, leggings or joggers
- Plain white t-shirt (no cropped tops)
- Blue PE hoodie or school blue jumper

Long hair must be tied back and jewellery must be removed. If your child is unable to remove their stud earrings, please tape them up before school.

Extra-Curricular Before and After School Clubs

We look forward to seeing our before and after school clubs starting from Monday. If you have still not booked a place for your child, please email the school office to check availability. Please note, **all** clubs will run up to the Christmas holidays!

Parking on Stanrose Close

Please could we send a reminder that parents **MUST NOT** park on Stanrose Close. This road is a private road. We have received photographs of cars parked at the bottom of the close causing an obstruction. Residents must have access to their homes at all times.

Thank you so much for your understanding.

Bolton Music Service

Bolton Music Service instrument lessons will re-commence next week. If you would like more information about instrument lessons in school, please contact Bolton Music Service direct for more information.

<https://boltonmusicservice.com/parents-and-pupils/>