

WEST HESLERTON C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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"Children are at the centre of all we do."

NEWSLETTER November 26th 2021

A paper newsletter will be sent home each Friday, you may wish to isolate this for 48 hours before reading it. This will also be on the school website. www.westheslertonschool.co.uk

CHRISTMAS CARDS

The post boxes will be available from Monday, December 6th. Please do not bring in cards prior to this date, they will get lost!!

SPECIAL LUNCH

On **Tuesday, December 7th** there will be a change to the menu. We will serve an all-day breakfast to children between 12 noon and 1.00pm:

Sausage, bacon, beans, hash brown

Toast

Fruit Muffin

Free to children in years R-2 and £2.50 for children in years 3-6.

ATTENDANCE

Attendance this term has been amazing considering the circumstances. Thank you all for trying so hard to attend school.

SWIMMING

It is the last swimming session this Tuesday, lots of fun!

COVID

Should you have **any positive Covid test results**, please share these with us using covid@heslerton.n-yorks.sch.uk so that we can work with Health England. Emails are checked daily, including weekends, to identify cases of children at school and home.

Pupils, staff and other adults must not come into the school if they have one or more coronavirus (COVID-19) symptoms. A PCR test should be arranged and pupils should stay away from school until the outcome is known. If positive, they should remain at home for at least 10 days.

ATHLETICS EVENT

The children in Farthing Wood will be taking part in an athletics event at Lady Lumley's School on **Friday, December 3rd**. They will travel with Fletcher's coaches and be accompanied by Mrs Bickerton and Mrs Wardell. We will leave school at 11.45 after an early lunch **and leave Lady Lumley's at 3.15pm. The children will be back at school at 3.45pm for a late pick up**. Children should come to school in their P.E. kit and they will be issued with a team shirt. Please would parents wash the team shirts and return them to school as soon as possible.

Pupils will need to take their own inhalers if necessary. School carries insurance for all school trips. In case of emergency please contact the school.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

There are lots of after school clubs next half term:

Mondays: Gym for years 2,3 and 4
: Bible adventure for R and year 1
Tuesdays: Cricket for Farthing Wood
: Yoga for years 2,3 and 4
Wednesdays: Let's Play for R and Y1
Thursdays: Golf for Farthing Wood
Please see attached booking letters.

SCHOOL PAYMENTS

As mentioned previously, West Heslerton School will be a cashless school in January 2022 for dinner money, trips, after school club and other school-based activities. This will be via Parent Pay. Logins have been issued to all families. If you have any queries, please contact the school office. We will continue to accept cash for the tuck shop so that children are still handling cash.

If you require this in a different format, please contact the school office.

BADGER WOOD

We started Children in Need Day with a workout from Joe Wicks. Then we have made some Pudsey faces with the beautiful leaves from a tree on the field - which has given us lots of opportunities to talk about 'deciduous' trees.



KEEPER WOOD

What a great turn out for Pudsey/fancy dress/pyjama dress up day!
Thank you for all your kind donations to a fantastic cause!



FARTHING WOOD

Thank you to everyone for supporting our fundraising and coming in a range of outfits: onesies, PJs, dressing gowns and comfy clothes. We had fun trying to solve a spelling, punctuation and grammar escape room and also using our maths to break the Children in Need code! In Forest School we used our pulley skills to hoist our planets into the trees to finish creating our replica solar system.



AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

This week we have been planting wild cherry trees given to the school by the woodland trust.



Do come along and try our exciting after school club, use your free voucher.
Registration forms are attached where we need these updating.

ATTACHED

Please find attached:

- Club letters
- Parent Pay login if required
- After School Club registration where required

COMMUNICATION

May we please remind you to phone school to report absences, book clubs, make appointments etc. Messages to the office in this way will be dealt with by all staff more regularly. Emails and Dojo messages only go to one member of staff, who may or may not be available to respond.

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