Welbourn Church of England Primary School



'Believe, Excite, Succeed, Together'

Friday 20th September 2024



Dear Parents and Carers

What a wonderful warm welcome I have had to Welbourn from pupils, staff and parents, I am thoroughly enjoying my time getting to know the school and everyone in it's family. Thank you for making me feel so welcome.

Please look at the "Dates for your Diary", apologies for the short notice of the new starters service next week at church but we were waiting for confirmation from Rev Sarah. I hope you will be able to join us at some of the events we have planned for the coming weeks.

You will see we are trialling Dojo as a way to let you know what your children have been learning in school and I hope you are enjoying talking to them about their day. I will be asking for your feedback in a couple of weeks.

We will be looking for some support for our Friends of School in the next few weeks, your help is greatly appreciated when we are fundraising for the 'extra's' in school and to give the children some lovely experiences. Please volunteer if you can.

A couple of reminders for every day – please remember we are a nut free school, we have more than one person with significant allergies and therefore cannot allow nuts or nut based products into school. Other allergies are coconut, mustard, sesame, egg, kiwi and peas so please do not send these into school. Also, can you ensure your child has a healthy snack for breaktimes – a piece of fresh fruit/ vegetable or cereal bar should be eaten at morning break, I will be talking to the children about healthy snacks.

Please name everything your child brings into school, we already have a collection of fleeces and jumpers. Water bottles also need naming as they are put in a tray in the classroom and often children have the same design, it is important we reduce the risk of germ sharing, especially at this time of year when colds are starting up! Children need to bring the correct PE kit for their lessons please, also named.

Also we have a clothes bank which is situated on the school drive – our school earns money every time it is emptied. In addition, we have signed up with Asda Cashpot for Schools – all you need to do is download the App and every time you shop at Asda show them the QR code and school earns money.

Finally, I am pleased to let you know we will be hosting a Scholastic book fair on parents evening, I hope you will be able to support the event.

Any questions, please get in touch with the school office. Have a lovely and enjoyable weekend

Kind regards Mrs Jayne Watson Executive Headteacher

Dates for

your diary

Academic Year 2024-2025

W/C 23.09.24. – Bikeability training for Year 5/6

Thursday 26.09.24. – New Starters service at St Chad's church at 10.00am – everyone welcome

Friday 27.09.24. – Sports Crew Training in school

Tuesday 01.10.24. – Open Morning for September 2025 intake 9.30am to 11.00am

Wednesday 02.10.24. – Flu immunisations in school

Thursday 03.10.24. – Open Afternoon for September 2025 intake 1.30pm to 3.00pm

Tuesday 08.10.24. – Harvest Festival at St Chad's Church – 2.30pm

18.10.24. - Last day of term

28.10.24. – Inset Day for staff

01.11.24. – Tempest Photography – siblings and individual photos

Safeguarding If you have any concerns about the welfare of a child, please call: 01522782111 or reported to a staff member in school.