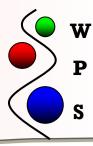
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Attendance

Class	Attendance for the period 29-03-2021 to 01-04-2021 Target 97%	Has the class target been attained this week?	
RA	90.00%	Not Attained	
RB	98.21%	Attained	
1A	93.75%	Not Attained	
1S	89.22%	Not Attained	
2A	85.71%	Not Attained	
2K	91.14%	Not Attained	
3PF	88.70%	Not Attained	
ЗR	91.94%	Not Attained	
4A	86.29%	Not Attained	
4Y	86.48%	Not Attained	
5K	98.39%	Attained	
5S	90.83%	Not Attained	
6D	91.67%	Not Attained	
6S	83.06%	Not Attained	
Overall School	90.39%	Whole school target not attained!	

Our attendance target is 97%

Please ensure you send your child to school.

Due to further easing of lockdown measures, sending your child to school is now a legal requirement. You will be fined if you do not send your child to school.

Coronavirus update

As restrictions regarding Covid-19 slowly ease, it gives us all hope that in time things will return to normal. We still request all visitors and parents/carers who come onto the school site to wear face coverings as well as continuing to maintain social distance. Hopefully as the rate of Covid-19 falls further, we will be able to ease these restrictions. In the meantime, we will continue to follow the government guidelines. We will continue to keep children in their year group bubbles and minimise mixing with other children during lunch and break times due to our staggered timings for these sessions. Children and staff are still regularly washing / sanitising their hands and this will continue until we are advised otherwise.

Educational Visits

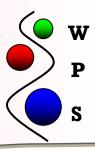
For the summer term, we have started planning a number of exciting educational visits for our children. During the pandemic, we were unable to provide some of our trips that we normally offer and in an effort to make up for this we have organised the following visits:

Years 1,2, 3 and 4 will visit Bell Heath, an outdoor education centre in Stourbridge. Children will have the chance to take part in a number of outdoor activities including team building, climbing and zip-wire. The cost of this trip would normally cost £50 per pupil but school will cover the costs and so it will be completely free for your child. We will shortly send out consent letters.

Years 5 & 6 will visit Plas Gwynant in Wales for a 2 night residential stay. The cost of this trip would normally be £200 per pupil; school will pay the majority of this but we are asking for a parental contribution of only £25 per pupil. Consent letters will be sent out next month.

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Enrichment afternoons

We have noticed that many of our children have found it difficult to adjust to learning after the lockdown. To enthuse our children, we have established one enrichment afternoon per week for the summer term. This will give our children the opportunity to engage in creative and physical activities, working together with others in their class. This will give the children something to look forward to and re-ignite their love of learning. You will be able to send your child to school in PE clothing on the days they have their enrichment afternoons:

Year 1:	Wednesday	Year 2:	Monday	Year 3:	Tuesday
Year 4:	Thursday	Year 5:	Monday	Year 6:	Wednesday

Reception and Nursery will also integrate enrichment activities into their weekly timetable.

Children can therefore come into school in their PE kits on their PE day and their enrichment afternoon. PE days are listed below:

RA	Thursday	RB	Thursday
1A	Tuesday	1 S	Monday
2A	Wednesday	2K	Wednesday
3PF	Monday	3R	Monday
4 A	Wednesday	4Y	Wednesday
5K	Tuesday	5S	Tuesday
6D	Thursday	6F	Thursday

Election Day

Please note that school will be closed to all pupils on Thursday 6th May due to the school site being used as a polling station. If you are a key worker and require provision for your child, please contact the school office to speak to Mr Samad.

Dates for your diary—2021

Monday 3rd May:	Bank Holiday—school closed
Thursday 6th May:	School closed to pupils due to local elections
Friday 28th May:	Break up for Summer Half-Term holiday
Monday 7th June:	School re-opens to pupils
Wednesday 21st July:	Break up for the Summer Holidays
Thursday 2nd & Friday 3rd Sept:	Staff training days
Monday 6th September:	Pupils return to school