

Newsletter



21.4.2023

Dates for your diary

Monday 1 May

Bank Holiday

Monday 8 May

Bank Holiday

Tuesday 9 May

Year 6 SATs this week

Friday 26 May

Break up for Half Term

Monday 5 June

Children return to school

Welcome back to the summer term!



Eid Mubarak to all our families celebrating Eid today and this weekend—we hope you have a fabulous time!

Welcome back to Carol and Julie who have both returned to work this week!

Year 3 rugby experts

After 4 weeks of tag rugby coaching with Darren from Colne and Nelson Rugby Club, 12 children from Year 3 took part in a mini tournament at the Rugby Club. Oliver's team were victorious after a golden try from Daisy! Well done to all of Year 3 for some super rugby skills.





On Wednesday, Reception and KS1 had a special visit. The PCSO (Police Community Support Officer) came to talk to us about their job in the community and the equipment they use. We discussed how to keep safe and the number we can call when we need help.



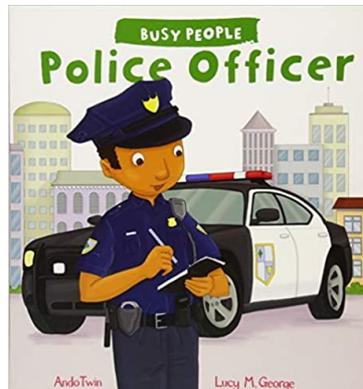
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Goodbye Miss. Brown!

Today we said goodbye to Miss. Lucy Brown. Miss. Brown has been working at West Street for the last eight years. She has worked with different age groups of children. For the last two years Miss. Brown has worked with Reception children. Miss. Brown is passionate about the outdoors and has played a key role in developing the EYFS Outdoor Area. She is leaving to start a new job with the police. We wish Miss. Brown much success with her exciting new role and look forward to her visiting us wearing her smart new uniform.

Goodbye Miss. Brown!



School Dinners

Due to delivery issues we are unable to provide the menu for next week. Sorry for any inconvenience.



The cost of school dinners are:

£2.40 per day OR £12.00 per week

Parents who pay for their child's school dinners should pay directly to the office staff. Payments can be made either by cash or cheque.



A massive well done and congratulations to our learners and readers of the week!!

GREAT JOB - You have earned 10 Dojo points!

THANK YOU to all those parents who joined us for this morning's Celebration Assembly to see your child receive an award.



Readers of the Week

- Year R** **Adam** for his amazing progress in his phonics. His improved chopping and blending which is supported with lots of home learning.
- Year 1** **Jasmin** for completing the reading challenge and showing a real pleasure for reading.
- Year 2** **Novagh** for her love of her Egyptian reading book!
- Year 3** **Haajra** for super reading over the holidays.
- Year 4** **Lottie** for using lots of expression when reading aloud to the class.
- Year 5** **Riley** for his enthusiasm during Power of Reading lessons.
- Year 6** **Charlotte** for always offering to read aloud to the class.

Learners of the Week

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| Year R | Bradley for completing lots of learning challenges independently. | Umaima for fantastic contributions during carpet time. |
| Year 1 | Kalub for having a positive attitude and trying his best all week. | Sam for being fantastic in Maths at counting in 2s and 10s! |
| Year 2 | Inaya for her beautiful handwriting! | Delia for her amazing drawing of King Charles! |
| Year 3 | Sultan for fantastic debating skills and super attitude to learning. | Ryan for his amazing Science knowledge! |
| Year 4 | Lily T for excellent contributions to class discussions especially in Science. | Ade for a really positive attitude and for always trying his best. |
| Year 5 | Ibrahim for a positive attitude and persevering in writing. | Millie for an outstanding start to the term and believing in herself! |
| Year 6 | Dylan for having a positive attitude to learning and for improving his arithmetic score. | Skylar for doing brilliantly in her arithmetic test - keep it up! |
- Cai** for a great first week back and having a very positive and smiley attitude.



Contacting School

The school office is open from 8.30am. Please leave a message on the answer phone before 8.30am. A member of staff will phone you back when necessary.



Holiday Dates

For school holiday dates please check our website www.west-street.org where you will find the current and next school year's holiday dates.



Are you interested volunteering in school?

We are keen to welcome more volunteers in school to support children's learning e.g. by hearing readers, helping out with practical activities such as cooking, art and crafts, help out with other activities. Volunteers must have a DBS – this is easy to organise with Miss. Watson. Interested? Then talk with Miss. Watson or Mrs. Duerden!



Absence Procedure

When you know your child is off school ill please call and leave us a message. Then we know why your child is not in school.

When your child is not in school, the office staff will:

- send a text message to remind parents that school needs to know why your child is absent
- make a phone call when they have not yet heard back from you
- ask Mrs. Peake to make a home visit

When you receive a text from school you can either reply to the text we have sent you OR just give us a ring.

