

# NEWSLETTER

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	Congratulations to our		
	Learners of the Year	Most Improved Learners	
		of the Year	
Year R	Well done <b>Ronnie</b> for showing consistent	Well done <b>Harvey</b> for showing outstanding	
	effort in all areas throughout the year. She has	effort in all his home learning through this year.	
	faced and overcome challenges with a fantastic	His efforts really have reflected in his class	
	attitude. She takes pride in her work and	work. When facing challenges, Harvey has	
	completes each piece to the best of her ability	shown great resilience in overcoming them –	
	– what a superstar!	always with a smile!	
Year I	Well done <b>Macey-Mae</b> for being an excellent	Well done <b>Nikita</b> for demonstrating such a	
	role model who is always ready to learn and	hunger to learn – this has led to amazing	
	caring for everyone in our class!	progress!	
Year 2	Well done <b>Lottie</b> for being an outstanding	Well done <b>Lily R.</b> – you have really developed	
	role model in every aspect of school life! Her	as an individual. You have grown in self-belief,	
	behaviour, manners, kindness, positivity and	confidence and independence so much that you	
	hardworking attitude are amazing!	are now achieving your potential!	
Year 3	Well done <b>Maison</b> for a wonderful year when	Well done <b>Ruby</b> for a huge improvement in	
	in every day and every lesson you are a role	your effort and attitude to all your learning as	
	model. You work very hard and are a joy to	well as your determination to not let those little	
	teach!	things upset you!	
Year 4	Well done <b>Georgia</b> for constantly trying hard	Well done <b>Urban</b> you have made huge	
	even when you are finding your learning	amounts of progress emotionally, socially and	
	difficult. Your behaviour is impeccable and you	academically. You have had your ups and downs,	
	are such a lovely girl!	however you are so keen to overcome these to	
		learn and make progress!	
Year 5	Well done <b>Jake</b> for great effort all year and	Well done <b>Hassan</b> for phenomenal effort all	
	fantastic test results, especially in Maths –	year and outstanding progress in all subjects!	
	fantastic work!		
Year 6	Well done <b>Alishba</b> for consistently putting	Well done <b>Lucan</b> for applying yourself to	
	100% in to every single lesson as well as your	learning, being very resilient and working your	
	very mature and conscientious approach to	socks off!	
	learning!		

GREAT JOB - YOU have earned both a certificate and a book chosen for you by your teacher!

## **ONE BIG THANKYOU!**

ONE BIG THANKYOU to our whole school community - all the children, parents, staff and governors – for being part of such a wonderful team during this academic year. It has been a year of change and uncertainty with the pandemic, however I am always very proud of and impressed by the resilience, positivity and support that every shows.

Let's hope that next academic year will be more 'normal' so that we can work together to continue providing the children with all they need to be the best learners they can be!

I hope you have a happy and safe summer holiday and look forward to working with you in 2021-2022.

#### **Miss Watson**

# Goodbye Year 6!

Well done to Year 6 for their Leavers' Assembly this morning.

Thanks to Miss. Reed, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Broadbent, Mr. Smith & Mr. Filder for supporting Year 6 with their performance.

We wish Year 6 much success for the future, both at their new high schools and beyond! We look forward to hearing about their adventures and hope they will stay in touch. Many thanks to Year 6 parents for all your support during your child's time at West Street.

# It's back to school uniform in September

From the start of next term we expect all children to wear full school uniform including shoes.

Children will also need to bring their school P.E. kit with them.

#### What is the school uniform?

Uniform is an important part of school life. It gives the children a sense of identity and pride in themselves and their school. It has also been shown that pupils' attitudes to work and school improves when they are wearing uniform.

Our school uniform consists of:

- Navy blue sweatshirt and/or navy blue fleece both with the school logo. (These can be obtained, at a very reasonable price, from the school office.)
- White polo shirt
- Navy blue, grey or black trousers
- Navy blue, grey or black skirt or pinafore dress
- Sensible dark shoes no fashion shoes/boots/trainers please
- It is important that all items of clothing, especially outdoor wear coats, gloves, hats and scarves -are clearly labelled with your child's name

#### P.E. Kit

Children wear a white T-shirt and dark plain shorts with pumps for indoor P.E. and trainers for outdoor P.E. to change into. Dark plain tracksuit bottoms or leggings can be worn for outdoor P.E. in colder weather. Each class has one indoor and one outdoor P.E. lesson every week at the same time/day. All P.E. kit should be kept in a drawstring bag. Drawstring bags with the school logo can be bought from the school office. All P.E. kit, including the drawstring bag, must be clearly labelled with your child's name.

#### **Jewellery**

We follow Lancashire County Council guidelines about jewellery and ask that children wear no more than one pair of stud earrings. Earrings must be removed for P.E. and swimming lessons – children must be able to remove their own earrings as staff are not allowed to do this. When a child is unable to remove their own earrings then they should come to school without earrings in on P.E. and swimming days. No other jewellery is allowed to be worn for school. This is for your child's own safety.

Nursery children wear their own clothes and purple sweatshirt with our logo. This is available to buy from the school office.

It is essential that all items of school uniform have the child's name inside.

Please check this regularly.

Lost, unnamed clothing is kept as 'lost property' for a term and then it is recycled.



### Where can I buy school uniform?

The following items of uniform are available from the school office. All these items include our logo. Nursery sweatshirts are purple, all uniform sold for Primary children is navy blue.

When items are not in stock then they can be ordered.

All other items of uniform can be bought at local supermarkets.

Nursery sweatshirt	£8
Primary Sweatshirt up to size 26	£8
Primary Sweatshirt up to size 28 and above	£8.50
Cardigan – all sizes	£9
Drawstring bag for P.E. kit	£3
Book bag	£7.50

What's happening next?		
Parents receive email from school regarding information about school day – start/finish times, playtimes	Thu 26 <sup>th</sup> August	
All Year 1/2/3/4/5/6 children start school	Thu 2 <sup>nd</sup> September	
Nursery re-opens  New Reception children start school part-time	Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> September	
New Reception children start school full-time	Mon 20 <sup>th</sup> September	

## **IMPORTANT COVID-19 UPDATE**

When you or your child develop symptoms of COVID-19 during the summer holidays - it is important that you self-isolate and get tested as soon as possible. For children who have been in school this week: when your child receives a positive test result and symptoms started within 48 hours of your child being in our school, you must inform school by emailing <a href="mailto:covid@weststreet.lancs.sch.uk">covid@weststreet.lancs.sch.uk</a>

This means when symptoms start before 3pm on Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> July, you MUST let school know the results of any test.

Miss. Watson or Mrs. Duerden will then inform the contacts of the positive case and notify the Local Authority.

When symptoms start more than 48 hours after being in school, NHS Test and Trace will inform contacts of the positive person.

#### Get a PCR test

Parents can now access lateral flow tests for covid-19 by ordering on the website: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests">https://www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests</a>

Order by phone. Call 119. Lines are open 7am to 11pm and calls are free.

You can also:

- find a pharmacy where you can collect tests
- find a local site to get tested at
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- get tests from your employer (if you cannot work from home)

When you or your child has a positive lateral flow test result, it is essential that you book a PCR test for as soon as possible to confirm that the result is positive. Then inform school so we can decide if anyone needs to self-isolate.

When you or your child has symptoms, you and everyone you live with must immediately self-isolate. Do not leave home until you get your test results, except to post a test kit or for a PCR test appointment