



Welbourn Church of England Primary School

'Believe, Excite, Succeed, Together'

Friday 13th October 2023



Dear Parents and Carers,

I'm pleased to announce that we have successfully elected our new School Council members. The children took part in a campaign week, which included writing speeches, making rosettes and banners and supporting the candidates. The week ended with a polling station and children used a secret ballot to vote who they wanted to be elected. It ran far smoother than the general election although the votes were close. Here are our new School Council:



Their first task has been to decide what they would like to raise money for. They have chosen to sponsor a child in Uganda. We have a sponsored fun run planned for Monday 6th November.

Attendance

Our attendance is 97%! If your child has a cold, they are still fine to come to school. We are monitored by the local authority, and we are not allowed to authorise holidays or days off during term time to visit family members. If your child's attendance drops below 95%, their attendance is also monitored by the local authority.

Anaphylaxis Awareness week

Thank you to everyone for supporting us with wearing colourful shoes to raise awareness of anaphylaxis and allergies in school. Arthur, chose the theme and talked in assembly about the signs and symptoms to look out for. All children took part in a competition and had a go with the epi-pen. Please note that the following foods are still banned in school:

- Nuts
- Peas
- Kiwi
- Sesame seeds
- Egg

We have a number of children and staff who have severe allergies to these so we thank you for your continued support.

Local Authority visit

We are delighted that the Director of Education in Lincolnshire visited our school last week to personally congratulate us on our brilliant Ofsted report and grading. He commented how lovely the school was and that the children were engaged and producing a high standard of work.

Parents evening

Please sign up for a slot to talk to your child's class teacher about how they have settled in, their work and behaviour. There will be time to view their work too.

Weather conditions

Please ensure that your child has a coat in school every day. We will still go out to play for some fresh air even if it is drizzling.

Please ensure that your child has their reading record and water bottle in school every day. We look forward to seeing you all on Monday at 8.45am. Have a great weekend!

Kind regards
Mrs T Boulter
Headteacher

Dates for your diary

Tuesday 17th October

Open afternoon 2.00 -
3.00pm for Reception
intake 2024

Wednesday 18th October

Parents evening
3.30pm - 7.00pm

Friday 20th October

Topaz Class art
gallery and afternoon
tea
Last day of term

Monday 30th October

Inset day for Staff

Tuesday 31st October

Back to school /
Inspiration day

Wednesday 1st November

Mr Clarke in school to
do woodwork with
Amethyst Class

Open morning 9.30 –
10.30am for
Reception intake 2024

Friday 3rd November

Tempest Photography
in for sibling and
individual
photographs

Monday 6th November

Whole school
sponsored fun run

Thursday 9th November

Remembrance
Service at St Chad's
10.30am

Safeguarding

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

Let's take a look at what our children have been learning...

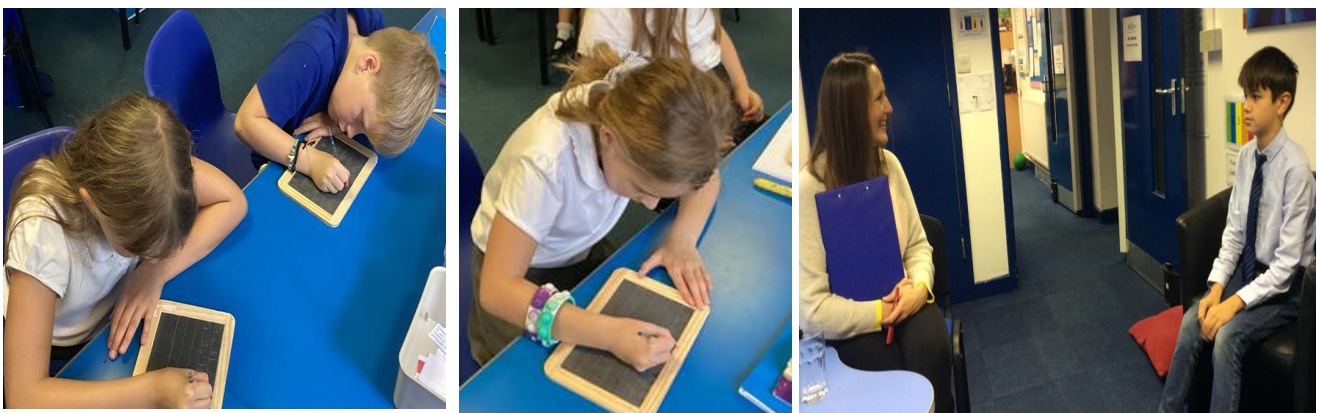
Topaz Class have enjoyed creating art in the style of Van Gogh and singing with Mr Roberts in music.



Emerald class enjoyed doing Supermovers, making models of their arm to help them learn about how the muscles relax and contract and editing their narrative writing.



Amethyst Class enjoyed writing application letters for jobs to Mrs Boulter and being interviewed. We now have sports leaders, librarians, Worship council members and many more! They have also experienced what life was like at school during the Victorian times.



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