



Welbourn Church of England Primary School

'Believe, Excite, Succeed, Together'

Friday 3rd November 2023



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to Term 2! We launched our topics again with an exciting Inspiration Day. Topaz Reception Class had a party for their topic 'Celebrations', Topaz KS1 Class created maps and stamps linked to their 'Jolly Postman' topic. Emerald Class continued with Early Man arts and crafts and Amethyst Class continued their topic of Victorians so made Lanterns using woodwork and engineering with Mr Clarke. View our school website and social media for more information on what your child is learning.

Fun Run

On Monday we took part in our school fun run. This was to raise money for children in Uganda to go to school. We ran around the playground and wore fancy dress items. Sponsor forms are due back into school by Friday 10th November with donations – thank you for your generosity and support.

Remembrance

On Thursday 9th November we will hold our Remembrance service at St Chad's church at 10.30am, everyone is welcome to attend. We will be making poppies in school to wear and display.

Our School Council will be selling poppies and other items during break, lunchtime and after school so your children are invited to bring a suggested donation of £1.00 to £2.00 for this.

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.

Art Gallery

Due to the weather, we had to postpone our art gallery with tea and cake. We will open the gallery to all friends and families again on Friday 24th November at 3.00pm.

Weather conditions

As you know, the weather is very unpredictable at the moment and there are lots of weather warnings. Topaz Classroom mobile has been leaking through the roof, which has impacted on the electrics so the children are now learning in a different room until the problem is resolved.

Please also 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.

Festive events

Please check our dates section on the newsletter and website to keep up to date with plays, Christmas events and activities this term as it can become quite a busy one.

Reminders

Please ensure that your child has their reading record and water bottle in school every day. Also please do not park on the yellow lines outside our school or across neighbours' driveways.

Kind regards
Mrs T Boulter
Headteacher

Dates for your diary

Thursday 09.11.23.
Remembrance service at St Chad's - 10.30am

Tuesday 14.11.23.
Amethyst class Picture News live online event

Thursday 23.11.23.
SATS information evening for Year 6 parents. 3.30pm

Friday 24.11.23.
Art Gallery for parents – Topaz Class 3.00pm

Thursday 30.11.23.
SWRA "We Will Rock You" workshop with Amethyst

Friday 01.12.23.
Non uniform day (bring a donation for the Christmas hampers)

3.30pm Christmas carols and lights switch on

Wednesday 06.12.23.
Amethyst class at SWRA to watch "We Will Rock You"

Thursday 07.12.23.
Christmas Jumper day/
Book Fayre
Parent involvement afternoon for Emerald class parents

W/C 11.12.23.
Christmas Gift Shops

Thursday 14.12.23.
Parent involvement afternoon for Amethyst

Friday 15.12.23.
Topaz Nativity at Welbourn Village Hall – 2.00pm

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 baking cakes, making party hats and cards and playing party games.



Emerald class enjoyed making cave people, jewellery using salt dough, making and tasting recipes and finishing their artwork.



Amethyst Class enjoyed exploring Victorian dress, making their very own museum using the artefacts and making lanterns using their D.T skills with Mr Clarke.



We enjoyed the fun run, planned by our super School Council.

