



## Dear Parents and Carers,

We've nearly reached the end of another academic year. It doesn't seem five minutes ago that we were welcoming everyone to their new class in September. I would like to take this opportunity to say a big thank you to everyone for their continued support this year and I wish you all (even though we don't break up until Wednesday) a very, very relaxing summer holiday.

### District sports Tuesday 14th July

I would like to congratulate the children who took part in the District Sports competition this week. The children all competed well and put in 100% into their individual events. The team came 6th in the Field events, 3rd in the track events and 4th Overall. They have been working hard over the past few months training for this event which has certainly paid off. My thanks to Mr King and Mrs Grayland for giving up their time during lunch breaks to train the children for this event.

### Swimming Gala Wednesday 15th July

I could just repeat the above comment for the swimming! Another big well done to the children who competed in the swimming gala on Wednesday. The team secured a wonderful 3rd place overall. We also had lots of individual successes and there are, today, many children walking around with medals around their necks. Our thanks to Mr Pringle for organising the team this year. Well done to all.

### Yr 6 leavers production

Over the past couple of months Year 6 have been working hard rehearsing for their end of year summer production 'Let Loose'. Yesterday, their hard work came to fruition, with two stunning performances. I grinned from ear to ear and laughed out loud the whole way through—except for when the children sang the obligatory sad song at the end. I would like to say a massive well done to all of the children and staff for a truly wonderful performance and for entertaining us so brilliantly. I would also like to say a big thank you to the children of year 6 for all of their achievements over their time at WLPS and on behalf of the whole school community, I wish you all the very best for your future.

### Change in menu for next week

Please note that the Menu for the last week of term is as follows;

Monday 20th July - Pizza & Salad bar

Tuesday 21st July - Roast Turkey dinner

Wednesday 22nd July—Fish fingers & chips or sausage and chips

All meals come with a drink and a selection of puddings

### REMINDERS

#### Dinner money arrears

Please can you ensure that all dinner money arrears are cleared by Wednesday 22nd July. Thank you.

#### Reading Contract

Last week I sent out a letter to your children with an attached Reading Contract. Some classes didn't receive it due to a technical photocopying hitch but you will this evening. Thank you to the many that have returned it. For those who haven't yet, if I can ask that you do so by Monday please. Thank you.

#### School uniform

Please see attached a letter regarding school uniform.

#### Belongings

Please ensure that your child remembers to take all their PE Kit and belongings home with them, as the classrooms will be cleaned and de-cluttered over the holidays. Anything left on site will be disposed of to make way for next term. Thank you

### Weekly results

#### Attendance League

Well done to Dali Class for winning the attendance league for this week and well done to Goldsworthy Class who just pipped Monet class to win the Attendance league for this half Term!

Class	Result	League points
Turner	95.17%	7
Picasso	97.59%	12
Matisse	96.55%	4
Monet	98.33%	18
Hockney	97.50%	6
Goldsworthy	98.52%	19
Dali	99.31%	10
Whole school % since the start of the year	<b>95.65%</b>	<b>Lead Class Goldsworthy</b>

#### Diary dates

20th July	Yr 6 Adventure island trip
22nd July	Last day of term Leavers assembly 2pm
4 & 5 Sept	Non Pupil Days
7th Sept	Back to school
10th Sept	Yr 6 Appleton Roadshow visit 9-12
10th Nov	Tempest photo's in for individual photos

*'WLPS is committed to developing unique and ambitious children who make informed choices and are inspired to reach their greatest potential.'*

Dear Parents/Carers,

As we get closer to the summer holidays, I thought that I would take the time to remind you of the school uniform policy so that when we return in September; there will be no confusion as to the correct school attire.

### **UNIFORM**

White polo shirt with school logo  
Royal blue round neck jumper/sweatshirt with school logo  
Royal blue cardigan with school logo  
Royal Blue Fleece (For outdoor use only)  
Grey skirt/trousers  
White/grey socks  
Grey tights  
Black **Flat**, school shoes. (heels must not be more than 2 cms)

### **Additional options for the summer term**

Blue gingham summer dress (girls)  
Grey shorts (boys)  
White shoes/closed toe sandals

*All items of clothing should be labelled with your child's name. This should include their lunch box. Any lost property that is not labelled will be placed in the lost property box that is located in the school hall.*

### **SPORTS WEAR**

White T-shirt (logo option available)  
Royal Blue shorts (not cycle shorts)  
Navy Blue Tracksuit for outside games.  
Plimsolls  
Trainers (optional, in addition to plimsolls, for outdoor use only)

### **HAIR and JEWELLERY**

Long hair should be tied up during the school day.  
Children should wear plain hair accessories.  
Hair braiding, Nail polish, sharp or large hair slides - or butterfly clips are not part of our uniform.  
Hair dyeing is strongly discouraged.  
Please leave jewellery at home.  
Small stud earrings only.  
Studs must be removed for games, P.E. and swimming.  
A watch may be worn.  
The school cannot take any responsibility for loss or breakage of any of these items.

Remember: If you look smart, you'll act smart!

I would also like to remind you that it is Essex policy that children must remove their earrings for PE lessons. Therefore, if you wish for your child to get their ears pierced, please make sure that this is done at the start of the holidays so that there is sufficient time for the holes not to close when they are taken out.