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Worsley Mesnes Primary School Newsletter





Once again, we will be celebrating World Book Day.

On **Thursday 1st March**, the children will be participating in a range of activities that promote the enjoyment of reading and a love of literature. To help us celebrate, we would like everyone in school to come dressed as a book character! We hope you will support us in this fantastic, annual event- it is the first week back after half term so start making your costumes soon!

We will also be running our book swap at playtimes so if you have any books (in good condition) that you would like to swap for a different one then bring them into school after half term.

For further information or ideas, check out the World Book Day 2018 website. Thank you for your continued support, Mrs. Southern, Literacy Lead.



Valentines Disco

Our FOTSA are holding our annual Valentines Disco on **Wednesday 14th February,** Reception & KS1 4.30pm – 5.30pm and KS2 6.30pm – 8pm, at a cost of £2.50 to include a drink and a snack.

Please note the closing date for this disco is **Monday 12th February.**

Rucksacs

Could you please encourage your child to bring a small rucksack to school or please use one of our school bags, (these can be purchased from our school office), the children's cloakrooms don't have enough room for any large bags.



Thank you for your support.

Lunchtime cover

We are currently looking for a lunchtime assistant to cover any staff absences, this is generally for an hour over the lunchtime period.

If you are interested, please ask at our school office.

Toast



Have you got a spare hour? We urgently need volunteers to come into school to make toast for our KS2 children, 10.15am.

Please ask at the office for more details.

Dolce Catering – Relief Staff Wanted

Dolce Catering are looking for relief staff to cover staff sick, maternity leave and other absence in schools, term time only. This will be as and when required. Duties will range from assisting the cook, simple food prep, washing pots, setting and clearing the hall and cleaning the kitchen. Anyone interested please contact:

Dolce Office on 01942 707709

Mobile 07968339070 and ask for Caroline Turner.

Y6 Hinning House Residential

There will be a meeting for all parents of Y6 children who are visiting Hinning House in March. The meeting will be straight after school, 3.20pm on Thursday 15th February.



Baby & Me

Come and join in the fun! Sessions of sensory, song and rhyme activities, suitable for 0 – confident crawlers.

A free gift at the end of every session to support play at home! Starting Monday 15th January for 5 weeks, 9.15am – 10am.

Attendance for week commencing 29.01.18		
Reception	97.6%	
Year 1	97.9%	
Year 2	94.2%	
Year 3	98.7%	
Year 4	95.9%	
Year 5	95.4%	
Year 6	90.7%	

Please support us with ensuring your child arrives on time for school.

Week commencing 29.01.18 12 children were late for school!

Dates for your diary

Updates are in **bold**

Date	Event	Notes
Every Wednesday	Unify Bank in our Hippo Zone 8:35am – 9:00am	
Wednesday 7 th February	Interim Reports sent home	
Monday 12 th February	Baby & Me Sessions 9.15 – 10am	
Wednesday 14 th February	Valentines Disco	
Thursday 15 th February	3.20pm meeting for Y6 parents of children going to Hinning House	
Monday 19 th February – Friday 23 rd February	Half Term Holidays	
Monday 26 th February	Return to School 8.55am	
Thursday 1 st March	World Book Day	
Wednesday 7 th March	Parents Evening – with Appointments	
Monday 19 th March	Y6 Hinning House Residential	

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