



West Dean Church of England Primary School
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Dear Parents & Carers,

At the end of our first full week back in school this year, we have already seen some super learning for our class topics:

- How many African countries can you name?
- Do you know what the horizontal and vertical lines on maps and globes are?
- Can you name some fractions which are equivalent to $\frac{1}{4}$ and explain how you worked this out?

We hope that the class termly letters which detail the learning for each class this term are helpful. These are also available on our website.

Class Assembly Dates, 8.45:

Tuesday 5th February - Apple Class

Tuesday 12th February - Maple Class

Wednesday 27th February - Beech Class

Tuesday 19th March - Chestnut Class

AAA Coaching Dates Available:

Friday 15th February 2019 (Inset)

Monday 15th—Thursday 18th April 2019 (Easter)

Wednesday 3rd July 2019 (Inset)

Monday 22nd—Friday 26th July 2019 (Summer)

Please contact ben@aaacoaching.co.uk for further details and to book places. Please could we ask that places are booked and paid for in advance of the day to enable Ben to plan for appropriate staff cover. We would like to avoid children turning up on the day expecting a place to be available.

The week ahead..... January 2019

Monday 14th: Art club—Mrs Moss, STEM club—Mrs Prudence

Tuesday 15th : 1.30-3.30—Sports Partnership Infant Agility event at Westgate for Year 2. Children to be collected from Westgate please at 3.30.

Swimming Club—Mrs Goacher & Mrs Johnson

Wednesday 16th: Cookery Club—Mrs Muggeridge & Mrs Boxall Football club —Matt Horstead

Thursday 17th: Westgate swimming for Beech & Chestnut

GAS Language Day at Lavant for selected pupils
Dance Club—Miss Hall,

Lego Club—Mrs. Pearmaine

Friday 18th: AAA Coaching sports club

France Residential Visit - March 4 – 8 2019

Thank you for joining us for our information meeting yesterday; payment is now available on school money for the France residential visit taking place in March 2019. The total amount is £359 but this can be made in instalments; just select the amount that you wish to pay and the balance will reduce accordingly. The balance should be paid in full by Friday 15th February please.



Thank you to those parents who are adhering to our new car parking regulations. Just a reminder that the car park is now only accessible, with a parking permit, for children in Reception or those parents that have younger pre-school children or disability. Please make sure that you do not park in /or block the disabled parking bay reserved for drivers with mobility difficulties.



Permits are available from the school office.

Sports Partnership Event—New Age Kurling

Four children from Chestnut class took part in this event this morning. Thank you to Annette, Lauren's mum, for taking the children along. There were 16 teams taking part in the event which was similar to the Kurling on ice winter sport but on rollers. The children thoroughly enjoyed the morning and came joint 5th in the

competition.



Clarinet lesson - Mrs Schofield has space for new clarinet pupils for Group lessons of 3 or 4 pupils . The cost is £8 per 30min lesson. There is a Bursary Fund available for help with this cost. If your child is interested, she will organise a free taster session. Please contact her at

julie.schofield@westsussexmusic.co.uk.

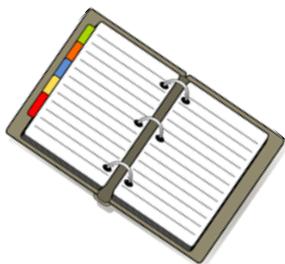


Exciting news: Judo

For the summer term club schedule we will be introducing a new Judo club on Thursday run by Mr Michael Pring. Mr Pring teaches Judo in a number of West Sussex and Hampshire schools currently and previously taught here at West Dean. Children taking part in the club will also have the opportunity to take part in Michael's external community Judo club if they wish to further enhance their expertise.

Look out for further information and details nearer to the summer term. Mr Pring will be coming into school on Friday 5th April to introduce himself to the children and do a little introductory session.





Diary Dates 2019

Spring Term 2019: Thursday 3rd January - Friday 5th April

Half Term - Monday 18th February - Friday 22nd February

Summer Term 2019: Tuesday 23rd April - Friday 19th July

Half Term - Monday 27th May - Friday 31st May

2018/19 INSET days

Friday 15th February 2019

Wednesday 3rd July 2019

Monday 22nd July 2019

Tuesday 23rd July 2019

- Tuesday 15th January, 1.30-3.30 - Year 2 Infant Agility Event at Westgate
- Thursday 17th January, 9.30 - 2.30 - GAS Language Enrichment Day for Yr $\frac{3}{4}$ (selected)
- Thursday 17th January, 9.30-11.00—Westgate Swimming for Beech and Chestnut
- Thursday 17th January, 5.30 - Governing Body Meeting
- Tuesday 22nd January, 1.30—3.30 - Future Flyers (selected) - Westgate
- Wednesday 23rd January, 9.00—3.00—Maple Class visit to Marwell
- Thursday 24th January, 9.30-11.00—Westgate Swimming for Beech and Chestnut
- Monday 28th January - Treasure Hunters at Chichester Cathedral (Year 5/6 selected)
- Tuesday 29th January, 9.30—2.30 - Writing Enrichment Day at Portfield (selected children)
- Wednesday 30th January, 1.30—3.45 - SSP Cross Country Event at Bishop Luffa Year 5/6 (selected children)
- Thursday 31st January, 9.30-11.00—Westgate Swimming for Beech and Chestnut
- Monday 4th February—Literacy Enrichment Day at Chichester Cathedral (selected yr 5/6)
- Tuesday 5th February, 8.45 - Apple Class Assembly
- Tuesday 5th February, 1.15-2.45 - Year 6 e-safety at West Dean
- Tuesday 5th February, 6.00-7.00—Parents e-safety meeting at Lancastrian School
- Thursday 5th February, 9.30-11.00—Westgate Swimming for Beech and Chestnut
- Monday 11th February, 9.30-11.30 - Superhero Drama Workshop—Year R, 1 & 2
- Tuesday 12th February, 8.45 - Maple Class Assembly
- Thursday 14th February, 2.30 - Community Café

Y5/6 residential visit to France - March 4th - 7th 2019

Acorn Awards

Friday 11th January 2019

Poppy - for coming in with a smile and working hard with her reading and writing

Anu - for always doing her best and being such a super role model

Lucia - for super concentration with her writing and effort with her handwriting

Claude - for his many contributions and sharing his knowledge in our topic work

Sonny - for independently applying his knowledge of maths to further his skills in new areas of learning

Solomon - for thinking like a mathematician in his work with fractions and using accurate drawings/diagrams to 'prove' his thinking

Ethan - for a focused start to the new term and putting his good learning behaviours in place quickly



Current Useful Information and Reminders:

Thank you to everyone who supported us with donations to the Chichester District Foodbank; we are going to continue to have a box in the Reception area to collect any items that you would like to donate and Mrs Jen Rogers has very kindly agreed to make regular deliveries of our goods.

Every Wednesday 3.00-3.15 - Pop in and see your child's classroom and have a look at their work. Teachers will be available every Wednesday for informal chats - do pop in. We would love to have the opportunity to share your child with you.

School Money on-line donations.

We have been asked to set up the facility for people to make donations to the school if they would like to. This is available on Schoolmoney.co.uk and will show on your account as 'School Donation' with the amount of £1. There is absolutely no obligation to make this donation and if you wish, you can alter the figure to select the amount that you would like to pay.

Any donations to the school are very much appreciated and we thank you for your support.

Schoolmoney.co.uk on-line payments enables you to book for trips and clubs etc. and make payments on-line.

Please do log in regularly and check for 'live' visits and events.



Please log-in to your account to make sure any outstanding balances are settled.

PTA News:

If you would like to get involved in the PTA in any way please to contact westdeanpta@outlook.com or contact the school office (office@westdean.w-sussex.sch.uk)

West Dean CE Primary School

Club Hub

After School Clubs
Spring Term 2019

Spring 1
first half of spring term

x5 weeks

Day	Adult Lead	Max	Club	Cost	Year Group
Monday	Mrs G Moss	10	ART	£ 25.00	Yr 1,2,3,4
	Mrs K Prudence	8	STEM	£ 25.00	Yr 4, 5, 6
Tuesday	Mrs Goacher/Mrs Johnson	20	Swim WBH	£ 25.00	Yr 3,4,5,6,
Wednesday	Matt Horstead x4 weeks	10	Football	£ 20.00	Yr 3,4,5,6
	Mrs Muggerridge/Miss Box-all	10	Cookery	£ 25.00	Yr3, 4, 5, 6
Thursday	Miss Hall	14	Dance	£ 25.00	Yr 3,4,5,6
	Mrs Pearmaine	12	Lego	£ 25.00	Yr 3,4,5,6
Friday	AAA Coaching	35	Sports		1,2,3,4,5,6

Club Dates:

W/C 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th January and 4th February 2019

*** Please Note: The first date for Football Club is Wednesday 16th January, this will be a four week club.**

In addition to our after school club programme our Care Bear provision is available everyday, Mon-Fri, 3.00-4.00pm. Please make sure that you book in.

All clubs run from 3.00-4.00, with the exception of Cookery Club which finishes at 4.15

Our swimming club will be held at Westbourne House school, 6.30-7.15pm

For all clubs and care bears, you can make your bookings on-line at Schoolmoney.co.uk.

Please contact the school office if you require a reminder of your log-in details.

Places for clubs are limited and will be allocated on 'first come, first served' basis.

Care Bears After School Provision - this will run every day from 3.00-4.00.

Please make sure that you have booked for your required places through www.schoolmoney.co.uk. Please make sure that you let us know, if you have booked a place and are collecting your child at 3.00, we are then able to release your Care Bears place to another child.

