

WHITMINSTER ENDOWED C OF E SCHOOL

NEWS



October 2025



Harvest Festival at School

On **Monday 20th October** we will be holding Harvest festival at school. If you would like to join us, please arrive for a 2.30pm start. After school club and school clubs will run as normal. As usual we will be making a collection to support the Food Bank. Please bring any donations in on the morning of the 20th. Some ideas are listed below:

Tinned ham and corned beef
Tinned beans
Pasta
Fruit squash
Jam
Coffee
Shampoo and conditioner
Laundry liquid

PLEASE DO NOT DONATE

Out of date, damaged or opened items
Food that needs to be refrigerated or frozen

World Mental Health Day – Friday 10th October

To support and raise awareness for Young Mind Matters, we will be holding a yellow day to raise awareness for World Mental Health day. The children may wear yellow to school instead of uniform. We are **not** asking for any donations.

ONLINE SAFETY

Please find attached newsletter. Please take time to read it as it gives useful information about You Tube and WhatsApp.

PARKING

Please be mindful of the residents when parking in The Crescent. Some residents have been unable to park their cars when they get home.

FOW

Please click on the link to join the FOW Whats app group. FOW really support our school and it is with their help, we can enrich the children's learning. Being part of this group does not mean you have to attend every meeting; it could mean you can occasionally offer help or contribute ideas to fundraising. Thank you.

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/FaUIDrJKEI58soArCKybDa>

CLUBS

Please remember if your child is not attending a club to let the office know.

If your child is in a sports club, please ensure your child brings in their PE kit on the day. If it is their PE day, please don't worry.

Parents Evening

Parent's evening will be on Tuesday 11th November and Wednesday 12th November for all classes and Tuesday 11th November for Class 2,3 and 4. More information to follow.



The children who have SHONE and were recognised in our celebration assembly are:

Aliyah, Fern, Thea, Lottie, Jacob, Elissia, Jimbo, Jacob, Tilly, Lottie, Bear, Charlie, Oliver, Lillie, Mila-Rae, Alana, Nathan, Meredith, Leo R, Teddy, Layla, Alfie, Alfie T, Isobelle, Alfie R, Harrison, Amèlie, Nancy, Noah P, Adele, Max, Kamil, Teddy, Louis, Rose, Immy, Alfie, Anabelle, Jenson, Harry, Ava, Kensa, Flynn, Edie, Freddie, Elaina, Cooper, Jack and Jessica.

Our New School Council



Well done to our new school council members. I would like to thank everyone who submitted a manifesto. You all spoke clearly to your classes and had many good reasons to why you should be on school council. I look forward to next year.

COATS

Please can you make sure that with the weather getting colder your child has a suitable coat in school and it is named. Thank you.

PHOTOGRAPHS

On Monday 17th November, the school photographer will be in school to take siblings and individual photos. Class 2 should wear their uniform and bring their PE kits to change into. I will send more information nearer the time.

Rednock

Please see below a flyer for an open morning at Rednock School.

Frampton Tennis Club

Please see information below about a Half Term Tennis Camp.

Gloucester Health and Care School Nursing Service

Please fill in the survey about starting school. It is for parents with children aged 3-11. You could win a £50 voucher.

https://online1.snapsurveys.com/starting_school

DATES

Fri 10th October
Thurs 23rd October
Fri 24th October
Mon 3rd Nov
Mon 17th November
Mon 24th Nov
Fri 19th Dec
Mon 5th Jan

Wear Yellow to school
End of Term
INSET
Start of Term
Individual/Sibling photos
Clubs finish this week.
End of Term
Start of Term

Want to know about

- Events
- Uniform Sales
- Upcoming activities
- Key dates for your diary throughout the school year?



FOW Info Group
WhatsApp group



Scan or upload this QR code using the WhatsApp camera to join this group

Scan to join the Friends of Whitminster Info group on WhatsApp to keep up to date with what's on!



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OPEN MORNING

Thursday 16th October



Our annual Open Mornings are an opportunity to visit Rednock School to see our students and staff working together during a 'normal' school morning.

We will be running tours of the school starting at the following times:

- Tour 1 - 9.15am
- Tour 2 - 9.30am
- Tour 3 - 9.45am
- Tour 4 - 10.00am

Please visit our website to book a space.

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