

Harvest Collection

Thank you to everyone who has already kindly donated to our Harvest collection in support of Stockton and Billingham Food Bank.

If you would still like to make a donation, these can be left in the boxes outside of school tomorrow. We will then be arranging for these to be collected by the Food Bank.



External Steps

As some of you may have noticed, the outdoor steps at the rear of the building leading up to Key Stage 2 from the main playground are currently closed for health and safety reasons. We hope that these will be reopened soon once works have been completed. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause but will inform parents via text once we are able to reopen them.

Phonics Information Meetings for Parents

In the coming weeks, we will be holding some information meetings for Reception and Year 1 parents to find out more about our Read Write Inc. phonics programme and how you can support your child/ren at home.

These meetings will take place in the school hall, which can be accessed via the Breakfast Club door. Please see below for the date and time of each meeting:

- **Reception** - Thursday 19th October- 5.30pm
- **Year 1** - Tuesday 7th November– 5.30pm

If you have any questions, please speak to your child's class teacher.

Dental Healthcare

As you may have read on last week's newsletter, we will be working with Bishopton Lane Dental Surgery to enhance the oral health and hygiene element of our PSHE curriculum. Please see the attached flyer from them regarding access to NHS dental care.

Forest Schools

On Wednesday, Year 1 will be taking part in an educational forest school lesson led by our forest school leader, Chris. Please ensure children wear suitable clothing and footwear for the weather and bring a waterproof coat. We also ask that any long hair is tied back for this session.

Photography Permissions Forms

Please can any outstanding photograph consent forms be returned to school as soon as possible. If you need another form, please email the school office who will be able to provide you with one.



Newsletter

Monday 2nd October 2023

Stars of the Week

Our stars of the week for last week are:

Nursery: Daisy & Luke Class 1: Evelyn Class 2: Penny

Class 3: Jayme Class 4: Benji Class 5: Jack

Class 6: Gabriel Class 7: James Class 8: Connie Class 9: Penny

Class 10: Libby Class 11: Alice Class 12: Joseph

Class 13: Tristan Class 14: Lyla

Whole School Award: Emmeline



Friends of Wynyard Primary

We would like to say a warm welcome during our first term back at school, to all parents, children and their families.

After the wonderful support received from yourselves, the local community and many local businesses at our Summer Fair, we are delighted to announce the date for this year's Christmas Fair. This will be held after school on Friday 1st December. We will share more details of our upcoming events with you very soon.

If you would like to know more about what we do, become involved by helping to support us or sponsoring one of our events, you can contact us via our email address:

Friendsofwynyardprimary3@outlook.com

Flu Vaccinations

Children's nasal spray flu vaccines are being offered to all children aged Reception and above in school on Tuesday 17th October. You should have received a letter regarding this. Please follow the link on the letter or below to access the permissions or opt out options.

[Session Form | eConsent Client](https://nhs.uk/flu-vaccines/permissions)
[nhsimms.azurewebsites.net](https://nhs.uk/flu-vaccines/permissions)

If you have any queries, you can contact the flu programme helpline on 0333 358 3397 and they will be happy to discuss any queries that you may have.

Class 7 Swimming

Tomorrow, Class 7 will begin their weekly swimming lessons every Tuesday afternoon at Mill House Leisure Centre in Hartlepool. Please refer to the letter sent home previously about what children need to bring with them to school each Tuesday. Class 7's block of swimming lessons will continue until the end of January 2024.

Parent Acceptable Use Agreement

As you are aware, online safety and safe use of technology is a key aspect of our curriculum at Wynyard. In order to support our aim of ensuring responsible use of technology, we would be grateful if all parents could complete our acceptable use agreement form, which can be accessed using the link below. Please note, you do not need to complete one per child and can complete one per family.

<https://forms.gle/GnyQJe1KtcV5Ug2XA>