



Wensley Fold CE Primary Academy

"Make Each Day Count"

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Dear Parent

LOCAL LOCKDOWN RESTRICTIONS

ALL of our parents who live in the wards that have been subject to local lockdown should be aware that households should **NOT** be mixing. We have become aware that family/friends from other households are dropping off or collecting children from school and although we haven't the authority to stop this we are urging parents to follow the guidelines. We have worked extremely hard in school to ensure the safety of both children and staff as far as we possibly can and this is being undermined by the few families who are disregarding the law and putting others at risk. We are all in this together!

SCHOOL LUNCHES

As mentioned in last week's newsletter, in order to maintain safety and social distancing in the dining room the serving of hot lunches will be further minimized, please see below for reference. If you decide that you wish to provide your child's packed lunch on cold weeks then you must inform the office the week before. This will be reviewed again at half term. Thank you for your continued cooperation.

W/C	31 Aug	7 Sept	14 Sept	21 Sept	28 Sept	05 Oct	12 Oct
Reception	N/A	N/A	Hot	Hot	Hot	Hot	Hot
Years 1 & 2	Hot	Cold	Cold	Hot	Cold	Cold	Hot
Years 3 & 4	Cold	Cold	Hot	Cold	Cold	Hot	Cold
Years 5 & 6	Cold	Hot	Cold	Cold	Hot	Cold	Cold

SEESAW

Please can parents ensure all children are still accessing their Seesaw class pages – all teachers will be setting homework and will still continue to send messages via Seesaw.

MEET THE TEACHER

All parents will have the opportunity to meet their child's new teacher next week, **VIA ZOOM**, on the following days:

Tuesday 15 September at 2.15pm for children in Years 1 & 2

Wednesday 16 September at 2.15pm for children in Years 3 & 4

Thursday 17 September at 2.15pm for children in Years 5 & 6

Monday 21 September at 2.15pm for children in Reception

All parents will receive a code via Seesaw – please look out for this.

MILK

Milk money is now due for the Autumn Term for all infant children; however all Reception children will receive free milk up to the term in which they have their 5th birthday. Please can parents of children in Reception, Years 1 and 2 pay £12 online for this academic year. Thank you.

SCHOOL APP

OurSchoolsApp is a personalised app which allows us to keep you all updated with school information, news and calendar events as well as a link to our facebook page. The online payment system is also linked to the app and is available for IOS and Android phones. **It also contains an easy link to access online payments.**

When the app is updated with new information, including the weekly newsletter a push message notification will automatically be sent to your device to inform you.

Instructions for download

1. Using your device (iPhone, iPad, smart pad, tablet or android phone), visit the relevant market place (Apple Store or Google Play)
2. Search for '**OurSchoolsApp**' and download the app
3. Once downloaded, use the search bar within the app and enter the postcode **BB2 6LX** or **school name** and hit search.
4. Once the school name has been displayed, touch the screen on the name and confirm your choice by pressing OK.
5. You will now be presented with the correct app for Wensley Fold. Congratulations!

UP TO DATE CONTACT NUMBERS

Please can parents make sure that the school office has all up to date contact numbers, particularly mobile numbers, changes to email addresses and any change of postal address has been notified. Thank you.

JEWELLERY & HEADWEAR

Please can we remind parents that jewellery, including earrings, is not allowed in school. Girls should wear plain blue bobbles and headbands only and long hair must be tied back. Thank you for your cooperation.



FOOD INTOLERANCIES/ALLERGIES

We are aware that some children have food intolerances/allergies and all kitchen staff and welfare staff are aware of these and are able and willing to make reasonable adjustments. Although most food is prepared on site and is freshly made, the products we do buy in state that no nuts are used in the manufacturing process. However we cannot guarantee that there are no traces of nuts in them. In regards to children with extreme allergies to various ingredients the simplest and safest option, which parents often choose to take is to bring a packed lunch from home. Thank you for your cooperation.

ALLERGIES

If your child has an allergy that has been diagnosed by your doctor and requires medication to be administered in school then we must stress that it has to be prescribed and must be clearly labelled with your child's name and dosage required. You will also need to complete a medicine form available from the main office. We are not allowed to administer any 'over the counter' medicine. If your child does have an allergy that requires prescribed medication or a food allergy please notify the school office. Thank you. Please note that there are a number of children in school with serious nut allergies, so please can parents **not** send any nuts or nut based products into school. Thank you.

INHALERS

If your child had an inhaler in school from the last school year then a new asthma card does not need to be completed, you will only be contacted by school if the inhaler is out of date. If your child has recently been diagnosed as asthmatic then it is vital that we have a spare inhaler in school and that you collect a School Asthma Card from the office. We will also need the care plan that was issued by your doctor. Please ring school if you have any questions. It is vital that school are notified of any changes in your child's medication for asthma throughout the year.

PE KIT – CHANGES

As mentioned in July's newsletter, we will no longer be asking children to bring in PE kit in a bag. Instead we are asking children to come to school **in PE kit on their PE day which can be found below.**

This will help with preventing wasted time getting changed, mixing up items of clothing and where to get changed for our older children. This will also allow for PE kit to be washed weekly so improving our hygiene measures against Covid 19.

On their PE day children must wear;

- Black shorts and white t-shirt
- Black jersey jogging bottoms (available from Whitakers, Primark, Asda),
- School jumper for KS1,
- School hoodie for KS2 (available from Whittakers)

- White trainers (no logo) with a **white** sole, NO black pumps.

Monday	1S, 2L,4M,1M	Reception will start coming in PE kit on their third week in.
Tuesday	5R, RP,6D,6B	
Wednesday	RH, 5D, 2B, 3B	
Thursday	4S 3G	

BREAKFAST CLUB

If you wish your child to attend Breakfast Club please make sure you have informed the office by this Thursday. Please remember that payment must be made in advance on ParentPay.

School Clubs

An email has been sent out about clubs and Blackburn Children's University. Please make sure you have read this.

Clubs available for this half term are: -

Club	Day and Time	Year Group	Cost
Multi Sports	Monday 3.10pm – 4pm	Year 4M	£2
Coding	Monday 3.10pm – 4pm	Year 6D	£2
Debating	Wednesday 8am	Year 6B	FREE
Debating	Wednesday 11.40am – 12.20pm	Year 5R	FREE
Poetry in Motion	Wednesday 3.10pm – 4pm	Year 4M	£2
Multi Sports	Thursday 3.10pm – 4pm	Year 4S	£2
Multi Skills	Friday Lunch 1pm – 1.30pm	Year 3B	£2
Multi Sports	Friday 3.05pm – 4pm	Year 5D	£2
Multi Sports	Friday 3.10pm – 4pm	Year 6B	£2

Sign up must be done on ParentPay by this Thursday. If your child's class has been offered a club for this half term please note they may not have this opportunity next half term as they could be offered to other classes.

If you have any questions please contact Sara Burton on 07805929965.

YEARS 3, 4 AND RECEPTION

WENSLEY FOLD CE PRIMARY ACADEMY – DINNER MENU 12 Sept 20 – 18 Sept 20

Monday

Chicken Burger with Wedges
and Peas
Mixed Salad Available
Yoghurt, Fresh Fruit or Biscuit

Tuesday

Homemade
Pasta Bolognaise
With
Sweetcorn
Mixed Salad Available
Yoghurt, Fresh Fruit or Biscuit

Wednesday

Homemade
Chicken Curry
With
Rice & Naan Bread
Mixed Salad Available
Yoghurt, Fresh Fruit or Biscuit

Thursday

Fish Fingers
With
Chips & Beans
Mixed Salad Available
Yoghurt, Fresh Fruit or Biscuit

Friday

Homemade Potato Pie
With
Mushy Peas
Mixed Salad Available
Yoghurt, Fresh Fruit or Biscuit

Also Available Daily

Baked Potatoes with Assorted Fillings
A Selection of Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt
Or a Biscuit
Water, Milk or Fresh Fruit Juice