



Wensley Fold CE Primary Academy

"Make Each Day Count"

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Dear Parent

STAFF TRAINING DAY

Please note school will be closed this Friday 25 June for a teacher training day; school will re-open on Monday 28 June at 8.45am.

MRS RAE 5R

After 30 wonderful years of service at Wensley Fold Mrs Rae has taken the decision to retire from her position as Assistant Headteacher and Class 5R teacher at the end of term to spend more time with her family. Mrs Rae has been an invaluable member of staff and her knowledge and expertise has been a great asset to all the children she has taught over the years, and of course, the staff she has mentored. We will all be very sad to see her go but we wish her a long, healthy and happy retirement.

STAFF LEAVERS

We will also be saying goodbye to Mrs Majid (Y6) and Mrs Munday (Y5), teaching assistants who will be both be leaving to pursue careers in teaching as part of our School Direct Programme, we wish them both the best for the future.

Finally we will be saying goodbye to Mr Bond, assistant site supervisor who is also retiring after 6yrs at Wensley Fold, we wish him a long, healthy and happy retirement.

NEW STAFF

There will be a few new class teachers from September. We are delighted to welcome Miss Andrews who will be teaching in Reception, she has trained with us as a School Direct student. We will also be welcoming Mrs Lavery as our new SENDco and Miss Westwell to Year 1. Miss Barton will cover Miss Sharples' maternity leave but will be teaching in Y4.

CLASSES 2021/2022

Please find below the class your child will be in next year.

RH → Year 1M – Mrs Morton	RP → Year 1S – Miss Westwell
1M → Year 2B – Miss Butler	1S → Year 2W – Mrs Wrigglesworth-Dent
2B → Year 3B – Mr Baron	2L → Year 3G – Miss Greenwood
3B → Year 4B – Miss Barton (covering Miss Sharples maternity leave)	3G → Year 4S – Mrs Sidat
4M → Year 5L – Miss Lloyd	4S → Year 5M – Miss Munshi
5D → Year 6D – Mr Doyle	5R → Year 6B – Miss Brown

GUINNESS WORLD RECORD – HENNA TATTOOS

We are excited to inform you about an upcoming event at our school next month, on Thursday 15 July. Samina Hussain attended Wensley Fold many years ago and is now a qualified teacher as well as a henna artist with over 20 years' experience. During lockdown, she revisited an ambition to break the current world record for the fastest henna artist.

In order to complete the record attempt, Samina would need to complete a minimum of 512 henna tattoos. We are very excited and keen to support Samina with her Guinness World Record attempt and are asking for permission for your child(ren) to be involved. Please read and sign if you would like your child to be involved.

<https://docs.google.com/.../1FAIpQLSecoP7BeY3.../viewform...>

PARENT MAIL

Parents should be aware by now that our preferred method of communication with parents is be email and text. In light of bubble closures it has been noted that texts to some parents have failed, this is because parents have changed their phone numbers and not updated their parent mail account. This has to be actioned by the parent due to data protection. The office staff can change the number on parent mail but this change has to be accepted by the parent by logging on to their account. Please contact the office if you struggle with this. Thank you.

KS2 SPORTS WEEK

Sports week will continue for the following year groups:

Wednesday 23 - Year 4

Thursday 24 - Year 3.

Parents are invited to watch from 1.30pm but we ask that you social distance in your **OWN** family bubbles.

Ice lollies & Icepops will be on sale from 25p and water bottles for 50p – all monies raised will go towards our nominated charities.

KS1 SPORTS DAY

Please note our annual sports day for all the children in Key Stage 1 will take place on Tuesday 29 June at 1pm (weather permitting).

MEETING FOR NEW RECEPTION PARENTS & INDUCTION VISIT FOR CHILDREN

All children starting school in September will be invited for an induction visit on either Thursday 8 July or Friday 9 July. An induction meeting for parents will take place at the same time. Emails were sent out to parents last week – if you have not received an email, please contact school.

YEAR 2 TRIP – FLEETWOOD BEACH

Year 2 will be visiting Fleetwood Beach on 13 July; further details are on ParentPay. Thank you.

YEAR 6 ACTIVITIES WEEK - PAYMENTS

Please note all payments must be paid by this Friday 25 June at the latest. If you are unsure of what your remaining balance is, please contact Mrs Ghiwala.

CU PASSPORTS

All hours have now been stamped in CU passports. Please do ensure you look out for your child's passport as no responsibility will be held by the school once they have been returned.

BLACKBURN CU HOURS AND CERTIFICATES

Hours are now being calculated for CU certificates. Unfortunately, we cannot hold a full graduation, therefore certificates will be presented in school during the week of Monday 12 July – Friday 16 July.

EAST LANCS EAGLES CRICKET CLUB

East Lancs Eagles are offering cricket sessions for both boys and girls at East Lancs Cricket Club on Saturday mornings. For more information check out their Facebook page (@eastlancseagles) or ring Farouk Hussain on 07973360320. Those who attend can also collect stamps in their Children's University passport if they have one as they are now register for Children's University!

CHANCE TO SHINEFREE CRICKET SESSIONS YEARS 2 – 6

An email has been sent with more details on and how to book. Places are extremely limited.

BwD SAFETY NET CAMPAIGN

The BwD [@SafetyNet](#) campaign are running a virtual 'Online Safety for Parents / Carers' session TOMORROW **Wednesday, 23 June at 6pm**. It is being run by the NSPCC in

partnership with Blackburn Children's University, Youth Action and Blackburn with Darwen Borough Council. To find out more information or to book your place please use <https://tinyurl.com/BwDOnlineSafety>