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"Make Each Day Count"

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Dear Parent

END OF TERM

May we take this opportunity to thank you for all of your support in what has been another challenging year. School will finish at **1.30pm** this Thursday 21 July.



We look forward to seeing you all back in school on Thursday 1 September at 8.45am. We would like to wish our Year 6 children the best of luck in their new schools and a huge welcome to our new reception starters.

STAFF LEAVERS

We are saying goodbye to two members of staff. Miss Westwell who is taking up a new substantive post from September and Mrs Majid who will be joining the School Direct Teacher training programme. We wish them all the very best in their future careers.

SEESAW APP

Please can we remind **ALL** parents, including new Reception parents that they need to turn on their notifications. This app is regularly used by class teachers and/or support staff to upload homework and send information/messages. Your child should already have a QR code. This app can also be used for relaying messages back to your child's class teacher; however these will **NOT** be responded to out of school hours! New Reception children will receive a QR code in September.



Seesaw

SCHOOL GRID

Please an all dinner money debt be cleared before the end of the week, in particular Y6 children and can we remind parents to book their lunches for the beginning of the new term.

NEW TERM

Children will continue to come to school in their PE kit on their PE days, which are:

Monday	1M, 2W & 4S	Reception will start coming in PE kit on their third week in.
Tuesday	RA, 5H, 6L & 6S	
Wednesday	RH, 3K, 4B & 5M	
Thursday	1B,2B & 3G	

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

ACHIEVEMENT ASSEMBLY

We will be holding our end of year achievement assembly tomorrow (Wed) at 9.15am. Parents of children nominated have already received an invitation to the assembly via email. Thank you.

YEAR 6 LEAVERS ASSEMBLY

This Thursday we will be saying goodbye to our Year 6 pupils at their leaver's assembly which will be held in the Space building at 9.15am. All children in Year 6 have received 2 tickets today, children under 3 will not need a ticket but must sit on their parent's knee – please note admittance will be by ticket only and latecomers will not be allowed. Due to new data protection regulations videoing is strictly prohibited.

NEW YEAR 3 DINNER ARRANGEMENTS SEPTEMBER

Please can parents be aware that if their child was on school dinners in Year 2 these now become chargeable from September, the cost is £11.25 per week. There is no need to let the office know as you can now book lunches on a day-by-day basis on School Grid. However you must remember to book a meal as your child won't receive their first choice if you forget to book. The new menus are now available for bookings. Thank you.

FRANCE TRIP

Please note the next instalment of £35 is due by Wednesday 31 August. Thank you.

MEDICATION

All medication will be kept in school and passed onto your child's new class. Parents of Year 6 children **MUST** collect their child's medication from the school office on Thursday.

PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP

This will continue to run after the summer holidays but will not start until Tuesday 20 September.

CHILDREN'S UNIVERSITY PASSPORTS

All Children's University passports have now been handed back to the children. Please do ensure you check this as no responsibility will be held by the school now they are returned.

SUMMER HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

If you have signed your child up to any holiday activities or the family trip, please look out for a confirmation email that has been sent. This will include a link to a consent form, which must be completed by TONIGHT (Tuesday 19th July). Failure to complete this form will mean you will lose the place(s). Please contact Sara Burton on 07805929965 or s.burton@wensleyfold.blackburn.sch.uk if you have any questions or do not receive this email. Please leave a message if calling and there is no answer.

BLACKBURN CHILDREN'S UNIVERSITY SUMMER HOLIDAY CHALLENGES

Please look out for the CU challenges for the summer holidays, they will be sent out via email today. If your child completes any, please ensure you send any evidence to Sara Burton on 07805929965 or s.burton@wensleyfold.blackburn.sch.uk, or bring to school after the holidays.

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

The Summer Reading Challenge is called 'Gadgeteers' and you can sign your child up at Blackburn Library now. This is available all summer and children need to read 6 different books. Any CU members who complete this can collect 6 hours in their CU passport. Just remember to bring the certificate into school in September.

ACTIVITIES AT BLACKBURN CENTRAL LIBRARY

Blackburn Library are holding a number of activities over the summer, please see details below. Please note that **unless otherwise stated**, entry to events is by **free ticket**. Tickets will be available from the relevant library up to 2 weeks before each event on a first come, first served basis. Please ensure you contact the library for details. If your child is a member of Children's University please do ensure you pick up a slip if they attend so their passport can be updated in September.

BLACKBURN CENTRAL LIBRARY EVENTS (01254) 661221:

- Mon 25th Jul, 10.30 - 11.30 am, KNex / Meccano, age 4+
- Wed 27th Jul, 2.30 - 3.20 pm, Mad Science experimental fun, age 5+, **tickets £1**
- Thu 28th Jul, 10.30 - 11.30 am, Read, Rhythm & Rhyme, age under 5
- Mon 1st Aug, 10.30 - 11.30 am, Kite making, age 5+
- Tue 2nd Aug, 2.30 - 3.30 pm, Story character street art competition, all ages
- Thu 4th Aug, 10.30 am - 12 pm, Creative writing workshop, age 9 - 11
- Mon 8th Aug, 10.30 - 11.30 am, Junk modelling, age 5+
- Thu 11th Aug, 1.30 - 2.30 pm, Zoolab, come and meet the animals, age 5+, **tickets £1**
- Mon 15th Aug, 10.30 - 11.30 am, Sewing a puppet, age 5 - 7
- Thu 18th Aug, 10.30 - 11.30 am, Build an aqueduct bridge challenge, age 7+
- Mon 22nd Aug, 10.30 - 11.30 am, Brilliant Bear Day, age under 5
- Thu 25th Aug, 10.30 - 11.30 am, Read, Rhythm & Rhyme, age under 5