

LIME ACADEMY WATERGALL NEWS

Message from the Consultant Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers,

With two weeks of the summer term now complete, children are now picking up from where they left off at the end of the spring term. The school has been incredibly calm and the behaviour of the children has been exceptional.

I am very glad to report that the year 6 mock SATs this week have been a resounding success. We now look forward to the children reaching their full potential during the real thing in 2 weeks' time. Year 2 children have also shown exceptional maturity during the rehearsal for their SATs.

Next week, we look forward to year 5's trip to ifly world, where children will participate in a zero-gravity flight experience. I look forward to hearing all about it and sharing some of the photos with you all in next week's newsletter.

Finally, you will have received a letter today about this term's parent consultations. We have kept the same system as used in the autumn term, so please use the same logins as created previously. Appointments will open on Monday.

I wish you all a good weekend.

Mr Reynolds
Consultant Headteacher

EVENTS AND VISITS

Year 5 – Xscape Monday 30 th April
Year 6 - Residential payments due Friday 4 th May
Year 4 – Cadbury World Thursday 10 th May
Year 3 – Flag Fen Wednesday 16 th May
Year 6 - Barnwell Park Thursday 17 th May
Parent Consultation – Thursday 21 st June

ATTENDANCE CONGRATULATIONS

Week commencing 23/04/2018

Whole school attendance:

95.78%

Best Class attendance:

2EWS

99.21% attendance!

Celebrating Punctuality

3FR

Classes with 96% and above attendance
RCL, 1HH, 1AT, 2EWS, 3FB, 3FR, 4LR, 5MH, 6VB

Parent Helpers

We still need Parent Helpers for school trips. If you are able to help, could you please come and speak to the office, thank you.

Uniform

We would like to remind parents and carers about the uniform expectations for the remainder of the year. Black shoes should be worn at all times – strictly no trainers. Ties are also essential and should be worn to and from school each day. In warmer weather, children will be permitted to take these off during the school day. Blue summer dresses are permitted for the summer term, ties do not need to be worn with these dresses.

School Trips

There are a number of school trips planned for the Summer term. Please ensure that you return reply slips and payment promptly to school.

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News from Year 5

Year 5 have had a busy start to the summer term. In literacy, we have been learning about China and a story called Dragonslayer. We have really enjoyed the story so far, writing descriptions of settings and characters, writing letters from Yen to Mai-ling and we are very much looking forward to writing the ending of our story when Mai-ling must battle a horrible ogre.

In maths, we have been focusing on our times tables, number skills and calculations. We have also been working hard to improve our arithmetic skills.

We have thoroughly enjoyed our first P.E. lesson with Mr Weston and look forward to working hard and improving our skills for the rest of the term.

Finally, we are all incredibly excited because we are heading off to iFly in Milton Keynes to go indoor parachuting and to have a lesson about forces. This will allow us to learn about a range of forces and experience gravity and air resistance in action!

Parent Governors

We currently have a vacancy for a parent governor. This is a fantastic opportunity for you to become involved in working with the school and Lime Trust to help us on our journey of school improvement.

We are looking for people who have a range of skills, please call into the school office to register your interest.

School Dinners

As you're aware, we have a new school dinner menu. We are making some slight changes to ensure the meals are appealing to children. However, the majority of the menu will remain the same.

PE

We currently have PE coaches from Total Sports in school running PE lessons and lunchtime sports clubs. Please ensure that your child has their PE kit in school every day as the planned PE days may change.

Breakfast Club and Dinner Money payments

We would like to remind parents that if they have any money due for breakfast club or dinner money, please arrange to make payment to the office as soon as possible please.

Healthy Eating

When sending pack lunches into school please ensure that you send in healthy options for children, Eg- Fruit or healthy snack bars instead of chocolate.