



Walter Infant School and Nursery

Friday Flyer

Dear Walter Families,

A beautiful rainbow on Red Nose Day!



Red Nose Day

Today has been so much fun with lots of laughter; the children's jokes made us laugh so much. It was too hard to choose the funniest joke as they were so good; here are a few of the ones that really made us laugh!

Emilia from Woodpecker

- Knock knock.
- Who's there?
- Tank.
- Tank who.
- You're welcome.



Tisha from Magpie

- What do you call a dancing sheep?
- A baaaaaaa-lerina



Numair from Larch

- What did the triangle say to the circle?
- You are pointless ! 😊



- Oscar from Beech
- Why couldn't the skeleton go to the Christmas party?
- Because he had no body to go with!







Keeping us Informed

Please can you ensure that you keep us up to date with significant events in your children's lives, so that we can make allowances in school, for example, if someone is unwell, or has gone away. If someone has come to visit and the sleeping arrangements are different; we have had some parents going away for work or holidays and some of our children have been living with grandparents, which must be lovely but we do need to know, in case of an emergency or in case they have a change of mood.

Complaints from Local Residents

We have received more comments from local residents about parking in front of their drives and families crossing the roads without using the crossings, blocking the junctions, parking on the pavements, the list goes on. I have seen a number of vehicles parked on the double yellow lines on Oxford Road, making passing very tricky. Please can I ask that we all respect our neighbours.

Parent Governor

We are hoping to recruit a parent governor for our school. You will all have received the information sent out earlier today by our Chair of Governors Ghislene Lokuciewski. It would be wonderful if there were a parent out there with an interest in Health and Safety and building maintenance who would be able to help us improve our school and keep it safe. Please get in touch if that might be you! Find out more by following this link <https://www.theschoolrun.com/5-great-reasons-become-school-governor> or by visiting <https://www.nga.org.uk/Home.aspx>

Star of the Week

These are our RED NOSE DAY Stars! They have all excelled during their lessons all week. Why not ask them what they have been learning about?



If you are struggling to provide all you need to at the moment; we can provide Food Vouchers for the Foodbank and fuel vouchers.

We can help!

If you are struggling to provide anything essential for your child's well-being, such as pyjamas, coats, shoes, socks, underwear, school uniform, bedding etc please ask us as we are here to help. We do not want any of our children to miss out on the basic fundamentals that they are all entitled to. As before, please just ask.

Pupil Premium Funding

Some of our families are entitled to Pupil Premium Funding for their children; this is a wonderful addition to our school's budget and helps us to provide curriculum enrichment and support for our Pupil Premium children and all other children too!

Your child may be entitled to this funding which can be used to pay for clubs, uniform, additional support, one to one nurture, Canine Assisted learning etc.

If you are in receipt of one of the following benefits you may be eligible for free school meals or the pupil premium:

- 1) Income Support.
- 2) Income based Job Seeker's Allowance.
- 3) Income related Employment and Support Allowance.
- 4) Child Tax Credit - Where the family's annual income is not more than £16,190 and Working Tax Credit is not in payment.
- 5) Guarantee Pension Credit.
- 6) Support under part six of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999.
- 7) Universal Credit.

Please contact Mrs Janes in the office to find out more or follow this link <https://www.wokingham.gov.uk/schools-and-education/school-information-and-services/free-school-meals-and-the-pupil-premium/>

Judy Hargreaves: Headteacher

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2024

18th March	Parent Consultations – 3.30pm-6.30pm (more details to follow)
19th March	School Photographer
20th March	Parent Consultations – 3.30pm-6.30pm (more details to follow)
22nd March	i-Rock concert for parents of i-Rock children
28th March	Chocolate Tombola
28th March	Last day of term (finishing one hour early)

Please note that these dates are subject to change.