

Walter Infant School and Nursery

Friday Flyer

Dear Walter Families,

Dress the Tree

Here are the winning entries for the Wokingham Dress the Tree: Noah from Dove Class and Anastasia from Willow Class. These are wonderful decorations and I am sure you will all enjoy seeing them when you visit the tree in the Town Centre. The rest of the decorations, which were amazing, will be displayed on our own tree, Walter and I loved the ones of Walter!!!!



Our tree has very kindly been donated by **Christmas Trees Wokingham**, who you can find at the Leathern Bottle! Mrs Hemmings has done an amazing job decorating it with all the fabulous entries from our children.

I-Rock

Here are some wonderful photos of the I-rock Concert, which sadly I missed. I was in London on a Training Course last Friday and so I am on catch-up!



I am delighted to share with you the STARS from this week and last week; these stars have shown so much resilience to achieve well and to be the best that they can be. We are so proud of them, as each certificate has been awarded for the work they have produced in their lessons. Well done STARS!





Olivia has done some incredible reading this week, well done!



<u>SNUS</u>

Some of our children found a pot of nicotine pouches in the playground; we have no idea where they have come from but it is imperative that these products are not brought onto the school site! This could have been a very dangerous incident.



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.

Walter's Pantry

Don't forget about Walter's Pantry; you can collect food to cook a hot stove top meal each day, collect breakfast for the following morning, or pick up necessary sanitary products, such as toothpaste, nappies, toothbrushes etc. We would be very grateful to receive boxes of cereal, if you would like to donate to the pantry.

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 provided 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 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 <u>https://www.wokingham.gov.uk/schools-and-education/school-information-and-services/free-school-meals-and-the-pupil-premium/</u>

Have a great weekend! Judy Hargreaves: Headteacher

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2023

1 st December	Christmas Fair
5 th December	Oak Class Nativity – 2:20pm
6 th December	Larch Class Nativity – 2:20pm
7 th December	Beech Class Nativity – 2:20pm
8 th December	Christmas Jumper Day
12 th December	Year 2 singing – 9:00am and 2:30pm performance
14 th December	Foundation Stage Performance – 9:00am and 2:30pm
15 th December	Last day of term (finishing 1 hour early)
2 nd January 2024	Back to School 🐵

Please note that these dates are subject to change.