



Blue Print

Believing.. Celebrating.. Succeeding.



EXECUTIVE HEAD: MR A ORLIK
DEPUTY EXECUTIVE HEADS: MRS L ADLINGTON AND MR D MATTHEWS
ASSISTANT HEADS: MISS H JOHNSTON & MRS R MOORE

FRIDAY 9TH FEBRUARY 2024

VOLUME 46 ISSUE 4

HALF-TERM HOLIDAY

The schools close at the end of the day today for the Half-Term holiday.

We re-open for all the children on Monday 19th February.

We hope all our families have an enjoyable and restful break.



FREE FEBRUARY HOLIDAY PLAY-SCHEME

Register for a free February holiday play-scheme at Caldmore Community Garden for children aged 8-12. Activities will take place at the Garden between Tuesday 13th February and Saturday 17th February, 12-3pm.

You have to register your child for the whole week for a fun programme of arts and crafts, games, cooking, gardening, and science. Fill in the registration form <http://tinyurl.com/caldmorefebruary> and you will be contacted to confirm your space.



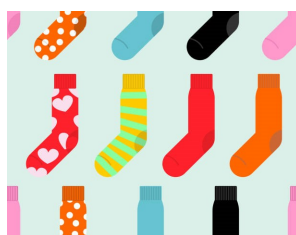
PRE-OWNED SOCKS WANTED!

Do you have any old socks that you no longer need ?

They don't have to be in pairs!

For World Book Day (which is in March), all the children will be making sock puppets of their favourite book characters. Please send any unwanted socks into school. *Please ensure that they are clean and in good condition.*

Although World Book Day isn't for a few weeks, you can send your unwanted socks into school straightaway. Thank you for your help.



BOOK FAIR

The Book Fair will be returning to the Infant School on Wednesday 21st and Thursday 22nd February.



The children will have the opportunity to visit the Book Fair during the school day with their classes. The Book Fair will be available on both evenings during the Infant Parents' Evenings.

BLUE COAT SUNDAY

For hundreds of years the Walsall Blue Coat Schools have marked Blue Coat Sunday.

This year's service will take place on Sunday 3rd March at 10.45am at St. Matthew's Church. The focus of this year's service is celebrating the diversity of our wonderful Blue Coat community.

During the service the Infant Choir and Junior Dance group will be giving presentations.

The children's work will be on display around the church as part of the Blue Coat Exhibition.

Everyone is welcome to join us for this special service.



SPRING TERM PACT WORKSHOPS

Remaining workshops this term

Year 2	Fri 1st March 9am	Maths
Year 3	Tues 20th Feb 9am	Maths

There will be Maths workshops for Year 1 and Reception in the Summer Term.



RESPECT

We have been talking to the children about the importance of respecting each other, adults in school and the community and also facilities that are there for the community to benefit from such as the school buildings and resources.

Year 5 have produced some great posters to get the message across!



FUN FOOD FRIDAY

Fun Food Friday is back!

Lots of sweet treats available to purchase after school on Friday 1st March at the Infant and the Junior Schools.



HOMEWORK PROJECT EXHIBITIONS

Year 1—Fri 23rd Feb—Times for parents/carers to attend will be shared by your child's class teacher.

Reception—Mon 26th Feb parents/carers welcome from 2.30pm

PARENTS' EVENINGS

Infant School

Wed 21st Feb and Thurs 22nd Feb 3.30 to 6pm

The Book Fair will be available during the Infant School Parents' Evenings

Nursery

Wed 13th and Thurs 14th March



THIS WEEK'S CLASS

ATTENDANCE WINNERS

Infants: Lions — 98.6%

Juniors: 4CR and 60B — 100%



Walsall
Family Hubs

Supporting families to live happier lives

Dads come along and join us for a range of free activities this term.



Dads Stay and Plays at Walsall Family Hubs

Dads Stay & Play is an opportunity for dads to turn up with their children to play together and have fun together. No need to book just turn up. The stay and play starts from 11:00 - 1:00pm

Saturday 02 March @ North Family Hub , 275 Blakenall Lane, Blakenall, Walsall WS3 1HJ

Saturday 16 March @ East Family Hub, Silver Court, Walsall, WS8 6HA

Saturday 23 March @ South and Central Family Hub, Birchills Street, Walsall, WS2 8N

Dads group

Saturday 10 February @ West Family Hub, Ilmington House, Crescent Road, WS10 8AE 10-1pm

Come along to our Dads group for an opportunity to meet other dads and share your journey. The group will allow an open, safe and fun space for you to talk to other dads, access information, training and further support networks. To book onto Dads Group, email Ed at EarlyHelpParentingTeam@walsall.gov.uk with your name, postcode and email. Or call 07584-521955

To keep up to date with whats going on by following our Facebook Page @Walsallfamiliesintheknow or email familyhubs@walsall.gov.uk



Funded by
UK Government