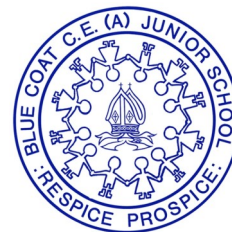




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Believing.. Celebrating.. Succeeding.



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PLEASE NAME ALL YOUR CHILD'S ITEMS



Every day children are losing items of clothing or other belongings such as lunch boxes. If missing items are clearly labelled with the child's name, they can be easily and quickly returned.

Please make sure that all your child's clothes and belongings are labelled with their name. Thank you.



AWE AND WONDER IN RECEPTION!



The Reception children have had an exciting visit from the Fire Service and their Fire Engine today!

Next week the Reception children will go into outer space when the pop-up planetarium is in their classroom! This learning opportunity will be part of their work learning about Space.



PARENT FOCUS GROUP

The Parent Focus Group meets with Mr. Orlik once a term. The group talks about the provision across the two schools. The group provides an important opportunity for parents/carers to let us know what we are doing well and also things that we can improve.

Everyone is welcome to join these meetings.

The meetings take place online on Teams. The next meeting is 10am on Thursday 1st February.

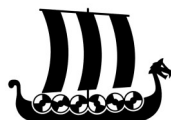
If you would like an invite to the meeting, please email:

postbox@bluecoatfederation.co.uk



YEAR 6 VIKING VISITOR

On Tuesday 30th January, the Year 6 children will have a special visit from a Viking! This is to support their learning as part of their History unit: *The Vikings and their struggle for the Kingdom of England.*



THIS WEEK'S CLASS ATTENDANCE WINNERS



Infants: Dolphins
 – 98.3%

Juniors: 4CR
 – 98.5%



SPRING TERM PACT WORKSHOPS

Infant School			Junior School		
Reception	Wed 31st Jan 9am	Reading	Year 3	Tues 20th Feb 9am	Maths
Year 1	Fri 2nd Feb 9am	Reading	Year 4	Tues 30th Jan 9am	Maths
Year 2	Fri 26th Jan 9am	Reading	Year 5— NEXT WEEK!	Tues 23rd Jan 9am	Maths
Year 2	Fri 1st March 9am	Maths			

We are looking forward to welcoming parents/carers for this term's PACT workshops. There will be Maths workshops for Year 1 and Reception in the Summer 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 6 January @ North Family Hub , 275 Blakenall Lane, Blakenall, Walsall WS3 1HJ
- Saturday 13 January @ West Family Hub, Ilmington House, Crescent Road, WS10 8AE
- Saturday 27 January @ South and Central Family Hub, Birchills Street, Walsall, WS2 8N
- 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 come along and join us for a range of free activities this term.

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

ATTENDANCE MATTERS



From the first day of term to the last, every moment in a school day makes a real difference to your child.



JEWELLERY

Thank you for supporting our School Uniform policy. Members of the public often comment on how smart the Blue Coat children look.

Please remember that our policy requests that infant children don't wear any jewellery in school.

Any earrings worn by junior children must be stud earrings only. No other jewellery should be worn in school.



12th Walsall Scouts
St Lukes Church, WS1 2JN
Prizes for lines & full houses



Refreshments included.
All money raised goes towards Scout & Explorer trips.

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A CLUB FOR YOUR CHILD?

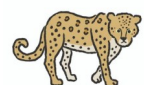
Limited spaces available in these clubs. Please book through the school office.

Years 1/2 Choir—Thursdays	Years 5/6 Art—Wednesdays
Years 3/4 Basketball—Mon	Years 5/6 Computing—Wed
Years 3/4 Football—Tuesdays	Years 5/6 Football—Thursdays

COMEDY CORNER

Why can't a leopard hide?

Because it's always spotted!



Why is a snake difficult to fool?

Because you can't pull its leg!