

Important Notice

Wordsworth Pinboard - Messages/Dates for your Calendar



Welcome to our Wordsworth Pinboard!

This is where we will let you know about forthcoming dates for your diary and events happening in the school. We will be emailing this out every Friday; we will also put this onto our Facebook Page (please click [here](#) and give us a follow!)

Please note that we will still email you directly if something is happening that requires your action, a date change or cancellation.



Parent Forum

Rescheduled to Thursday 19th January at 5pm in the main Hall - please sign in at the School Office on arrival.

Open Doors - a chance for parents/guardians to come into the school and view their child's work (this is not a Parents Evening):

- YR Monday 16th Jan 2.50pm
- Y1 Wednesday 18th Jan 2.50pm
- Y2 Tuesday 17th Jan 2.50pm
- Y3 Thursday 19th Jan 3pm
- Y4 Friday 20th Jan 3pm
- Y5 Monday 23rd Jan 3pm
- Y6 Tuesday 24th Jan 3pm



Culture Vulture

FOR THOSE EARLY BIRDS...

Culture Vulture, run by Southampton City Council, have released their February Half Term activities and they are ready to be booked. Find out what's on by clicking [here](#)

There are two INSET days in January:

- Friday 27th January
- Monday 30th January 2023

MCAS App:

MCAS is an app that all parents need to download from the Play Store (Android) or App store (Apple). You need to type in the search bar – My Child At School - the app looks like this:



MCAS is an app where you can check your child's/children's attendance, pay for trips/residentials, pay for products, music lessons and to book parent's evenings. You will need log on details emailed to you in order to access information for your child/ren. If you don't already have your login details from us, then please could you email: Debbie.evans@wordsworthprimary.co.uk and one will be sent to you. Mrs Evans is offering a drop in session at the school on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 10 – 1.30pm to help you with the MCAS app and setting it up if you require any help.

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Baby News!



Mrs Long is expecting a baby!

Her planned last day with 1ML will be Wednesday 19th April; Mrs Matthews will be taking over teaching full time so there will be no disruption to the children's learning.

We hope you will join us in congratulating Mrs Long and her family.



Music Lessons

A reminder that the next instalment for music lessons is due today (Friday 13th January). Please ensure you make the next instalment and clear any arrears via the MCAS app. It will be under outstanding Payments.



Dolce/SchoolGrid:

Please can we remind parents to prebook their child's meal for the week if possible, as this saves time in the morning for the children having to choose at registration; you are able to book 3 weeks in advance on SchoolGrid.

Pre-ordering also means that if a child is late to school one morning and therefore has missed the ordering deadline for the kitchen, they will get the meal that has been chosen for them, whereas no pre-order will mean the child will still be supplied with a meal but it may not be what the child prefers. If you need a log in email for SchoolGrid, please let Mrs Evans know:

debbie.evans@wordsworthprimary.co.uk



Just a reminder that next week is when Year 3 will be tasting different fillings and breads. If you have any queries or concerns that you haven't already informed us about, please let your child's teacher know.

National Careers Week

NCW

Dear Parents,

We need you! During National Careers Week, beginning 6th March, we would like to invite adults in to talk to our Year 6 children about a variety of careers.

If you or someone you know would be able to come in and talk to the children about your chosen career and answer some questions, please get in touch with Mrs Barwell by emailing: deputy@wordsworthprimary.co.uk

Getting Your Child to School Really Matters



Did You Know... ?

In a School Year, If Your Child is Late Every Day By...	Your Child Would Have Lost Approximately...	or They Would Have Missed Approximately...
5 Minutes	3.5 Days from School	20 Lessons
10 Minutes	7 Days from School	41 Lessons
15 Minutes	10 Days from School	55 Lessons
20 Minutes	14.5 Days from School	82 Lessons
30 Minutes	22 Days from School	123 Lessons

Please Encourage Punctuality to Maintain Attendance