



Westfield
Community
School

Issue 1
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Newsletter

Welcome Back

Dear Children, Parents and Carers,

As we start our new school year, I would like to welcome you all back. I would also like to warmly welcome new starters in nursery, reception and across school. Our aim is for everyone to thrive within the Westfield community.

At the beginning of every school year, we are delighted to see our pupils return to school with a smile and proudly wearing the Westfield uniform.

Westfield continues to strive to be a beacon of hope for the community. It is a place where everyone is valued and respected.

We share our values with pupils in all aspects of school life and we use the word **HOPE** to represent some key aspects of Westfield school:

High expectations

Opportunities

Progress

Enjoyment

We believe school is about working hard and having fun.

I look forward to the coming year and all we can achieve together.

Mrs Baker



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Start of the year reminders:

- School doors open at 8.35 a.m.
- Registration is at 8.50 a.m. and it is vital all pupils are in in school on time and before gates close at 8.50 a.m.
- School finishes at 3.20 p.m.
- Reading lessons begin promptly at 9.00 a.m. Learning to read as early as possible is a priority. Parents can support their child by hearing them read every day. Reading books and diaries should be brought into school every day.
- As a school, we celebrate achievements every Friday morning during whole school assembly.
- Full school uniform details, including our PE kit are on our website. Please ensure your child has black school shoes. All uniform should have names written in.
- All Pupils should have a Westfield PE kit (logo optional) and this should be worn to school on PE day.
- Healthy Snacks (toast and drinks) are available to buy at morning break in Key Stage 1 and 2. Free fruit is available in Reception and Key Stage 1. Key stage 2 can also bring fruit if they wish to. Water is available in class.
- Our staff are available at the start and end of each day for informal chats. WEDUC can be used to send messages regarding children. Staff responses will only be sent between 8.30 – 5.00 p.m.
- If your child has any medical needs or allergies, please inform school.



PARENT'S EVENING October 7th and October 9th 3.30 – 6.00 p.m.

Half term holiday is Monday October 21st – Friday October 25th inclusive