

Widnes Academy



Wade Deacon Trust
Principal: Mrs Karen Highcock

WEEK ENDING 8th SEPTEMBER 2023

WELCOME BACK!

Welcome back to all the children, we hope you all had a great summer!

SCHOOL MEALS

A reminder that Halton Borough Council have increased the price of a school lunch to £2.70 per day for those paying for school meals.

BREAKFAST CLUB

We have maintained breakfast club at £1 per day for many years, but unfortunately we have had to increase this to £1.50 per day from September due to increased food costs.

PARENT'S MEET AND GREETS

Over the next two weeks, there will be an opportunity for parents to come into school to meet their child's teacher and find out more about their new classes. Dates for the meetings are below and will take place after school. We would ask that parents attend without children if possible, but if this isn't convenient please bring them along.

Monday 11th Sept – Year 1 Monday 18th Sept – Year 2 Tuesday 19th Sept – Year 5/6 Wednesday 20th Sept – Year 3/4 Thurs 21st Sept – Year 4/5

YEAR 6 RESIDENTIAL

The Year 6 residential trip to Colomendy will take place from Monday 25th September to Wednesday 27th September. Could any outstanding payments please be paid by Friday 15th September.

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PARENTAPP

Could anyone still using the Parentapp, please delete this from your phone, as we are no longer using this app. We are contacting parents via text and emails only. The Scopay app for payments is still being used.

ABSENCE REPORTING

If your child is going to be absent from school, please contact us before 8.30 am to let us know. You can ring the school or email <u>i.nolan@widnesacademy.co.uk</u> or send a text message to 07786 208450.

MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

We will once again be supporting Macmillan Cancer Research with a coffee morning on Friday 29th September at 9.15 am, with all proceeds going to Macmillan. All parents/grandparents/family members are invited to come along.

PARENT'S EVENINGS

The first parent's evenings of the year will take place on 18th and 19th October. Parents will be able to book their own times on an automated booking system. Further details will be issued nearer the time.

DONATIONS

If anyone knows of anyone in the local community or family/friends that have any items to donate for upcoming events (fundraising/Xmas fairs etc), we would be grateful if they would consider the school.

BIRTHDAYS

Many happy returns to Cole and Hughie in Reception who celebrate their birthdays this week.

SCHOOL PANTRY

A reminder that our school pantry is open for anyone needing a helping hand – we have food, household, toiletry and clothing available. Please contact the school office if you would like to visit the pantry.







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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

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Mon 11 th	Year 1 Meet and Greet after
September	school
Mon 18 th Sept	Year 2 Meet and Greet after
	school
Tues 19 th Sept	Year 5/6 Meet and Greet after
	school
Weds 20 th Sept	Year 3/4 Meet and Greet after
	school
Mon 25 th Sept	Year 6 Colomendy Residential
to 27 th Sept	
Friday 29th Sept	Macmillan Coffee Morning 9.15
	to 11.00 am
Weds 18 th Oct	Parents Evening
Thurs 19 th Oct	Parents Evening
Friday 27th Oct	School closes for half term





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