

Sebert Wood Primary School

Parent/Carer Update



Friday 6th October 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

Another busy week comes to a close with our FOSWS discos taking place after school. The children have certainly enjoyed wearing non-school uniform today- we've had walking, talking bananas on site! Thank you to the FOSWS team for organising such a fun event and also to all those that have bought a ticket. All money raised at such events is invested back into the school.

We've seen many visitors to the school, including local secondary school headteachers meeting with Year 6 pupils, parents attending our pastoral support drop-in coffee morning with Mrs O'Connell and PCSOs joining Year 4 to discuss their role in the local community as part of their PSHE lesson.

We also said our goodbyes to Reverend Ford, who after 33 years of service in the local community, will shortly be retiring. The children thanked him for his engaging assemblies and estimated that he had taken over 900 at the school! Mr Warren from the Bury Christian Youth (BCY) will continue to join us each half-term for our collective worship assemblies.

There's also been lots going on out of school with UKS2 pupils taking part in an inter-school hockey competition, as well as our Eco Leaders, Mrs Matthews and Mrs Fisk attending the Bury in Bloom award ceremony at The Athenaeum, where they received a silver award for all their wonderful gardening and care of the outdoor learning areas.

Next week promises to be just as exciting, with the whole school taking part in #HelloYellow on Tuesday. By supporting this charity, we can make a difference with mental health support for young people across the country. Make sure you wear your brightest yellow clothing as the local press will be covering the event.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mr James Tottie (Headteacher) and Mr Jamie Winch (Deputy Headteacher)



Times Table Rockstar Competition

08:00 7TH OCTOBER 2023 - 07:45 12TH OCTOBER 2023

ANSWER AS MANY QUESTIONS AS POSSIBLE
PLAY IN ANY GAME TYPE* THE WINNING CLASS WILL HAVE THE
HIGHEST NUMBER OF CORRECT ANSWERS PER PUPIL*
ASK YOUR TEACHER FOR FULL DETAILS AND RULES*



For our next TTRS competition, it is year group versus year group. The more you take part, the more points you can earn. Good luck!

Vacancies

Head of Kitchen

We are seeking to appoint a Head of Kitchen to contribute to our high-quality catering service. The successful candidate for this rewarding post must be an enthusiastic and friendly individual who enjoys working as part of a team. The role will be varied, challenging and rewarding. It demands a high level of energy and commitment along with the ability to promote positive relationships with children and staff.

Dates for your diary

October 2023

Tuesday 10	World Mental Health day – wear yellow! Egyptian Day (Year 3) Active Travel Day – come to school by foot, bike or scooter!
Thursday 12	Parent Consultations
Friday 13	Year 1 and 2 Parent coffee morning
Monday 16	Parent Consultations
Wednesday 18	Individual Photographs (during school hours)
Thursday 19	Roman Day (Year 4)
Friday 20	Gressenhall trip (Year 5)
Monday 23 – Friday 27 October	Half Term

November 2023

7 November	Flu vaccinations
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Eco-leaders

Our Year 6 Eco-leaders write:

The eco-leaders want to make a change to the world by reducing plastic. We can all help. We can start by reducing plastic in our lunchboxes.

Instead of buying one-use plastic you can get tupperware boxes/pots to put your food and snacks in. You can wash these up, so you're saving the planet and money. Only give your child what they need so we're not wasting food.

Make sure you empty the food into the pots, without packaging, so your child can access it.

Thank you

Year 6 Eco-leaders

