

17th September 2021

Dear families,

What a fabulous week it has been at Warberry. The sun has continued to shine for the majority of the time and our children have been enjoying their P.E. sessions on the field.



Times Tables

Our Key Stage 2 children have been learning and practising their times tables this week using a Fact a Day. The children have one time table fact which they focus on and practise every day. You can support them too by asking questions at home. Don't forget that there is also TT Rockstars which is very popular with the children and enables them to practise their skills and compete against each other. Your child should have a login to use at home.

Virtual Act of Worship

This half term we will be continuing with our virtual Act of Worships and Celebration Worships with the exception of Year 1 who will be coming into the hall for a face to face Worship. This will enable our youngest children to become familiar with our worships. Our weekly Act of Worships follow our Christian Values which for this term is 'Thankfulness' and is followed up with activities that children complete in the classroom during family group time which is limited to their class at present. Friday is our Celebration Worship and is always enjoyed by pupils and teachers as they celebrate their Stars of the Week and Presentation award winners.

Art

It has been a joy to see the various art lessons across the school over the past two weeks. The children are learning about a local artist alongside acquiring and practising the skills needed to be artists. In Year 5, the children have been learning about colour mixing in readiness for creating their own masterpieces in the style of local artist, Becky Bettesworth. They produced such beautiful colour wheels, we can't wait to see their works of art!



Covid

Many of you will be aware that there have been a small number of positive Covid cases in the school and those classes have all received Warn and Inform letters. We have continued with many of our measures from last year as detailed on our parent risk assessment and ask for you to support us with these measures by continuing to socially distance at pick-up and drop-off times. Please be extra vigilant with the children and if they are not well, do not send them into school.



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Collection times

We are aware that collection times have been difficult with parking and the amount of people coming onto the school premises. **From Monday we will be opening our EYFS gates from 14:45 to allow parents with children in Reception and Nursery to collect from that time. From 15:00 the gate by the office will be open and the one way system will resume for all parents.** The gate will remain open until 15:15 allowing parents a 15 minute window to collect their children.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend and look forward to seeing you all on Monday!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'K. Southard'.

Mrs K Southard
Head of Academy



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