



WELLAND ACADEMY

Welland Weekly 14th February 2020

Mrs Anderson's message.....

Next week is half term. We have had a busy half term and I know the pupils (and staff) are looking forward to their week off.

When we return we will continue to focus on reading and will begin the half term with a visit from author Will Mabbitt. We will also be launching our 'book benches' - keep an eye out for more information after half term.

You will be receiving your child's mid year report on Friday 28th February. These can be discussed at the parents consultation. Please remember to sign up using the form - [click HERE](#).

Year 1 Trip

On Monday the Year 1's went to visit St John's Church to learn more about Christianity. They really enjoyed their trip into town and to the church and learnt more about the place of worship for Christians.





World Book Day T-Shirts

It has been lovely seeing so many parents in school working alongside their child to design their t-shirt for World Book Day. If you couldn't make it you can still design a t-shirt at home during half term. The t-shirts are to be worn on World Book Day on Thursday 5th March.









Book Fair



The book fair arrives at school from Wednesday 4th March until Monday 9th March. Please come along and have a look at the books. You will also be able to use the World Book Day voucher your child will be given.

Celebration of Learning Dates

Please see below the celebration of learning dates for this term. It is lovely to see parents in school so please try to come along and join in the learning with your children.

Year group	Date
EYFS	Friday 14 th February 9am
	Thursday 26 th March 9am
1	Thursday 2 nd April 9am
2	Friday 27 th March 9am
3	Wednesday 12 th February 9am
4	Friday 27 th March 2.30pm
5	Monday 10 th February - 2:30pm
6	Wednesday 25 th March 2:30pm

Weekly attendance

“Every Day Counts”

1 or 2 days a week doesn't seem that much but...

If your child misses	that equals...	which is...	and over 13 years of school that's...
1 day a fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1.5 years
1 day a week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2.5 years
2 days a week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 Years
3 days a week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years

The effect of absence on progress

A whole year has 365 days; a school year has 190 days. That leaves 175 days to spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping and other appointments.

No Absence	10 days absence	12 days absence	19 days absence	29 days absence	38 days absence
190 days of education	180 days of education	178 days of education	171 days of education	161 days of education	152 days of education
100%	95%	94%	90%	85%	80.00%
Very Good		Worrying		Serious Concern	

Weekly Attendance for 10/02/2020 – 14/02/2020	
Class	%
England	95.9
Portugal	90.0
Latvia	95.7
Lithuania	93.0
Slovakia	97.6
Poland	94.5
Pakistan	95.9
India	98
China	94.7
Egypt	98.3
Kenya	96.3
Nigeria	91.0
Gambia	83.3
Morocco	93.5
Romania	100

Whole school attendance
target 2019 – 2020

96%

Whole school attendance
07/09/2019 – 07/02/2020

95.5%

Whole school weekly
attendance
10/02/2020 – 014/02/2020

94.7%



Class weekly 100% winner –

Romania

**Rewarded with a Non-Uniform day
on 28/02/20**

Diary Dates for this term

Date	Event
Monday 17th February—Friday 21st February	Half Term
Tuesday 25 th February	Year 2 Dance festival
Wednesday 26th February	Yr 4 athletics festival
Friday 28th February	Mid Year Reports home
Monday 2nd March	Yr 2 trip to Leicester Botanical Gardens
Wednesday 4th March	Yr 5 trip to Kidzania
Tuesday 3rd and Thursday 5th March	Parents Evening
Friday 6th March	Jobs dress up day
Wednesday 4th March—Monday 9th	Book Fair
Thursday 5th March	World Book Day/Gambia Class Assembly
Thursday 19th March	Egypt Class Assembly
Week of 23rd March	Science Week Year 1 Trip to Burghley
Tuesday 24 th March	Year 5/5 football and netball competition
Tuesday 31st March	Poland Class Assembly
Friday 3rd April	Last Day of Term