

West Meadows Weekly

#AimHighSucceedBeHappy – www.westmeadows.org.uk

Friday 11th September 2020



Dear Families,
 Our first full week! Again, it has been an absolute pleasure welcoming the children in to school. They have been a delight. Remember to check our Twitter Feeds to see exactly what has been going on at West Meadows. All of the teachers have been keen to share their work and already, we have seen some high quality input and outputs from everyone here. Speaking of Twitter, Mr. Mitchell has set up our Well-Being page. @WMWellbeing give the page a follow as well-being is a key focus for everyone at West Meadows, even more so in the modern times. Our Risk Assessments are of course available on the school website and I would again like to thank families for following our latest rules and routines so carefully.
 It has been lovely to hear the sounds of music drifting through the corridors this week. Remember to see Mr. O or Tweet the Music feed if you would like your child to learn an instrument. We are welcoming Barnsley Music Hub Peripatetic Teachers in to school as per guidance and we shall strive to develop these exciting opportunities even further across school.
 It has also been great to see children attending school on PE days in their House Kit – thank you for your support. Vortex do a great job with the uniform; our school office has order forms should you require them. Look out for a range of fundraising initiatives in school centred around Ward 6 at Sheffield Children’s Hospital. We have some ambitious plans but all for a terrific cause and one which is providing such wonderful support for one of our little lovelies.
 Have a wonderful weekend and enjoy the weather. Some overdue sunshine looks like its heading our way! We wish Barnsley FC all the best in their new campaign starting this weekend too!

#AimHighSucceedBeHappy
 Daniel Wood (Headteacher)

Class Attendances	%
EYFS 1 AM	89.5%
Reg 30 hours	100%
F2	87.93%
Year 1	93.3%
Year 2	93.1%
Year 3	95.9%
Year 4	87.4%
Year 5	91.6%
Year 6	95%

This week’s winners	
School Attendance Target for the Year:	97%
School Attendance this week:	92%
School Attendance this year:	93.7%

Lunch Menu		
	Traditional Meal	Savoury Option
Mon	British Pork Frankfurter Hot Dog, Bread Roll Chips	Jacket Potato
Tue	Beef Strips in Gravy, Yorkshire Pudding Creamed Potatoes, Broccoli & Carrots	Jacket Potato
Weds	Roast Chicken Fillet, Stuffing, Creamed Potatoes, Cauliflower, Green Beans Gravy	Jacket Potato
Thurs	All Day Breakfast Selection of Breakfast Items	Jacket Potato
Fri	Fish Finger Creamed Potatoes (Salmon Fish Finger available) Garden Peas	Jacket Potato

Ward 6

I am sorry to inform you that one of our lovely Y2 children is presently receiving treatment for Leukaemia. The family have been greatly impressed by the help from Ward 6 at Sheffield Children’s Hospital. As such, we have decided that Ward 6 and its redevelopment will be our charity of choice this year at West Meadows. Already Miss Jobling’s son has a haircut planned – see our Twitter feed for details.

Dates
 Christmas Dinner for F2 Y1 Y2 Y3 – Weds 2 Dec
 Christmas Dinner for Y4 Y5 Y6 – Weds 9 Dec
 EYFS Party Fri 18 Dec
 Y1-Y6 Parties in Classrooms including Party Food – Weds 16 Dec.

Maestro on Music - @WMPrimaryMusic
 Please ensure all Music Tuition forms are returned ASAP. Should you require another form, it’s not a problem just see Mrs. O in the office and she’ll deal with all things Music wise.

Breakfast Club EYFS2 - Y6 Children
 Please remember **Breakfast Club** is **NOW OPEN**. We are able to accommodate **EYFS 2 Children**. Children will be socially distanced in class bubbles. A bargain at £2 per day. Please book via Parent Pay

Attendance
 Please remember a ‘common cold’ alone is **NOT** a reason for absence from school. We have missed enough time in education and I strongly appeal to you to ensure time off around COVID is due at least 2 symptoms – Temperature/ New dry cough/ loss of taste and smell.

The Week Ahead.....	
Mon 14	• Y2 Multi Skills Club
Tue 15	• Year 3 Football Club
Weds 16	• Year 4 Ball Skills Club
Thurs 17	• Year 5 Netball Club
Fri 18	• Year 6 Cricket Club