



West Meadows Weekly

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Welcome to the first edition of the year of West Meadows' Weekly. What a fantastic start back all of our children have had. It has been lovely to see them working hard in class and they have all made me feel incredibly welcome in my first week. A particular warm welcome to our new starters and their families. We have lots of exciting things coming up in the next few weeks. I am especially looking forward to having all of our children together again for whole school assemblies starting from Monday and welcoming parents into school later this half term to look at their children's learning in books on 11th October.

The school day:

Just a quick reminder that from Monday 13th September we will be moving back to all pupils from F2 to Year 6 being collected at 3:00pm. As a school we have decided to keep the flexible drop off time of 8:30am – 8:45am. Classroom doors will close at 8:45am and pupils will then need to be brought to the main reception. Our children are making a quick start to their learning each day after saying goodbye at the classroom entrance and so we have decided to keep this in place for all classes. We have also decided to remove the one-way system around the playground, meaning that parents can enter and leave through the gate/ramp at the front of school.

P.E dates:

F2: Thursday

Year 1: Tuesday and Thursday

Year 2: Monday and Tuesday

Year 3: Monday and Thursday

Year 4: Wednesday and Thursday

Year 5: Tuesday and Friday

Year 6: Wednesday and Friday

Pupils should come dressed in their P.E kit on their P.E days but please ensure that they have the correct kit.

Water bottles:

We encourage all of our children to bring a water bottle to school so that they can have a drink throughout the day. Could we please ensure that they only have water in their bottles please.

Breakfast and After-school clubs:

Breakfast club started on Monday 6th September and is bookable through ParentPay. Miss Grange will be starting after school sports clubs from next week so keep an eye out for more information.

Attendance Matters!

Every Monday we will celebrate our children's achievements, both in school and at home, including their attendance in school. Good attendance is vital for your child's education and means they can make the most of all aspects of school life.

F1 AM	86.4%
F2	92.2%
Year 1	100%
Year 2	97.4%
Year 3	99.5%
Year 4	100%
Year 5	93.3%
Year 6	98.8%

And this week's winner is...

Class

Diary dates:

We will be sending a full list of diary dates out for this term next week. This is what we have coming up in the next few weeks:

23rd September	The Great Big Green Day
24 th September	Cross Country Years 5&6
30 th September	Year 3 Scooter skills
10th October	World Mental Health Day
11th October 3:00pm – 4:30pm	Open classroom book share for parents and carers
12 th October	Flu jabs
20th October	KS1 harvest festival
21 st October	School Photograph day