



NEWSLETTER

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Article 28

Every child has the right to an education

Dear Parents, Carers and Friends

Uniform

We are still having children turning up for school in items that are not on our uniform policy, (which can be accessed on the school website.) Please support us in ensuring the children are dressed appropriately. Correct PE kits MUST be in school at all times.

COVID UPDATE

Cases are rising and Wordsley has been identified as an area of concern. Please stick to the guidelines, get tested and continue to wear a mask when on school premises. Symptoms in children include headache, sore throat, runny nose, fever and earache. If your child has these symptoms, please get a PCR test (not a lateral flow test.) Thanks.

Cars on Site

Only visitors to school who have obtained permission can come down the drive. Please remember the speed limit on school premises is **5mph**. If you are driving on site please be mindful of others. It is very busy and we need to minimise the risks. Do not park on the staff car park. Many thanks.

Parent Governor Election

We have two vacancies for parent governors, if you wish to be considered forms are available from the school office. These have to be returned to govelection.cs@dudley.gov.uk

KS2 Sports

Congratulations to everyone who took part.

The winning house was **Fire**.

The points were as follows:

Fire	594
Water	531
Earth	407
Air	397

Tree Tots Ashwood Park Primary School Toddler Group

Hi Everyone!

We hope you are all well. We are getting lots of enquiries about our lovely baby and toddler group, but unfortunately due to the current situation we aren't able to open yet. We are missing you all and really hope that things continue to improve, so we can look into opening safely in the Autumn Term. Keep safe and well.



Holiday Activity and Fun in Dudley (HAF)

There are currently **NO plans to provide FSM Vouchers over the 6 weeks' holiday** and the **REVIVE project that over 30 schools have benefitted from over the past 12 months will not be offering a service.**

DFE are directing Local Authorities to promote HAF as the only free option for families to receive activities and food.

School Day Start Times

Reminder that the start and finish times for school sessions are:

Nursery AM	8.30am to 11.30am
Nursery PM	12.30pm to 3.30pm
Reception	8.50am to 3.15pm
Years 1 & 2	8.40am to 3.05pm
Years 3 & 4	8.40am to 3.05pm
Years 5 & 6	8.50am to 3.15pm

Children should arrive on school premises no more than 10 minutes before their session starts. Several children are arriving too early and are not supervised.

Internet Safety

Due to a number of requests from parents the web link below shows you how to set parental controls on all devices at home. This may help you monitor what your children are looking at online.

<https://www.internetmatters.org/parental-controls/>

SEN Policy

The schools updated SEN Policy is posted on our website.

www.ashwood.dudley.sch.uk

Thank you

Giant Hogweed

In the river/canal area outside school giant hogweed is growing, see <https://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/blog/2019/06/giant-hogweed-facts/>

The sap from the plants can cause serious blisters if it gets on skin which is then exposed to sunlight. Take care

PRAISE AWARDS

Children who gained badges and certificates deserve our special congratulations:

W/C 14 June 2021

Key Stage One

RER Hedgehogs	Lexi
RR Foxes	Oliver
1/2B Squirrels	Demi-Jae
1/2D Moles	Logan
2W Badgers	Josh

Key Stage Two

3/4A Chestnut	Kai
3/4H Oak	Jack
4D Elder	Chloe
5/6LS Beech	Oliver
5/6T Holly	McKye
6B Rowan	Fadl
6B Rowan	Nathan

WELL DONE ALL



This weeks individual winners are:

- 1st William 3/4A
- 2nd Amelia T 4D
- 3rd Connie 3/4A

The winning class is 4D

WELL DONE ALL



This weeks leading weekly point scorers are:

- Year 3 1st Ellis 3/4A
- 2nd Kayleigh 3/4A
- 3rd Jessica 3/4A

- Year 4 1st Riley 4D
- 2nd Imogen 4D
- 3rd Taran 4D

- Year 5 1st Tommy 5/6LS
- 2nd Josh N 5/6T
- 3rd Jake 5/6LS

- Year 6 1st Matthew 6B
- 2nd Kayden 6B
- 3rd Taylor 6B

Please practise your tables on TT Rockstars and see if you can make our weekly leader board.

WELL DONE ALL

Dinner Information

All dinners must be booked through School Money. **Dinners must be booked on School Money the day before they are needed.**

If you are having problems saving your child's menu choices please search for school money using Google and login through that link rather than through the app.

Thank you

The three week menu is on our website.

Menu WC 21st June (Week 3)

Monday

Veggie ball sub roll
Fish goujons
Pasta salad and seasonal vegetables

Carrot cake

Tuesday

Sausage roll (vegan option available)
Breaded white fish
Sauté potatoes and seasonal vegetables

Chocolate surprise

Wednesday

Chicken wrap and salad
Salmon nibbles
Baby bakers and seasonal vegetables

Melting moment

Thursday

Macaroni cheese with garlic bread
BBQ fish goujon
Savoury rice and seasonal vegetables

Butterscotch and ginger cake

Friday

Margherita pizza
Baked fish
Chipped potatoes and seasonal vegetables

Oaty cookie

Available every day

Grab bags which contain a sandwich either cheese, tuna or ham filling.
Salad bag.
One from a cake, biscuit or yoghurt.
Fresh fruit
Water

Jacket Potato with a choice of cheese, beans or cheese and beans.

To apply for **Free School Meals** please complete the online form at www.dudley.gov.uk/residents/benefits/free-school-meals

Please apply even if your children are in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 as children who are entitled to benefits assessed free school meals attract more funding for the school.

O.S.C.A.

Breakfast at School

Why not come along and have breakfast with us?

7.30am-8.45am

£3.50 per session

All cooked breakfast food needs to be ordered by 8.00am.

One of the following will be available each day on a rota basis:
Beans on toast, crumpets, pancakes, bagels, croissants.

Available every day:-
cereals, toast with butter or jam, fruit, milk or water.

Activities available every day include toys, colouring etc.

O.S.C.A.

Afterschool Club:

3.15pm-4.30pm

£3.50 per session

3.15pm-6pm

£7.00 per session

(Healthy snack/drink included)

4.30-6.00pm(after sports clubs)

£3.50 per session

Activities include:

Colouring & craft	Board games
Sewing	Puzzles
Computers	Outdoor play
Construction toys	Group games

To register for OSCA please collect an information pack from Mrs Janet Oakes before or after school in the KS1 block.

BOOKINGS

Due to safeguarding requirements all bookings must be made at least a week in advance via School Money

No last minute bookings will be accepted except in a dire emergency.

Places are very limited due to Covid restrictions