



Warbstow Primary Academy and Nursery

"Working, Learning and Achieving Together"

NEWSLETTER 21 - Thursday 17th January

Dear Parents,

It feels as though this half term has flown by for us all, and here we are at half term! It has been a challenging term for us, however our community spirit shone through! Returning to 'normal' has been fantastic and the learning that has taken place has been brilliant. We're very proud of the children. We have some exciting activities planned for next half term—World Book Day, A circus skills day, outdoor learning, Bikeability and much more. We're really looking forward to it!

I hope you all have a lovely, relaxing half term. Warm regards, Mrs Bancroft

SATs Booster Club—Year 6

This year will see the re-introduction of SATs for Year 2 and Year 6. The assessments will take place in May this year and be undertaken in a stress-free, calm format. We do however want our children to be as prepared as possible for the tests and feel confident in how to tackle them.

Year 6— From half term SATs booster club will begin. This will run on Mondays 3:20-4:20 for the half term, and we strongly recommend that all year 6 pupils attend. Mr Turnham and Mrs Harvey will lead the sessions with the dual aims of improving understanding and pace across Maths, GAP's and Reading. First session Monday 28th February.

Year 2— Mrs Bancroft will work with the children during the school day to help support the children's confidence.

World Book Day 2022—Thursday 3rd March

Warbstow's Story Club has been busy planning this year's special day. Please see their poster on the next page. As part of the celebrations we will be holding a book swap and cake sale. Any money raised will be used to buy new books for our library and class book corners. Please can we ask for some yummy cake donations and books that could be loved by a new family.

If you have any books that you no longer need, please do send them into school from next week. All books need to be in good condition. The children can then choose a new book to go home with on the day itself. Cake donations can be brought into school by your child on the morning of World Book Day.

It wouldn't be the same without some dressing up, we look forward to seeing the children dressed up as their favourite book character.

Afterschool Clubs

Afterschool clubs will continue next half term.

Monday—Y6 SATs booster—4.20pm.

Tuesday—Choir—Y3-6—4.30pm

Tuesday—Plymouth Argyle football—Y3-6 -4.30pm **Requires registration via link below/letter attached.**

Wednesday—Sports hall athletics—Y2-6—4.15pm

Thursday—Story Club—R-Y2— 4.15pm

Registration portals are open until 3pm on Monday 28th February via the Arbor app for choir, athletics and story club. You only need to register your child if they are new to the club. All members from this half term will automatically be registered.

Link for Plymouth Argyle Football session

<https://argylecommunitytrust.co.uk/school-clubs/north-devon-east-cornwall-asc/>

Read, Write Inc—Class 1 and 2

Thank you for your patience with our Read Write Inc phonics, I'd like to reassure you that I will be assessing all of the children as soon as we return from the half term break. Reading books will now be sent home twice a week. Children will also bring a reading for pleasure book home.

Lunches

A new menu begins after half term, booking is available on ParentPay. Please order all lunches for the first week back by Sunday 27th February.

Dates

18 February 22 – INSET DAY

21-25 February 22 – HALF TERM

3 March 22—World Book Day

29 March 22—Parents Evening

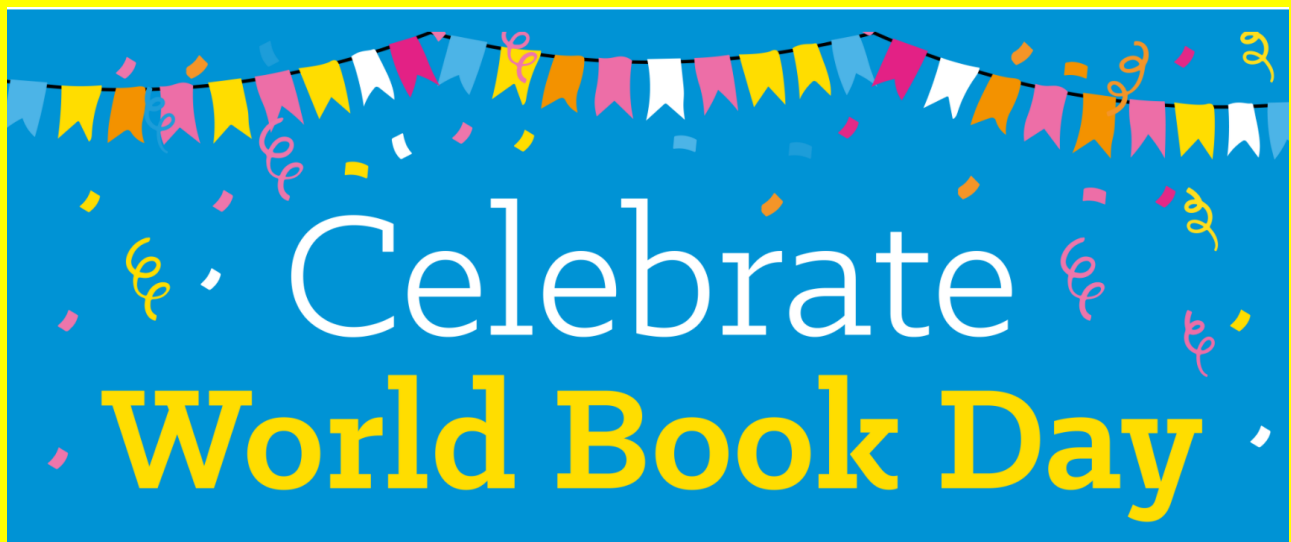
30 March 22—Parents Evening

11 – 22 April 22 – EASTER HOLIDAYS

30 May – 3 June 22 – HALF TERM

6 June 22 – Queens Jubilee Bank Holiday

29 June—1 July 22—YHA Residential, Y5 & Y6



Thursday 3rd March 2022

AT WARBSOW PRIMARY ACADEMY AND NURSERY

To celebrate 25 years of World Book Day we will....

♦ **Dress Up**

Come to school dressed as a book character

♦ **Favourite books**

Choose your favourite book and bring it into school with you.

♦ **Book Swap**

From 3:20—3:45 we will be holding a book swap in the front playground. Bring a book to donate in the morning and take home a new book in the afternoon.

♦ **Cake Sale**

From 3:20—3:45 we will be holding a cake sale in the front playground.