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Mr Ellis Office Hours

Monday-PM
Tuesday- All Day
Thursday- All Day
Friday- All Day



30th April- Sir James Smith Y6 children introduction
(at Warbstow)
Monday 13th May- Y6 SATS WEEK STARTS
Wednesday 22nd-24th May Class 4 Bristol
residential.
Monday 27th May- HALF TERM



The office will be closed on Tuesdays from now on. Any messages or illness' should be sent via ESchools on Tuesdays.

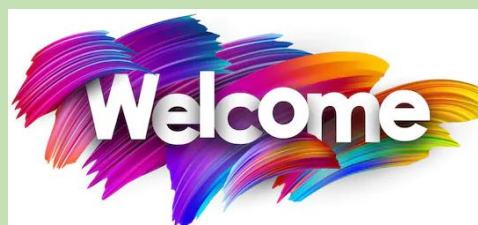
Staffing Update

Some of you may have seen Mrs Simpson in school this week, Mrs Simpson has made the decision to focus on her family and will not be returning to Warbstow Primary Academy. We wish her all the best for the future, and for all her hard work over the years.



Class 4 Bristol residential.

Just a reminder that the final payment is due for the Bristol trip on the 17th May. Please can you ensure that all forms have been returned to the office. If you have lost your medical form please see Miss Hicks for another.



We would like to welcome Cameron D and family to the school. Cameron has joined the Year 5 cohort in Mr Turnham's class.

Attendance

School year to date 97%

Days off school add up to lost learning

175 NON SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR

175 days to spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping, household jobs and other appointments

0	6	15	19
DAYS ABSENCE (190 school days)	DAYS ABSENCE OR MORE	DAYS ABSENCE OR MORE	DAYS ABSENCE OR MORE
100%	96.2%	92.2%	Below 90%
EXCELLENT ATTENDANCE	SATISFACTORY ATTENDANCE	REQUIRES IMPROVEMENT	PERMANENT CAUSE FOR CONCERN
<i>Best chance of SUCCESS</i>	<i>Harder to make good progress</i>	<i>Less chance of success</i>	<i>Serious concern Possible Court Action!</i>



We understand some parents have had issues logging onto ESchools. If you are still experiencing problems, please let Miss Hicks know who will re-set your passcode.



Miss Hicks will be running her termly check on Friday 3rd May. All we need from yourselves is your National Insurance number, and your date of birth in order to see if you are eligible. If your child is eligible then it attracts additional funding to the school, your child will have free school meals along with additional funding to be spent on your child (eg free swimming, reduced cost on trips and residential, additional 1:1)

If you haven't already done so, please could you send an Eschools message to Miss Hicks with your National Insurance number, and date of birth so that she can run the check on your behalf.



We have extended the Lunchtime Supervisor job closing date to the 12th May. Please could you share with any neighbours, friend or family that you think may be interested in the role.

[Vacancy](#)

After School Clubs

Monday	Football Club	Mr Griffith	Y4-6	20 Spaces
Monday	STEM & Eco club	Mrs Harvey	Y2-6	15 spaces
Monday	Lego and board game club	Mrs Provis	R,1 & 2	15 spaces
Tuesday	Athletics	Mr Turnham	Y4-6	20 spaces
Wednesday	Samba Club	Kari	Y3-6	15 spaces
Thursday	Choir	Gemma & Serena	Y3-6	Full

Tuesday's club will be SATS club for the 30th April and 7th May. Athletics will start after half term. Please can you send a message if you would like your child to attend Athletics club from 4th June.

As always this will be a first come first served basis. Choir is currently full, however if your child is interested in joining, then please put their name on the waiting list, and they will be allocated a space once one becomes available. If your child has previously attended choir, and no longer wishes to do so please let Miss Hicks know ASAP so their place may be reallocated.



What a busy first gardening club this term! Little muddy and a bit wet but it was fun.

This week we planted up a Herb Spiral in the front garden. The Herb Spiral creates a mini micro-climate for different plant needs.



We also planted some Irish Yew to create a topiary W, tended to the potatoes (which are growing very well) and tidied the pots.

Finlay was 'Gardener of the week'

Don't forget to enter your photo for April you have until Wednesday next week.

The garden club have used some money raised from the shop to donate to the 'Save the Bees' project with Friends of the Earth. They have received some seeds and an information pack. Next week we are starting a project on the field creating Bug and Bee Hotels.