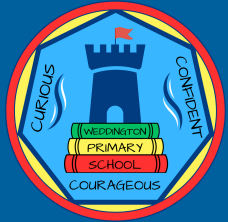


Every Child

Every Chance

Every Day

WEDDINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Reception and KS1 Values Assembly

It was a real pleasure to come together for our Reception and Key Stage 1 Values Assembly this week. These special moments give us the opportunity to celebrate the children who consistently live out our school values in their everyday actions.

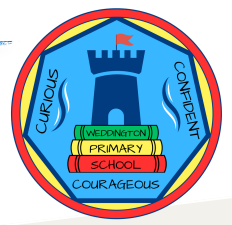
From showing respect to others, to persevering with their learning, and demonstrating mindfulness and kindness, the children recognised truly reflected what it means to be part of our Weddington community.

Well done, everyone!





Girls Football Event

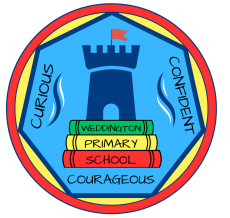


On Friday we were delighted to host a fantastic Girls' Football Event at school. Every girl across the school was given the opportunity to take part in a football session organised and led by the brilliant coaches from Vision Football Academy, with support from students from Etone College. We also had several other schools from Nuneaton also attended which made the day special - thank you to Chetwynd and ALP.



The sessions gave the girls the chance to learn new skills, develop and extend their existing abilities, have fun with friends and embrace the excitement of a new challenge. It was also wonderful to welcome girls from other Nuneaton schools to join us for the event. All who took part truly demonstrated our school vision of becoming courageous and confident. It was a fantastic day enjoyed by everyone, and we are already looking forward to doing it again next year!





World Book Day

On Thursday we celebrated World Book Day in style! It was amazing to see both children and staff arrive in their wonderful costumes, and we are always blown away by the creativity and effort shown by our families.



The children enjoyed a full day of exciting activities, including the opportunity to speak with a real author, take part in a costume catwalk to proudly show off their outfits, and explore a range of reading activities where they could choose their own creative ways to respond to what they were reading. It was a fantastic day that truly celebrated our love of books and stories.



World Book Day



Year 2 Trip

This week, Year 2 enjoyed an unforgettable visit to the Black Country Living Museum, where they were transported back in time to experience life as Victorian school pupils. The day was filled with excitement, curiosity and plenty of hands-on learning.

The highlight of the visit was taking part in an authentic Victorian school lesson. The children stepped into a traditional classroom, where they discovered how strict school life used to be! They practised reciting their times tables aloud together and discovered how children would work on their handwriting.

Throughout the day, they demonstrated Weddington's Curious and Confident values. They asked thoughtful questions about Victorian life, eagerly explored the historic buildings and embraced the challenge of trying new activities.

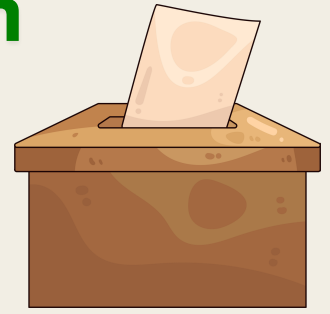
The visit brought their history learning to life in a memorable way. We are incredibly proud of how brilliantly Year 2 represented our school and embodied our values throughout this fantastic experience.



BLACK COUNTRY
LIVING
MUSEUM

Polling day information

Thursday 7th May



We have been informed that the school will once again be used as a polling station on Thursday 7th May. As a result, the school will be closed to **all** pupils on this day.

Over the past two years, we have been able to rearrange INSET days to support families and avoid disruption. Unfortunately, this year we are not in a position to swap any days, and the closure will need to remain in place.

I appreciate that any change to routine can be inconvenient, and I am sorry for any disruption this may cause. Thank you, as always, for your understanding and continued support.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Please ensure you keep an eye on our website as it has lots of information about our School

<https://www.weddingtonschool.co.uk>

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Please click on the links to see the wealth of information on the website about our school

Parking Safely Around School

Despite our recent reminders about parking safely around school, we unfortunately had an incident this morning where a small number of cars pulled up onto the kerb where families and children were standing. The vehicle came very close to children, which is clearly unsafe.

I have personally seen and spoken to families about this in the past, so it's important that we all remain mindful and vigilant when arriving at school. Our children's safety must always come first.

I'm also aware that when this was raised, the conversation that followed became uncomfortable. Please remember that we are all working towards the same goal – keeping our children safe.

A few gentle reminders:

Please do not drive or park on the pavement/kerb, especially where families and children are walking or waiting.

Park a little further away and walk to school. I regularly walk and drive around the area between 8:00–8:30am and there is usually plenty of parking just a few minutes away.

Consider using surrounding roads such as Oakdene Crescent, Elmsfield Road, Fox Avenue, Scott Avenue and Bramdene Avenue, then walking the short distance to school.

Please be respectful to local residents and avoid parking across driveways or near junctions.

If concerns are raised, please keep conversations respectful and calm.

At Weddington, our values of Respect and Mindfulness guide how we treat one another and how we keep our community safe. By making small choices, like parking a few minutes away and walking, we can make a big difference to the safety of our children each morning.



New Communication App – Coming Soon

Over the past year, we have been listening carefully to feedback from parents and reviewing how we communicate as a school. While MyEd has supported us for a number of years, we recognise that there have been some shortfalls and we want to continue improving how we keep our families informed.

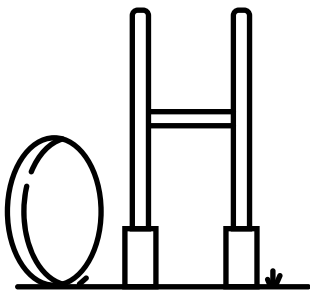
Later this month, we will be moving to a new communication platform called Reach More Parents, which will be branded under our school name, Weddington.

This system will allow us to bring school communication into one simple app, helping parents receive messages, updates and key information in a clearer and more accessible way. It is designed specifically for schools to strengthen communication and engagement with families.

Our aim is simple – to make communication easier, clearer and more effective for our whole community.

We will share more information shortly, including how to download and set up the new app before the transition from MyEd takes place.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support as we look to keep improving how we work together for our children.

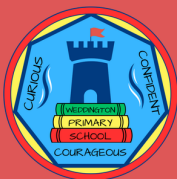


A purple-themed poster for a Girls Rugby event. At the top, it says "Girls Rugby" in large white letters, with "All Welcome at the Ed's!" below it. There are two circular images: one of a golden trophy and a rugby ball, and another of a girls' rugby team standing on a field. Text on the poster includes "England Rugby" with a rose logo, "GIRLS PLAY RUGBY HERE!", "Try Rugby with us", "Find Us on Facebook and Instagram", "Join Us Every Sunday from 10:15am", and "Email mandj@noerfc.co.uk for more information." The bottom right features the "rugby" logo with a heart symbol. The entire poster is framed by a border of small "rugby" logos and hearts.



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WEDDINGTON'S VALUES



01

ASPIRATION

Aspiration means dreaming big and aiming high. At Weddington, we inspire children to set exciting goals and work hard to achieve them. We celebrate achievements and encourage everyone to believe in themselves.

REFLECTION

Reflection helps us grow and improve. At Weddington, we encourage children to think about what they've learned, celebrate successes, and set targets to do even better, turning challenges into opportunities.



03

TRUTH

Truth is about being honest and making the right choices. At Weddington, we teach children to value honesty and fairness, helping them build trust and strong relationships in our school community.



02

RESPECT

Respect is at the heart of everything we do at Weddington. We treat everyone with kindness and value their ideas and feelings. We show respect through our behaviour, teamwork, and by celebrating our differences.



04



05

PERSEVERANCE

Perseverance teaches us to never give up. At Weddington, we celebrate effort and resilience, encouraging children to keep going when things are hard. This helps them build confidence and achieve their best.

INSPIRATION

Inspiration drives creativity and a love of learning. At Weddington, we bring lessons to life with exciting topics, visitors, and experiences that spark curiosity and motivate children to explore the world around them.



06

MINDFULNESS

Mindfulness helps us stay calm, focused, and ready to learn. At Weddington, we use mindfulness in lessons and daily activities to manage emotions and support well-being, creating a peaceful and happy school.



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Weddington's vision is for all to thrive.

'Weddy' graduates will venture into the wider world as curious, courageous and confident individuals, who are equipped with the tools for continued success

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Mindfulness



Perseverance



Respect



Reflection



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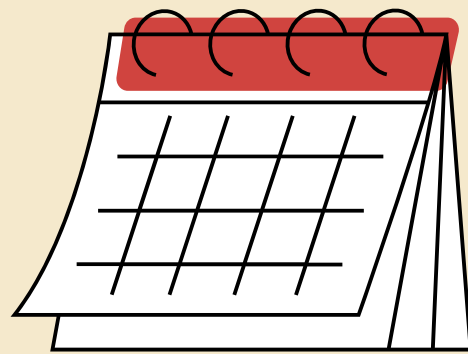


Aspiration



Inspiration

Dates



12.03.26 - Warwick Castle trip - Y3
13.03.26 - Weddy Graduate Day (Inspirational Women)
18.03.26 - Parents Evening (3.30pm - 5.30pm)
19.03.26 - Parents Evening (3.30pm - 7pm)
25.03.26 - Year 3 & 4 Sing into Spring 2pm
26.03.26 - Year 3 & 4 Sing into Spring 2pm
27.03.26 - Easter Bonnet and Egg decoration & Last day
for spring 2 (Easter)
14.04.26 - Back to school for summer 1
16.04.26 - Conkers trip Y1
29.04.26 - Coventry Cathedral Trip - Y2
01.05.26 - Air Ambulance Charity Day
07.05.26 - Polling Day. School closed to all students
11.05.26 - Year 6 SATs start
20.05.26 - Bosworth trip Y3
22.05.26 - Last day of summer 1
22.05.26 - Compton Verney trip Y4
01.06.26 - Back to school for summer 2
04.06.26 - Arboretum trip Y6
12.06.26 - Den Day. Whole school
15.06.26 - PGL trip Y6
23.06.26 - Reception and KS1 Sports Day AM 9.30-11.30
24.06.26 - Y3 & 4 Sports Day AM 9.30-11.30 Y5&6 Sports
Day PM 1.00-3.00
03.07.26 - Summer Sensation (Summer Fayre)
08.07.26 - Transition Day
17.07.26 - Last day of summer

INSET days 25-26

~~Monday 1st Sept~~

~~Friday 24th Oct~~

~~Monday 5th Jan~~

Monday 13th April

Monday 20th July

Sporting events

~~06.03.26 - Biggest Girl Football Event. All Day.~~

17.04.26 - Boys Football KS1 - Afternoon

15.5.26 - Boys Year 3 & 4 Football. Afternoon.

26.06.26 - SEN Football. All Day

We are not expecting to, but
some dates may change due
to unforeseen
circumstances. If they do,
we will inform families ASAP.