

NORTH WALKDEN PRIMARY - NEWSLETTER

8th November 2024

Headteacher's Weekly Awards - WELL DONE TO OUR STARS OF THE WEEK

All the children get a special mention in the Achievement assembly on Friday and will bring home a certificate detailing the reason for their award.

| Nursery | Reception | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
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| Nilavu Ini | Jude Renee | Theo K Michelle | Dara Robyn | Riley Maya | Lucia Abraham | Nadia Byron | Harry Amina |

Remembrance Day: For Remembrance Day on Monday 11th November, any Scouts (Beavers or Cubs etc.) or Girl Guides (Rainbows, Brownies etc.) will be allowed to come into school wearing their club uniform to show respect and reflection for the day.

Exploitation session for parents: As part of Greater Manchester's week of exploitation learning and development events, [St Giles](#) are hosting a virtual awareness-raising session for parents and carers to help them recognise the signs and indicators that young people are at risk of becoming involved in gangs, exploitation and violence; as well as advice on how to have conversations about these issues and where to seek support.

Please book a space using the link below if you are interested.

Wednesday 20th of November 1 to 2pm.

This session hosted by St Giles, is aimed at parents and carers, and professionals who may be less familiar with the signs and indicators of exploitation. It will provide an overview of the signs and indicators which may indicate that a young person may be being exploited and where you can access support.

Go here to book your place [Microsoft Virtual Events Powered by Teams](#)

Parent support sessions: Early Break are hosting two virtual parental sessions regarding unregulated vapes and harm reduction. Please find the links below to join this session regarding the regulated and unregulated use of vapes and harm reduction on the **12th of November at 5.45pm to 6.45 pm.**

Microsoft Teams [Need help?](#)

[Join the meeting now](#)

Meeting ID: 380 383 619 276

Passcode: jUHSzU

the **4th of December at 5.45pm to 6.45 pm.**

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[Join the meeting now](#)

Meeting ID: 360 839 218 031

Passcode: 7DFmm9

Parents Evening: Don't forget to book your appointment. Please ensure you book the right appointment for you – some are phone calls and others are in school. Please only book one appointment.



Children should be in school by 8.45am if you arrive after this time you are late!

Well done to Nursery, Year 1, Year 2, Year 3, Year 4 and Year 6 for achieving their attendance target - let's keep this up throughout the year!

Punctuality and Attendance

Please remember school starts at **8:45am** – Doors will be open from 8.35am. Children arriving after 8.55am must enter through the school office and be signed in.

Last week's attendance – Our School target and individual pupil target is 96%

| | Nursery | Reception | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 | Whole School |
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| Class attendance award | 99 GOLD | 94 | 96 Bronze | 98 Silver | 99 GOLD | 97 Silver | 91 | 96 Bronze | 96 |
| Late arrivals | 1 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 5 | 29 |

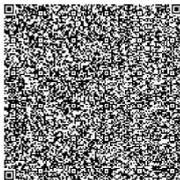
School communication: Please ensure you are logged into your school spider app so that you receive all the important messages we send out. If you need to download the app again, its 'School Spider' and then you can simply go to the log in page and click forgot password to reset your log in details.

Contacting School: If you wish to contact school then you can email us on NorthWalkdenPrimary.PupilContact@salford.gov.uk and we will respond the same day or call 0161 921 2921.

DIARY DATES: Whilst we aim not to change dates once set sometimes circumstances mean we have to, please always check the dates each week and update your plans accordingly. Any changes will be highlighted.

| DATE | ACTIVITY/EVENT | TIME | CLASS/STAFF |
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| MONDAY 11 TH NOVEMBER | FLU VACCINATIONS – RECEPTION TO YEAR 6 | 9AM – 1PM | REC – Y6 |
| TUESDAY 12 TH NOVEMBER | ANTI BULLYING WEEK – ODD SOCK DAY – All you need to do is wear odd socks! It's a great way to celebrate what makes us all unique in Anti-Bullying Week! | ALL DAY | WHOLE SCHOOL |

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| WEDNESDAY 13 TH NOVEMBER | RECEPTION AUTUMN FESTIVALS WORKSHOP | 9-9.45AM | RECEPTION PARENTS WELCOME |
| THURSDAY 14 TH NOVEMBER | YEAR 5 AND 6 EXTRA PE SESSION – children to come in their PE kits | 1-3 | YEAR 5 AND 6 CLASSES |
| FRIDAY 15 TH NOVEMBER | CHILDREN IN NEED – children are welcome to come in themed clothing in support of this charity if they wish to. | | WHOLE SCHOOL |
| W/C MONDAY 18 TH NOVEMBER | ASSESSMENT WEEK FOR CHILDREN IN YEARS 1-6 | ALL WEEK | YEARS 1-6 |
| MONDAY 18 TH NOVEMBER | YEAR 6 HEIGHTS AND WEIGHTS | 9.30 – 11.30 | YEAR 6 |
| WEDNESDAY 20 TH NOVEMBER | FRONT ROW CONCERT – FOR PARENTS WHOSE CHILDREN ATTEND LUNCH TIME LESSONS | 2.30 – 3.00 | LUNCHTIME MUSIC LESSONS |
| THURSDAY 21 ST NOVEMBER | YEAR 3 AND 4 EXTRA PE SESSION – children to come in their PE kits | 1-3PM | YEAR 3 AND 4 |
| MONDAY 25 TH NOVEMBER | PARENTS EVENING – 5 MINUTE PHONECALL | 3.45 – 5PM | Nursery, Reception, Y1,2,3 and Y5 |
| MONDAY 25 TH NOVEMBER | BOOK FAIR – IN SCHOOL EACH DAY | 3.15 – 3.45 | WHOLE SCHOOL |
| WEDNESDAY 27 TH NOVEMBER | PARENTS EVENING IN SCHOOL – APPOINTMENT IN SCHOOL (phone calls – Year 4 and 6 only) | 3.30-6.30 | WHOLE SCHOOL |
| THURSDAY 28 TH NOVEMBER | PARENTS EVENING - PHONE CALLS – YEAR 4 | 3.00 – 4.30 | YEAR 4 |
| THURSDAY 28 TH NOVEMBER | YEARS 1 AND 2 EXTRA PE SESSION – children to come in their PE kits | 1-3PM | YEAR 1 AND 2 CLASSES |
| FRIDAY 29 TH NOVEMBER | CHRISTMAS CRAFT DAY/TREE DECORATION | ALL DAY | WHOLE SCHOOL |
| FRIDAY 29 TH NOVEMBER | CHRISTMAS AROUND THE WORLD AFTERNOON | 1-3PM | YEARS 3-6 |
| FRIDAY 29 TH NOVEMBER | EXTRA PLAY IN EXCHANGE FOR A LUXURY ITEM FOR CHRISTMAS HAMPERS | AM OR PM PLAY | WHOLE SCHOOL |
| MONDAY 2 ND DECEMBER | CHRISTMAS HAMPER TICKETS GO ON SALE | | |
| THURSDAY 5 TH DECEMBER | YEAR 3 CHURCH VISIT- CHRISTMAS EXPERIENCE | 1.30-3PM | YEAR 3 – CHILDREN ONLY |
| MONDAY 9 TH DECEMBER | SUPPER WITH SANTA - £2.50 – letter to follow | 3.30-4.30PM | YEARS 1 AND 2 CHILDREN |
| TUESDAY 10 TH DECEMBER | EYFS SHOW FOR PARENTS – BOOKING DETAILS TO FOLLOW | 9.15AM | EYFS PARENTS WELCOME |
| TUESDAY 10 TH DECEMBER | KEY STAGE 2 SHOW FOR PARENTS – BOOKING DETAILS TO FOLLOW | 2PM | KEY STAGE 2 PARENTS WELCOME |
| WEDNESDAY 11 TH DECEMBER | EYFS SHOW FOR PARENTS – BOOKING DETAILS TO FOLLOW | 9.15AM | EYFS PARENTS WELCOME |

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| WEDNESDAY 11 TH DECEMBER | KEY STAGE 2 SHOW FOR PARENTS – BOOKING DETAILS TO FOLLOW | 5PM | KEY STAGE 2 PARENTS |
| THURSDAY 12 TH DECEMBER | CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY- DONATIONS TO BE MADE TO 'SAVE THE CHILDREN' You can use our QR Code to donate directly or this link  https://christmas.savethechildren.org.uk/fundraising/CJD240000799 | ALL DAY | WHOLE SCHOOL |
| THURSDAY 12 TH DECEMBER | CHRISTMAS DINNER DAY – please order on the Evolve Hub | 11-1.30PM | WHOLE SCHOOL |
| MONDAY 16 TH DECEMBER | KEY STAGE 1 CAROL CONCERT FOR PARENTS – BOOKING DETAILS TO FOLLOW | 9.15AM & 2.30PM- | KEY STAGE 1 PARENTS WELCOME |
| MONDAY 16 TH DECEMBER | KEY STAGE 2 MOVIE AFTERNOON – CHILDREN CAN BRING A PILLOW, BLANKET AND PJ'S £2.00 | 1.30-3PM | KEY STAGE 2 |
| TUESDAY 17 TH DECEMBER | EYFS PARTY AFTERNOON- PARTY CLOTHES DAY! £2.00 | 1.30-3PM | EYFS |
| WEDNESDAY 18 TH DECEMBER | KEY STAGE 1 PARTY AFTERNOON – PARTY CLOTHES DAY £2.00 | 1.30-3PM | KEY STAGE 1 |
| WEDNESDAY 18 TH DECEMBER | KEY STAGE 2 OPERA HOUSE CHRISTMAS TRIP £12.00 | 1.30 – 6.00pm | KEY STAGE 2 |
| THURSDAY 19 TH DECEMBER | NON UNIFORM DAY FOR £1 DONATION | ALL DAY | WHOLE SCHOOL |
| THURSDAY 19 TH DECEMBER | CHRISTMAS HAMPER WINNERS DRAWN | 9AM | WHOLE SCHOOL |
| THURSDAY 19 TH DECEMBER | SCHOOL FINISHES | 2PM | WHOLE SCHOOL |
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Kind regards, Mrs Warburton