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Points to Remember for w/b 22nd January 2017

DATES

January

Wednesday 24th – Young Voices

February

Thursday 15th – Pupils finish for half-term

Friday 16th – INSET DAY, School closed to pupils

Monday 26th – INSET DAY, School closed to pupils

Tuesday 27th – Pupils return to school

March

Wednesday 28th – Weaverham Music Festival Class 3

Thursday 29th – Pupils finish for Easter

April

Monday 16th – Pupils return to school

May

Wednesday 9th – Friday 11th – Year 4 to Conway

Monday 14th – Thursday 17th – Year 6 SATs

Friday 25th – Pupils finish for half term

June

Monday 4th – Pupils return to school

Wk beginning Monday 11th – Year 1 Phonics Check

July

Wk beginning Monday 9th – Y6 Transition Wk WHS

Friday 20th – Pupils finish for summer

Please note that these dates can change due to unforeseen circumstances.

READING AT HOME

Recently, we have noticed a decline in the number of comments parents are contributing to reading diaries at home. Please can I remind parents that our Homework Policy requests that children read at home with an adult 3 times per week in Years 1, 2 and 3 and 4 times per week in Years 4, 5 and 6.

When you have read with, listened to or questioned your child about their book, please write a comment in their reading diaries to ensure good communication between home and school.

Don't forget, asking questions is very important – there are some great resources and prompts for supporting you with this in the front of the reading diaries.

EASY FUNDRAISING

Thanks to those who have already signed up. If you haven't already, please take 5 minutes to do it this weekend!

Every time you shop online via Easyfundraising at one of thousands of leading retailers, a donation will be made to Friends of Whitley Village School (FoWS), and it won't cost you an extra penny! This includes clothing, groceries, heating oil / utilities, holidays, rail travel, entertainment, business supplies and much more. It's really simple to get started, costs you nothing and there is no need to change your existing shopping habits. The prices that you will pay will be exactly the same as the retailer pays the donation, not you. So please take time to read the email attachment and sign up for this great scheme to help your children.

All you need to do is...

Join and raise free donations every time you shop online and help us hit our fundraising target with easyfundraising!



1. Join



2. Shop



3. Raise

FoWS LOTTERY WINNERS

Sat 13th Jan: 5 - C. Antrobus - £50

Wed 17th Jan: 46 - H. Moore - £25

YOUNG VOICES

12 pupils from Class 3 are going to Young Voices next Wednesday and are really excited! They will need to bring a snack & drink for the afternoon and then also a packed meal to act as their evening dinner. We expect to return to school at 10:15pm but will text parents if it looks likely to be significantly different on the day.