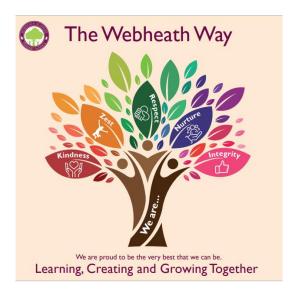
Autumn Term 1



Welcome back to Webheath everyone! Despite a rather soggy start to the week, it has been so lovely to see the children back in school, enjoying their learning and having lots of fun in their new classes.

As you may have spotted, we have relaunched our school vision and values this week. We have spent much time considering what is important to our school community and there has been lots of 'behind the scenes' work going on over the past 18 months to ensure we are striving for the very best for every child and adult involved with Webheath. We will be sharing more about this with you all in detail as the term goes on and you can see our updated values tree in the image above. Please do ask your children about these new values — they are very keen to share!

We have been busy experimenting with our new OPAL zones, which again will continue to develop across the year.

Please see below the key dates for your diary for this half term and beyond. Further details about each event will be sent via Arbor nearer the date.

Wednesday 11th September – Webheath Friends Association AGM @ Webheath Village Hall 7.30pm - all welcome!

Monday 16th September - Open Classrooms and Welcome - Years R to 6 - 3.30pm - 4.30pm

Tuesday 24th September – Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check Meeting for parents 3:30pm-4:00pm

Tuesday 24th September – Reception Parents Phonics Workshop 4.30 - 5.30pm

Thursday 26th September – Harvest Festival for children (non-perishable donations for Isaac's Food Bank welcome)

Wednesday 2nd **October** – Flu spray vaccinations Reception to Year 6 inclusive (not Nursery) don't forget to consent online (instructions already sent via email)

Thursday 3rd and Friday 4th October – School photos – all year groups. No P.E. kits on these days please.

Tuesday 8th October – Year 1 Parents Phonics Workshop 4.30 - 5.30pm

Thursday 10th October – World Mental Health Day (wear yellow accessories with uniform)

Monday 14th October – Non-Uniform Day (cakes donations for Macmillan)

Wednesday 16th October – Macmillan Coffee Morning 9.15am - 11.15am

Monday 14th and Wednesday 16th October – Online Parents' Evenings after school

Monday 21st October – Open Day for Prospective Webheath Parents 9.30am and 5.00pm

Friday 25th October – 'Kindness' Values Day - and last day of term

Monday 4th November: School Closed, TED

Tuesday 5th November: Autumn Term 2 Starts

Bonfire Night Special Lunch Menu – please order via ParentPay (menu attached) or children can order in class

On **Monday 16th September**, we would like to invite YR – 6 parents and carers to visit classrooms, spend time with class teachers and learn more about the children's new year groups. Your children are welcome to join you to show you their learning environments and to share the learning they have been enjoying so far this year. Please wait at the usual collection points where your child will be released as usual. You will be invited to enter school through the usual children's entrances on these days after all of the children have been collected. **Year 1 parents/carers**, please continue along the service road and enter school through the Nursery/Reception entrance after collecting your child.

We are proud that our school is such a thriving and ever-changing place and we try to take up every opportunity offered to enrich the children's experience here. This does mean that some things may be missing from the list above as we do not know they are going to happen yet! We will inform the wider school community of any additional events as soon as we possibly can. We will release further information about the build up to Christmas as soon as possible in November.

Kind regards

Mrs Heffernan

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