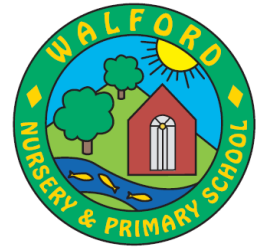




Autumn Term 2020 Newsletter 4



***The Value of the Month for October is...
to understand our Rights & Responsibilities***

Rights and responsibilities help to make communities better...
it means being dependable, making good choices and taking accountability for your actions.

40 Kind Acts...

**3. Today is about positivity!
Try not to argue, disagree or
interrupt. Only speak encouraging
Words.**

**ACTS OF
KINDNESS**

Diary Dates

12/10/2020	Return Flu Immunisation Forms to School
20/10/2020	Annual School Vaccination
19/10/2020 & 20/10/2020 @ 3:30pm-6:00pm	Virtual Parents' Evening

Harvest

Please see the kind invitation below sent from Revd Chris Blanchard...

*I am sending a special invitation to you and your family to the Harvest Festival at Walford Church on **Sunday, 27 October at 11.00am.***

The service will be specially devised for families and children.



Sporting Success!

We would all like to say a HUGE well done to Leighton in Year 5 who achieved two awards for being the 'Best Goalkeeper' and 'Futsal Player of the season'. Well done!



School Appointments

Please note, if you have a school appointment, all parents, carers and visitors **must report to the school office** in order to sign into the building and sanitise upon arrival. Our signing in/out procedure enables us to brief you on our COVID-19 policy and the track & trace system in place.

Your cooperation regarding these matters is appreciated greatly!



Morrisons Pebble Project

Morrisons Ross-on-Wye have asked us to take part in a pebble painting community project along with other local Primary Schools. All children must find a pebble to bring into school next week which they will paint and decorate in class. These will be displayed during the October Half Term in Morrisons for all to enjoy.



Guitar Lessons

If your child has an interest in learning how to play the guitar we currently have some available guitar lessons in school. Please contact Paul Andrews on pablomuso1@gmail.com for further information.

IMPORTANT- Flu Immunisation Forms

Today, **all** children will be bringing home their Flu Immunisation forms to complete and return to school. Please note, these **must** all be returned by **Monday, 12th October 2020 at 9:00am**.

If you decide you **do not** want your child vaccinated against flu, **you must** still return the consent form, indicating why in order to help to plan and improve the service.

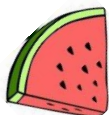
Note to Parents/Carers

Thank you for dropping off / collecting your children and leaving the school grounds promptly.

Due to current COVID-19 restrictions, children and families may not use the school's outdoor areas or play equipment e.g. climbing wall, tyre park, etc., after 3.05pm.

Healthy Snacks

Please encourage your child to bring a healthy snack for break times, such as a piece of fruit or a cereal bar. They may also bring a small, refillable **water** bottle for the classroom which should be labelled with their name (alternatively, there are cups available for children to use). Children may bring a soft drink (not fizzy) to have at break times/lunch times. Please see some healthy snack suggestions below:

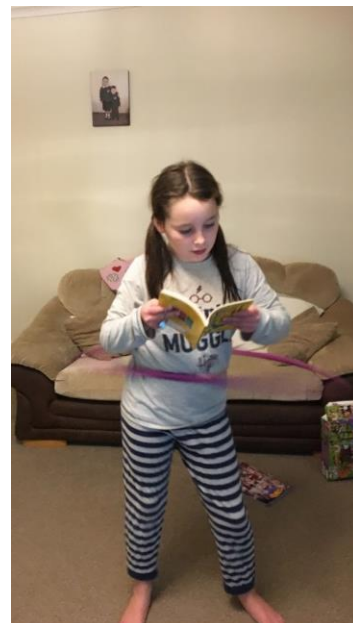


- All fruit including dried fruit
- Salads e.g. cucumber, carrot sticks etc.
- No salt pretzels/plain popcorn
- Sunflower seeds/butter beans
- Crackers/crispbreads/breadsticks
- Cheese/Babybels
- No sugar fruit bars
- 2 x Rich Tea/Digestive biscuits
- Hot cross bun
- Cocktail sausages (no dip)



Fantastic Reading!

Reading really can be done anywhere, even whilst hula-hooping! Well done Isla!



Harvest Donations

In celebration of **World Food Day on Friday, 16th October** and our annual Harvest Festival, we will be asking for donations for the Ross-on-Wye Community Larder. We have been asked to donate the following items:

- UHT Milk
- Tinned Custard
- Tinned Rice Pudding
- Canned Fruit
- Bottles of Squash
- Bags for Life

Thank you for your support.



Fantastic Freestyle Football Workshops!

On Tuesday, we were very excited to welcome Jamie Knight – a world top 10 ranking Football Freestyler - into school for the day.

Throughout the day, the children participated in Freestyle Football Workshops with Jamie. During the workshops, the children learnt 10 -15 different freestyle tricks and moves whilst also learning about Jamie's freestyle career.

Everybody at Walford was absolutely amazed! A HUGE thanks to Jamie for the most incredible day! You have inspired us all at Walford... if we work hard and never give up, we can achieve amazing things! GO WALFORD!

