# Dewhurst St Mary Newsletter

Monday 25th March 2024

'Let your light shine' Matthew 5:16



### Dates for your diaries

Thank you to those parents who have attended our SEN Consultations last week.

The last of our Parent Consultations are this week after school on Tue 26<sup>th</sup> and Weds 27<sup>th</sup> March.

Yr 3 trip- Celtic Harmony Monday 24th March Palm Service Tues 26<sup>th</sup> March 9.30am

Break up Thurs 28<sup>th</sup> March 1.30pm Easter holiday: 29 March - 12 April 2024 Back to school Mon 15<sup>th</sup> April 8.45am

OCCASIONAL DAY Fri 3rd May 2024 BANK HOLIDAY Mon 6<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Yr 6 SATS Mon 13<sup>th</sup> – Thurs 16<sup>th</sup> May 2024 Half term holiday: 27 May – 31 May 2024 Yr4 – Multiplication Check-June Yr1 – Phonics screening week beg 10<sup>th</sup> June Summer fete – Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June Transition day Thurs 11<sup>th</sup> July

Break up for Summer: Fri 19th July 1.30pm School Year 2024/25

INSET DAY Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept 2024

First day back for pupils Tue 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept 2024 Half term holiday: 28<sup>th</sup> Oct-1<sup>st</sup> Nov 2024

INSET DAY –Fri 6<sup>th</sup> Dec

Christmas holiday: 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec -3<sup>rd</sup> Jan 2025 Half term holiday: 17 Feb - 21 Feb 2025

Easter holiday: 7 - 21 April 2025

Half term holiday: 26 May 2025 – 30 May Break up last day: 1.30pm 18th July 2025

INSET 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept 2025

Start school Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> Sept 2025

## 'Let your light shine' Matthew 5:16 Our School Value;



1 John 1.9: But if we confess our sins to God, he can always be trusted to forgive us and take our sins away.

Mark 11.25: If you hold anything against anyone, forgive them, so that your Father in heaven may forgive you Inspiring all to 'Dream, Believe, Achieve'

#### **School Dinners**

There will be a new school menu after Easter and a slight price increase in key stage 2 dinners to £3.30 per day.

Maths Day -TTRS- Rock Stars

Friday was a great day, seeing children compete in their Maths challenges, whilst dressed as rock stars! Pupils found that learning our multiplication facts can be fun and we commended some pupils who have clocked up some huge streaks on Doodle Maths. These pupils have made learning a daily part of their routines-well done!

REMINDERS- Please check all uniform and water bottles are labelled

PLEASE KEEP OUR CHILDREN SAFE- DO NOT DRIVE DOWN THE LANE

#### **UNIFORM**

Black school shoes must be worn everyday. <u>Trainers can only be</u> worn on PE days when wearing PE kits. Please ensure laces are securely tied before coming to school and ensure your child can tie their own laces if wearing laced shoes.

#### Absence

If you are reporting absence please e-mail our attendance email before 9am to attendance@dewhurst.herts.sch.uk this will go straight to Mrs Dove, our attendance officer. If we have not heard from you we will make contact to rule out a safeguarding concern. Please also remember to cancel their chosen meal before 8am to avoid a charge.

#### Please be courteous and respectful when messaging:

Message Classteacher on	information sharing
Dojo about;	Change of collection of pupil
E-mail the office	An enquiry
admin@dewhurst.herts.sch.	Payment for an item/trip
<u>uk</u>	Medication
E-mail attendance	Reporting absence
attendance@dewhurst.herts	Informing of medical
<u>.sch.uk</u>	appointments
Use the APP SchoolGateway	Paying and ordering dinner money
	Paying trips/clubs
	Can message office through it too

Tel: 01992 624177 E-mail: admin@dewhurst.herts.sch.uk Website: www.dewhurst.herts.sch.uk