# Dewhurst St Mary Newsletter



Monday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2023

### Dates for your diaries School Day 8.45am-3.15pm Main doors close at 8.55am

Last of the parent consultations this week

Palm Service Weds 29<sup>th</sup> March 9.30-10.15 Parents welcome Last day Fri 31<sup>st</sup> March 1.30pm Easter holidays 1<sup>st</sup> -16<sup>th</sup> April 2023 INSET 17<sup>th</sup> April Back to school Summer term 18<sup>th</sup> April Bank holiday Mon 1<sup>st</sup> May 2023 Bank holiday Mon 8<sup>th</sup> May 2023 Yr 6 SATS Tues 9<sup>th</sup> – Fri 12<sup>th</sup> May 2023 Y<sub>2</sub> SATS – During May Half term 29<sup>th</sup> May-2<sup>nd</sup> June 2023 Yr4 – Multiplication Check-June Yr1 – Phonics screening week beginning 12<sup>th</sup> June Transition day Thurs 13<sup>th</sup> July Last day Thurs 20<sup>th</sup> July 2023 1.30 finish

#### **'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 'Let your light shine' Matthew 5:16

Inspiring all to 'Dream, Believe, Achieve'

Parent Consultations Monday 27<sup>th</sup> Year 5 only Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> All years Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> Year 5 only Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> All years apart from Year 5 Consultations will take place in school so you can look at some of their books. Instructions on how to book were emailed out last week.

## Herts Catering Limited (HCL)

We have our new menu starting after Easter please see the new menu attachment. Pupils in Rec, year 1 and Year 2 get a free universal meal. Meals will be £3.15 a day for a junior dinner. Key Stage 2 pupils may be entitled to Free School Meals if you receive benefits <u>Check your eligibility</u>.

## Absence

If you are reporting absence please e-mail our attendance email before 9am to <u>attendance@dewhurst.herts.sch.uk</u> 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.

**Library** –**Every Monday** after school 3.20-3.40. The library door is the first door as you go round to the playground from the fitness equipment. Come along and borrow a book. Please remember to return any books you currently have on loan.

## **Reminders:**

- Registers are taken and school doors are closed at 8.55am
- Only studded earrings are allowed in school, <u>NOT</u> hooped earrings, for safety reasons. Please remove ALL jewellery on PE days
- To prioritise pupil safety please remember NOT to drive or park down the lane between 8.30am-4.30pm

'Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.' Matthew 5:9

Look out for some exciting news about our planned playground project this week!