

# Dewhurst St Mary Newsletter

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2021

'Let your light shine' Matthew 5:16



## Dates for your diaries

**This Week; Maths Week**

**Tue 9<sup>th</sup> Nov- Flu vaccines**

**Thurs 11<sup>th</sup> Nov Remembrance Day**

**Thurs 11<sup>th</sup> – School individual photos**

**Fri 19<sup>th</sup> Nov – Optional Children In Need dress up day spotty theme - £1 or £2 donation**

**Fri 26<sup>th</sup> Nov – FoD's Non-Uniform day; Bring an item for the tombola (look out for details)**

**Thurs 2nd Dec –Christmas Discos (tbc)**

**Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec –FoD's Christmas Fundraiser**

**Wed 8<sup>th</sup> Dec- Christmas Dinner Day**

**Tue 14<sup>th</sup> Dec – Flu vaccines**

**Last day of term Fri 17<sup>th</sup> Dec 1.30**

**INSET Mon 20<sup>th</sup> Dec**

**OCCASIONAL DAY no sch Tues 21<sup>st</sup> Dec**

**Christmas holidays 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec –4<sup>th</sup> Jan 2022**

**Back to school Weds 5<sup>th</sup> Jan 2022**

**Half term 14-18<sup>th</sup> Feb**

**Last day Fri 1<sup>st</sup> April 1.30pm**

**Easter holidays 4<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> April 2022**

**INSET 19<sup>th</sup> April**

**Back to school 20<sup>th</sup> April 2022**

**Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> May-Bank Holiday**

**Half Term 30<sup>th</sup> May-3<sup>rd</sup> June**

**(Queen's Jubilee Bank Holiday carried to Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> July) So last day at school will be**

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July 1.30pm**

**1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept 2022 INSET Days**

**Back to School Mon 5<sup>th</sup> Sept 2022**

## Inspiring all to Dream, Believe, Achieve

### Maths Week

This week the children will be enjoying Maths by using stories and KS2 will be competing in TTRS (Times Table Rock Stars) competitions. Mrs Woodward and Mrs Komurculer would like children to have a go at creating their own maths problem. This could be a word problem, a shape problem or a brain teaser. All entries will receive 5 dojos and will be used throughout the year around school to challenge all of the children. There will then be an EYFS, key stage 1 and key stage 2 winner picked. Entries can be brought in from Tuesday 8th (tomorrow) until Friday 12th Nov. Please give these to your class teacher or send them in on dojo. Good luck! Please give/send us any entries and encourage children to do this as part of their homework this week as it would be great to get lots of entries to be displayed on our Maths boards throughout the year.

### FoD's Update

The Clothing Collection raised and the FoD's Cake Sale raised. We are optimistically continuing to plan events this term. However this will all be subject to cases of Covid and whether we have to implement our Covid Outbreak plan or follow tighter restrictions from Herts CC. We have provisionally changed the date of our FoD's discos to Thurs 2<sup>nd</sup> Dec. We have our fingers crossed that this can go ahead.

### Yr 3 Family Assembly this Friday 2.45-3.05

We are inviting **one parent/carer for each pupil (no pre-school children)** to join us in the hall. Please wear a mask, unless exempt. We will also put some clips of the assembly on Dojo for others to watch virtually.

**Friday Nov 12<sup>th</sup> Year 3 (This Week)**

**Friday Nov 19<sup>th</sup> Year 4**

**Friday Nov 26<sup>th</sup> Year 5**

### Doodle Learning

Well done to everyone who has got in the green zone and collected stars.

**Year 2 have crept back up to be the winning class this week, they collected the most stars so an extra playtime for you this week.**

Year Group	Total stars collected in last 7 days	Top doodlers in each class Well done...
2	2009	Daniel, Bobo, Sonny, Aren, Leo
1	1864	Seadin, Victor, Michael, Nikola
4	1603	Darcy, Anastasia, Sophie T, Ava-Blaze
3	1518	Frankie, Bence, George, Freddie
5	1450	Jeremy, Emir, Millie, Veronika
6	503	Natalie, Lillie-Rose, Josiah, Willow

**ATTENDANCE - PLEASE REMEMBER TO EMAIL OR PHONE OUR admin team when your child is absent/ has appointments /isolating waiting on Covid tests**  
[admin@dewhurst.herts.sch.uk](mailto:admin@dewhurst.herts.sch.uk)

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**Our School Value;**



Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.

**Ephesians 4:32**