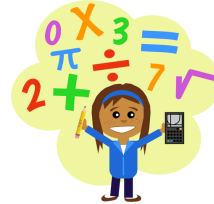




An Award Winning School

A Maths Mastery School



Newsletter

Friday 22 November, 2024



Super star learners

Class	Pupil name
Swan	Yasmin
Heron	Maham
Kingfisher	Natalia
Peacock	Tanmayi
Jay	Darwin
Chaffinch	Mayur
Sparrow	Saja
Wren	Shahwali
Cuckoo	Sianna
Hawk	Paramveer

Attendance Ted

Well done Peacock class who have achieved best overall attendance.

Birthday Books

We would like to say a big **'Happy Birthday'** to Kirpa (Snowy Owl).

'Thank You' to those children and families who have donated a book to the school to celebrate pupil birthdays; the children love to share them with their class. If you would like to donate a book for your child's birthday, please see the office for a book label.



Attendance

Please be aware that Westbrook School does not authorise term time leave. The Government has increased the fines for pupil absence to £80 per parent, per child. Families that take term time leave are likely to be fined and their child's place at the school could be at risk.

The Government has also recommended strategies for improving attendance which include phoning families who are repeatedly late for school. From next week any family who has been late will receive a phone call from the school to find out the reasons for the lateness and offer appropriate support where necessary.



Cuckoo Class Assembly

Cuckoo class performed exceptionally well at their class assembly about Road safety. The props were outstanding and the class remembered their lines beautifully.



Animal Antics

The Reception children took part in the Animal Antics workshop this week, where they had a real-life experience learning about a variety of animals. They also had the opportunity to handle the animals. Everyone was very brave and eager to learn more about these fascinating creatures!



Prickly Hay

Tickets for our annual Christmas production (KS1) can be booked online from 18th November via <https://westbrook.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

Tuesday 17th December - 14:45 (Adults only)

Wednesday 18th December 9:15 (Adults with small children)

Instrument Lessons

Sing Education has spaces available for small group and individual instrument lessons at Westbrook.

If you are interested in your child learning the guitar, keyboard, violin or singing, then please get in touch and sign your child up.

Selecting our school and the instruments on offer is easy to do, simply visit

www.singeducation.co.uk/signup

Sing Education will contact you with more information and look to schedule you in.

Lessons are 30 mins per week and cost £8 for small group lessons, [£19.50 for 1-1 individual] and take place during the school day.

Music lessons can really help with a child's learning, here is a short video and a flyer:

<https://youtu.be/Tfd2K1UwS5E>



Open Days

Throughout the year we will have the following open mornings for parents looking to join Westbrook Primary School.

Please see below:

2024/2025 - Tours start at 9:30am and last approx 1.5 hrs.

- **Thursday, 12th December**

There will be a presentation from the Headteacher followed by an opportunity to see the school in action on a tour with our head boy and head girl.

To book a place on one of our open mornings, please contact the School Office on **0208 5709942** or email office@westbrookprimary.co.uk

A note from the Headteacher

Open days are a fantastic way to get to know Westbrook Primary School.

They will provide you with an opportunity to hear about why we are so good and show you the school in action. You will get to meet our fantastic children and view our hands on and engaging curriculum.

I will always be happy to meet you and answer any questions. **Please just get in contact via my email;** head@westbrookprimary.co.uk

Diary of dates

Date	Day	Event	Time
29th November	Friday	Wren Class Assembly	9am
20th December	Friday	School closes early for Christmas	13:30
23rd December to 7th January		Christmas Holidays	All day
8th January	Wednesday	Children return to school	All day

[Read more on our website](#)

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