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Westbury Infant School Newsletter

2026-27 Issue No. 2

11th September 2026

Dear Parent and Carers,

We have been so proud of all the children this week! They have settled into their new classes and routines so brilliantly. Our new Reception children are now in school full time and have been doing an amazing job!

PE Days correction

Please note there has been a correction to the KS1 PE days shared in last week's newsletter, as the information provided was incorrect. Apologies for any confusion this may have caused. Please see the correct PE schedule below.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Leopard	Panda	Giraffe	Meerkat	Bumblebee
Meerkat	Giraffe	Kangaroo	Leopard	Panda
Koala	Bumblebee			Kangaroo
Honeybee				Koala

School photos – Monday 21st September

The school photographer will be in school on Monday 21st September to take individual photos of the children. If you have infant school twins we will arrange for them to be photographed together as well as on their own. We are also offering photos to be taken with any siblings after school, if you would like to take part with this, please can you come to the outside door of Class 8 (Library) with your children straight after the end of the school day at 3.15pm. **Please ensure your child/ren to come in school with their school jumper/cardigan with them on this day.**

Sponsored Discothon – Friday 25th September

Our first big fundraising event is a sponsored disco-a-thon in school. It will be on Friday 25th September. The children can come to school in their favourite party type clothes and at random points in the day, the children will have to stop and dance when the music plays. This will be played over the intercom system and all classes will take part. We know that all children will absolutely love to take part in this exciting event. We hope everyone is looking forward to this fun event! **Please remember to return your sponsorship form and money to school by Monday 28th September at the latest.** Every penny raised will go towards subsidising school trips throughout the year, helping to keep the cost of trips down for everyone.

Trim Trail after school

We're pleased to let infant school children and younger siblings use the trim trail at the front of school after school until 3:30pm each day. The gates will remain unlocked until this time. While we would love to keep the playground open for longer, there won't be any office staff available after 3:30pm. Please remember that from 3:15pm onwards, children are the responsibility of their parent or carer. We also ask that you take extra care around the car park, as it can be busy at this time with staff leaving and deliveries arriving. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Reminder: School Drive Access

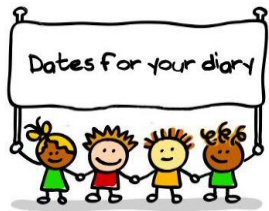
A quick reminder that vehicle access to the school drive is restricted between **8:30-9:00am** and **3:00-3:30pm**. Only WIS resource base families (including taxis), Blue Badge holders, and school/nursery/community staff may enter during these times, and a valid permit or Blue Badge must be displayed. All other parents and carers should park nearby and walk onto site, using the trim trail path and zebra crossing where possible. Thank you for your cooperation in keeping everyone safe.

Changes to Back Gate Access

We would like to let you know that, from next week, the back gate will be open for morning drop-off only and will remain closed at the end of the school day. We appreciate that this may cause some inconvenience and thank you in advance for your understanding. Unfortunately, we have recently received reports of older children accessing the school site after school hours and not using the grounds and equipment appropriately. To help keep our site safe, secure and well maintained for all of our pupils, we feel this is the best course of action at this time. Please be reassured that this decision has been made carefully and with the safety and wellbeing of our children at the forefront. We will continue to monitor the situation and review these arrangements if appropriate. Thank you for your continued support.

Best wishes for a super weekend.

Mrs Budge



2026-27 School Diary Dates

Date	Diary Title
21 September 2026	Individual School photos
25 September 2026	Sponsored Discothon
2 October 2026	Open Days for 2027 Starters 1:30-3pm
5 October 2026	Cake sale
8 October 2026	Harvest Festival Assembly
14 October 2026	Harvest Drawing Competition entries in
14 October 2026	Parent Consultations at 3.30pm – 6pm
15 October 2026	Parent Consultations at 3.30pm – 6pm
21 October 2026	Non-Uniform Day + £1 donation
21 October 2026	Parent Celebration Events (Whole school) at 2.30pm
21 October 2026	End of Term 1
2 November 2026	Start of Term 2
6 November 2026	Open Days for 2027 Starters 1:30-3pm
12 November 2026	Bag2School Collection
13 November 2026	Children in Need
19 November 2026	SS Great Britain School Trip (Giraffe, Leopard and Bumblebee classes)
20 November 2026	SS Great Britain School Trip (Meerkat and Panda classes)
27 November 2026	Non-Uniform Day + Tombola prize donation
4 December 2026	Christmas Story Telling Event
9 December 2026	Open Days for 2027 Starters 5pm
10 December 2026	Christmas Jar Competition entries in
11 December 2026	Christmas Performances for Giraffe, Leopard and Bumblebee classes at 9.30am
14 December 2026	Christmas Performances for Giraffe, Leopard and Bumblebee classes at 2.30pm
16 December 2026	Christmas Performances for Meerkat and Panda classes at 9.30am
17 December 2026	Christmas Performances for Kangaroo, Koala and Honeybee YR classes at 9.30am
17 December 2026	Christmas Performances for Meerkat and Panda classes at 2.30pm
18 December 2026	Christmas Performances for Kangaroo, Koala and Honeybee YR classes at 2.30pm
18 December 2026	End of Term 2
4 January 2027	INSET Day (School closed to pupils)
5 January 2027	Start of Term 3
8 January 2027	Open Days for 2027 Starters 1:30-3pm

For the full list of upcoming dates and events,
please [click here to view our complete Diary Dates](#)



Meerkat class

with **99.23%**
attendance this week

Whole school
attendance: **95.27%**



See what we've been
learning... explore our
class blogs!

[Bumblebees](#)

[Giraffes](#)

[Honeybees](#)

[Leopards](#)

[Meerkats](#)

[Pandas](#)

[Kangaroos](#)

[Koalas](#)



**Junior
Adventures
Group**

**Wraparound Care
Breakfast &
Afterschool club**

[Click here](#)
to book your place



STAR OF THE WEEK

w/b 7th September 2026



Respect

Awarded to:



Teamwork

Awarded to:

Tristan Freddie S
Averie



Excellence

Awarded to:

Jaxon Jack C



Friendship

Awarded to:



Resilience

Awarded to:

Jadon

Belong, Thrive, Achieve, Play!
Where Infants Shine Everyday!



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OPEN DAYS FOR 2027 RECEPTION PUPILS



**Friday
2**

**OCTOBER 2026
1:30-3:00pm**



**Friday
6**

**NOVEMBER 2026
1:30-3:00pm**



**Wednesday
9**

**DECEMBER 2026
5:00pm**



**Friday
8**

**JANUARY 2027
1:30-3:00pm**

Where Infants Shine



 **Appointments are not required.**

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For the attention of all parents

Will your child be four years
old before September 2027?

You must apply for a primary school place

Apply online at **wiltshire.gov.uk** or
complete an application form, available at
all Wiltshire Council offices.

The deadline for applications is

12 midnight, 15 January 2027

All forms must be returned to the school admissions
team at County Hall, Trowbridge, Wiltshire.

Contact customer services on **01225 713010**
for more information or to request our guide
to finding a primary school place in Wiltshire.

Is Your Child Eligible for **FREE** SCHOOL MEALS?

Reception
Parents
and Carers

Healthy
Minds
Brighter
Futures



Even though all Reception children receive a free school meal, registering for Free School Meals (FSM) can unlock extra funding for our school.

This helps us provide extra support, resources and opportunities for all our pupils.

YOU MAY QUALIFY IF YOU RECEIVE:



Universal Credit
(with qualifying earnings)



Income Support



Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA)



Income-related Employment and Support Allowance (ESA)



Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999



The guaranteed element of Pension Credit



Child Tax Credit
(provided you are not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and your annual income does not exceed the qualifying threshold)

WHY APPLY?



Free nutritious school meals
(if eligible)



Potential support with school trips and activities



Additional funding for the school to benefit all pupils



Quick and confidential application process

Every
Child
Matters



HOW TO APPLY



- Pick up an application form from the school office.
- If you prefer to apply online, please visit:
<https://parentportal.wiltshire.gov.uk/web/portal/pages/parents/free-school-meals>

CLICK HERE TO APPLY ONLINE

NEED HELP?



The school office can help with your application if you need any support or have any questions.

Thank you for helping us ensure that every child receives the support they are entitled to.



★ FAMILY HUB ★ OPEN MORNING

♡ *You're Invited!* ♡

17th September 2026

Come along and have a look around!

Whether you've visited us before or are coming for the first time, we'd love to welcome you to our **Family Hub Open Morning**.

Drop in anytime between 9:00am and 12:00pm to:



Meet the **Family Hub team**



Explore our **facilities**



Find out about the **support** available for children, young people and families



Meet representatives from **local organisations** who will explain the services and support they can offer you and your family.



Enjoy **FREE refreshments**, including delicious homemade cake prepared by our amazing catering team!

Everyone is welcome! ♡

No need to book – just pop in! ♡

We look forward to welcoming you!



FINDING US

Please enter via the side entrance of the school where the old Resource Base was located.



There is no need to sign in through the main office. Simply sign in with **Mrs Hall** when you arrive.



Connecting Families, Building Community ♡



Westbury C of E Junior School



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