



Thank you

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the Wallbrook families for supporting the school as we have started to implement some much-needed changes to bring about improvements in our school. Parents views are important to us so in the event that you wish to discuss, any concerns or queries please get in touch with the office and request an appointment. Alternatively, you can also email us at: info@wpa.shirelandcat.net

Attendance

I am aware that some of our children have been unwell with seasonal coughs and colds, please ensure that you make contact with the school office so the absence can be accurately recorded.

In the event that your child displays, any Covid-19 symptoms please book a PCR test and inform the school of your result.

Breakfast Club Fees

Please remember to make weekly payments for Breakfast Club provision. When payments are not made this takes money away from our children's educational resources. In the event of ongoing missed payments the provision will be withdrawn.



Staff news

Farewell

This week we will be saying goodbye to Miss Kings our receptionist, Miss Kings has been working with the school for nearly two years she will be greatly missed by all colleagues and families, I am sure you will join us in wishing her all the best in her new job role!

Changes to year 6 teachers

When we return from the October half term you will find that Mrs Packingham/Mrs Rolinson and Mrs Rouse will be changing classes. This will have an impact on the entrances/exits which your child currently uses.

Behaviour expectations

Class Dojo

By now I am hoping that many of you have received an email inviting you to join class dojo. Please sign up so that you can have access to up to date messages and celebrate achievements that your child has worked towards. If you have not received an invitation to join class dojo please speak with your child's class teacher.

Praise assemblies'

I am sure that you have heard of our new weekly praise assemblies, It has been wonderful to see the accomplishments of our children. If your child attends any clubs outside of school and is awarded any certificate's, please let the class teacher know so that we can join them in celebrating their achievements.

Important: Please make sure that data collection forms are returned to school office ASAP.

Contact us:

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Address: Bradley's Lane, Coseley, West Midlands. WV14 8YP

Email: info@wpa.shirelandcat.net **Website:** <https://wallbrookprimary.academy>

Year 6 SATs meeting

Many parents are already asking for information regarding SATs. It is our understanding that SATs will go ahead this year. We will be hosting a parent event to share our plans with you and to discuss how you can support your child further during this time.

Transition to secondary school

This is a reminder on behalf of Dudley Local Authority - please ensure you complete and submit your secondary application by the deadline 31st October 2021 to ensure your child is allocated a place at a secondary school for September 2022. Current data within the authority indicates that very few parents have completed the relevant online forms. If you need support with this, please make direct contact with Dudley Local Authority who will work with you.

Pupil Leadership

We will be developing a pupil leadership team to allow pupils to share their views in how we improve our school. This will provide opportunities to support charities, arrange visits and activities, gain pupil views and represent their class/year group throughout the school year. Forms will be given to pupils this week and will need to be returned to school no later than 5th November 2021.

School Photos

The deadline for ordering school photos online is 25th October to avoid any charges.

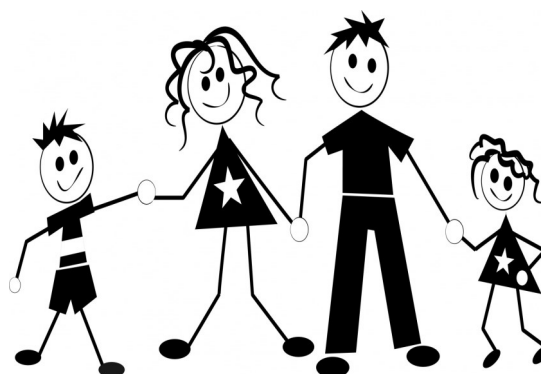
Coming soon!

We will be launching some new and exciting opportunities for our children to get engaged in extra-curricular activities. A letter will be sent home after the half term break.

Family Forum

Our first family forum will take place within the first week of November. This meeting allows parents to learn about new developments within our school and share their views - light refreshments will be served. I look forward to meeting with you all. Registration letters will be sent home with children on Monday 1st November.

*** Please note arrangements are subject to change in the event of Covid restrictions!**



Dates for your diary
School opens on Monday 1st November 2021
Break up for Christmas Friday 17th December 2021
Staff Training day—4th January 2022