

Washacre Primary Academy Newsletter

Friday 13th March 2026



KINDNESS HONESTY

CURIOSITY RESILIENCE RESPONSIBILITY

Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 17th March

3:15pm – 4:00pm – KS2 Fitness Club
3:15pm – 4:30pm – KS2 Healthier
Habits Club

Thursday 19th March

3:15pm – 4:15pm – Y2, Y3 & Y4 After
School Quidditch Club

***We are delighted to offer a Y6 SATS
Booster Club with Mrs Field. The club
will run from Thursday 19th March –
Thursday 7th May 3:15 – 4:00pm.
The club will finish the week before
SATs week. We strongly encourage
your child to attend.***

Friday 20th March

All Day – Comic relief (non-uniform
for a donation)
3:15pm – 4:15pm – Y5 & Y6 After
School Quidditch Club

Monday 23rd March

1:30pm Y6 visit to St Bart's Church

Wednesday 1st April

3:30pm – 5:45pm – Parents
Evening

Thursday 2nd April

All Day – World Autism Day (non-
uniform)
3:15pm – School closes for Easter
holidays

Monday 20th April

School is closed – training day for
staff

Tuesday 21st April

8:40am – School gates open



Message from the Head Teacher

It was wonderful to see so many parents and carers attend our Mother's Day Assembly this week. The children were incredibly proud to celebrate the special people in their lives, and it was a real pleasure to welcome so many families into school. Sharing croissants together and enjoying the colouring activities created a lovely atmosphere and gave everyone a chance to spend some special time together. A big thank you to our staff for organising such a special event. Happy Mother's Day to all our amazing mums!

Also on Tuesday, the children who take part in the Furthering Musical Talent programme enjoyed an exciting visit to the Royal Northern College of Music. During the visit, they had the opportunity to play alongside pupils from other schools as part of a larger orchestra, which was a fantastic experience for our young musicians. The children also spent time learning about the important role of a conductor and how musicians work together to follow and respond to musical direction. One of the highlights of the day was a wonderful concert performed by a string quartet made up of students from the college. The performance was both inspiring and engaging, and it was a brilliant opportunity for our pupils to hear high-quality live music and experience what studying music at a specialist college can look like. The children represented the school brilliantly and had a truly memorable day.

On Wednesday, a consultation group made up of staff, governors, parent governors and pupils came together to review and interpret the feedback from our recent school uniform consultation. It was really positive to bring together such a broad group from across the school community, and the discussion was thoughtful and constructive. In particular, our pupils made some excellent contributions, sharing ideas about comfort, practicality and what helps them feel proud to represent our school.

Following careful consideration of the consultation responses, the group developed a set of recommendations which have now been shared with the Governing Body. The Governing Body will consider these recommendations before making a final decision.

Once a decision has been reached, we will communicate this clearly with the whole school community. If changes are agreed, we hope to introduce them in a positive and engaging way. This may include a small launch event and the opportunity for families to view sample items of the uniform during the summer term so that everyone can see the options before any implementation.

Enjoy your weekend! Mr Howarth

Class 8 Sainsbury's Walk



Washacre Out of School Club

Opening times and prices per day:

Breakfast club

- 7.30am £6.00

- 8:00am £4.00

After school club - 3.15pm till 6:00pm £7.00

Here at Washacre OOSC we provide fantastic activities and games, access to forest school and the outdoor area, hot and cold breakfast and snacks and most importantly lots of laughter. Please feel free to pop in, say hello and have a look around.

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Mother's Day Assembly



Y2/3 Forest School



RNCM



Assembly Awards

Values in Action Awards

Class 8

Anna Zupnyk

Year 1

No Publicity

Year 2/3

No publicity

Year 5

No publicity

Year 6

Esme Tumkaya

Reader of the Week

No publicity & Raisa Negescu (Y6)

Writer of the Week

Brianna Dube (Y5)

Mathematician of the Week

Lillie Tudge (Y6)

Staff Award

Miss Iddon and Mrs Keever

Positive Education Award

Aysel Ionita (Y3/4)

Times Tables Rockstar

Myanna Relp

Attendance Award – Year 6

Lunchtime Award – Year 5

Class Attendance		
Rc	Y1	Y2/Y3
94.0%	96.8%	88.8%
Y3/4	Y5	Y6
96.3%	94.2%	98.4%
School target for attendance is 96%		

Well done to Y1, Y3/4 and Y6 for getting into the green!

Staff Award – Miss Iddon and Mrs Keever: For both going above and beyond in their roles and supporting both staff and children!



Miss Iddon & Mrs Keever

to:

from:

Everyone at Washacre Primary Academy

Empowering Every Child to Flourish