



Newburgh Primary School

"A caring school where every child matters" (OFSTED)

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What's on this week	Monday 4th March	Tuesday 5th March	Wednesday 6th March	Thursday 7th March	Friday 8th March
Before school					
Activities during the school day	Violin tuition	Stay and Play group Brass tuition Woodwind tuition Violin tuition	Guitar tuition	NO Forest School Y4 visit to Think Tank	Year 4 Celebration Assembly
Lunchtime		Home Learning club Playbox Drama club			Home Learning Club
After school (3.15-4.15pm unless otherwise stated)	Girls Choir Y1 & 2 TAG Rugby club Reception Multisports club	Boys Choir	Orchestra Cooking Club Y6 Y1 Tennis Club Y5 & 6 Netball Club	KS2 Football Club (Y5 &6)	Y3 & 4 TAG Rugby club Y1 & 2 Dance club

Dear Parents/Guardians

It was lovely to see many of you at the first of our coffee mornings arranged by our SENCO, Mrs Chamba. Your feedback will help us to arrange future coffee mornings based on ideas from you as to what information is most useful to you in understanding how we support all of our children in school and for helping at home.

Please remain very vigilant around your child's access to online material. I have sent you some advice via eschools this week regarding current concerns about sites that are popping up when children are using seemingly harmless games etc. It is so sad that our children are targeted in this way and we all need to do all that we can to protect them.

Mrs J Simpkins, Headteacher

ARRIVING AND LEAVING SCHOOL

Please could we remind everyone to use the pedestrian gates when arriving and leaving school. Please DO NOT enter or leave using the car park vehicular gates. This will ensure the safety for all concerned.

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLIES (all begin at 9 am)

Friday 8th March - Year 4

Friday 15th March - Year 5

Friday 22nd March - Year 6

Friday 29th March - Year 1

Friday 5th April - Year 2



RED NOSE DAY IS COMING

To raise money for this amazing charity we would like everyone to wear red for the day on Friday 15th March. If you come to school wearing red, we would be very grateful to receive a £1 donation for this charity.

Thank you
Newburgh School Council



SCHOOL UNIFORM AND DRESS POLICY REMINDER

HAIR - Hair sculpting (eg. Excessive tram lines, ticks and other markings) are not allowed. Hairstyles must be neat and smart. Use of hair gels and/or styling products should be minimal. For reasons of health and safety and to avoid the spread of head lice between children (boys and girls), all shoulder length and longer hair should be tied back with a hair band. Highlights, dyeing and colouring of hair is not allowed.

JEWELLERY - The only jewellery pupils are permitted to wear on school premises are small, sensible watches and plain silver or gold stud earrings. This includes non uniform days. For Health and Safety reasons, earrings must be taped over or removed during PE lessons. Teachers cannot be responsible for either removing or taping over earrings in this situation. Parents should note that earrings are worn at children's and parent's own risk and school cannot be held responsible for accidents which occur involving them. Other items of jewellery (eg. necklaces, bracelets, bangles) should not be worn in school

Thank you for your support with the above.



Adopted charity for the year.





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Our school day begins at 8.55am and the register is taken in class before lessons begin promptly at 9am. Please ensure that children are in school for 8.55am so they can begin their day calmly and with their peers.

Annual Book Dress Up and Book Fair

Our annual book week starts on Monday 11th March; the children can dress up as their favourite book character for the day. Throughout this week the children will take part in a range of activities that promote a love of reading and books.

Also may we welcome as many of you as possible to our book fair. The book fair will start on Monday 11th March and finish on Friday 15th March in the morning. It will be held in the main hall each morning from 8.30 - 8.55am and each afternoon from 3.10 - 3.50pm. Books make great presents and we really value your support as the more you buy the more books we earn for school.

I look forward to seeing you.

Mrs K Turner, Deputy Headteacher



SPORTS CLUBS AT NEWBURGH



There are places available for the following after school clubs:

- Y1&2 Tennis - Wednesdays (Cool Sportz)
- Y1&2 TAG Rugby and Reception Multisports - Mondays (FITT 4KIDS)
- Y3&4 TAG Rugby and Y1&2 Dance – Fridays (FITT 4KIDS)

If you are interested in spaces on any of the above clubs then please contact Coolsportz or FITT4KIDS directly.

GOVERNORS' CORNER

“I want my child to be successful”. Don't we all? It is quite normal for us to want the best for our children and to want them to have “success” in life. But what is success?

Some of the definitions according to the Oxford English dictionary are:

The accomplishment of an aim or purpose;

The attainment of fame, wealth, or social status;

A person or thing that achieves desired aims or attains fame, wealth, etc

Some famous quotes relating to success:

“Coming together is a beginning; keeping together is progress; working together is success” (Henry Ford)

“Success is not final, failure is not fatal: it is the courage to continue that counts” (Sir Winston Churchill)

Success is not the key to happiness. Happiness is the key to success. If you love what you are doing, you will be successful. (Albert Schweitzer)

“Satisfaction lies in the effort, not in the attainment. Full effort is full victory.” (Mahatma Gandhi)

“One of the key things is learning which bits of life you don't need to take seriously. Usually far more than you expect” (Penny Grubb)

“The best lessons learned are from other peoples mistakes” (Melissa Bradley)

For me, the quote “Satisfaction lies in the effort, not in the attainment. Full effort is full victory.”

(Mahatma Gandhi) sums it up. We, as a family, have our own little poem that we often recite to our children:

Do your best, your very best and do it every day,

For little boys and little girls, that's the nicest way.

Whenever work comes to your hands at home or at your school,

Do you best, your very best, for that's the golden rule

Our children will not always be successful in everything they do, but then who is? However, if they do their best, their very best, can we ask for any more?

Rob Hughes, Parent Governor

If you have any comment or query for governors, you can now contact us at governors2325@welearn365.com.



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