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Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2023

The children and staff have now fully settled into the new school year and it is lovely to walk around school and see so much learning taking place and hear so much laughter and enjoyment. The children all enjoyed having their photographs taken last week and proofs are coming home with your child tonight - we hope they bring a smile to your face.

### **Inset Day – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2023**

We would like to remind you that this Friday, the 29<sup>th</sup> September, is an Inset Day. School will therefore be closed to all pupils. School will close on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2023 at 4:00pm and reopen on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2023.

### **Homework**

We would just like to update you regarding homework as every year group does things a little differently. This information can also be found on the school website.

<b>Year Group</b>	<b>Subjects/Tasks</b>	<b>Handed out</b>	<b>Handed in</b>
<b>FS2</b>	Reading and sounds	Friday	Thursday
<b>Year 1</b>	More information to follow		
<b>Year 2</b>	Spellings Maths	Friday Friday on SEESAW	Thursday Following Friday
<b>Year 3</b>	Maths Spelling	Friday Friday	Following Friday Following Friday
<b>Year 4</b>	Spelling or Maths	Friday	Following Friday
<b>Year 5</b>	Spelling Maths	Monday Friday	Friday Following Friday
<b>Year 6</b>	Spelling Maths	Tuesday Tuesday	Following Tuesday Following Tuesday

### **School Website**

We have been busy updating our class pages on the school website so please log on and have a browse. You will be able to find out a little more about our staff and information regarding your child's year group and curriculum.

### **New to You Uniform**

We are now fully stocked with pre-loved uniform for all ages, in fact the rails are over flowing! We would love for you to take some of this off our hands, so please let us know by either dropping the school an email or speaking to a member of staff who will happily bag up the items to be sent home or collected. Weather dependent, the rail will be outside so you can help yourself throughout the week.

### **Harvest Donations**

Your kindness never fails to amaze us and once again you have gone above and beyond in donating food and essentials for the foodbank scheme as part of our Harvest Festival. Thank you for your support with this initiative; we are sure that your donations will be much appreciated by the families in need. The children enjoyed celebrating Harvest with Father Tim who delivered assemblies to all year groups this week.

## Diary Dates

Please see the events below that are planned for the first half of this Autumn Term.

Our Facebook page is an excellent way to see Wellgate's learning in action, keep updated on school events and find out about any changes that occur. **Please remember to check out these posts before sending a message as the information you require may already be on there.**

<b>Autumn Term 2023 (1A)</b>	
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> September	Inset Day
Wk commencing 9.10.23 – 13.11.23	After-school clubs
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> October	Flu Vaccinations FS2 – Y6 – Parents and Carers need to have completed online consent form <a href="http://www.barnsleysais.co.uk">www.barnsleysais.co.uk</a> (school code is BN143555)
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> October	6AW/JW Class Assembly – Parents and Carers welcome from 8:50am
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> October	Autumn Disco – Further information to follow
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> October	6BC/CL Class Assembly - Parents and Carers welcome from 8:50am
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> October	School closes at 4:00pm
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> October – Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November	Half Term

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind Regards,

**Mrs Katie Richardson**

Acting Headteacher