



WEST BYFLEET INFANT SCHOOL

We Believe in Success

Teachers who love to teach..... Children who love to learn.....

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You have brains in your head.
You have feet in your shoes.
You can steer yourself in
any direction you choose.

Oh, The Places You'll Go!

Dr. Seuss

Welcome back to school and a Happy New Year to you all! We hope you had a restful Christmas break and are pleased to see that the children have all come back with lots of energy and enthusiasm, ready to start the new Spring term.

Our value for this term is RESPONSIBILITY and we will be talking the children about what this means and helping them to be responsible.

Useful Dates:

Thurs 11th Jan—Mike Wagstaff (uniform supplier) 2.45pm—3.30pm

Mon 15th Jan—Parent's phonics workshop Yr R

Tues 16th Jan—Sleeping Beauty Production

Thurs 18th Jan—Parent's phonics workshop Yr R

Thurs 18th Jan—deadline for ordering uniform with Mike Wagstaff—back 19th Feb

Safeguarding Tips

Childnet provides great advice and tips on how to keep your children safe online.

www.childnet.com/parents-and-carers

Important: Pupil Premium and Funding for School

All children who are in Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 in a state funded school are offered a free healthy school lunch. Children in other school years will also be offered a free school lunch if their parent is receiving welfare benefits, or has done at any time in the previous six years. Registering for free meals could raise an extra £1,300 per pupil for our school, to fund valuable support like extra tuition, additional teaching staff or after school activities. This additional money is available from central government for every child whose parent is receiving one of the welfare benefits listed on the form which you will receive in bookbags this week (or available from the school office). It is therefore important to sign up for free school meals, even if your child is in reception, year 1 or year 2, so that West Byfleet Infants receives as much funding as possible for education.

All information is strictly confidential and handled externally from the school by a data checking service. Thank you for completing this form and helping to make sure our school is as well funded as possible.



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Eco News

The children are working hard to recycle materials at school and the Eco Team regularly empty the recycle bins and check that lights are turned off when not used. Well done Eco Team!



Characteristics of an Effective Learner



Slinky Linky Snake – I make links in my learning

What wonderful links have you made this week?

Uniform Supplier

Please have all orders for uniforms to Mike Wagstaff by 18th January as he will then be unavailable for a short period until 19th February 2018.

Plea for Tissues

We would be incredibly grateful for donations of boxes of tissues for the children's use in school. Thank you so much!

