

Friday 19th July 2024

Dear Parent/Carers,

I am so proud of our Warren School community. For what we stand for and what we aim to achieve. For all of us that play a part in that vision-you as parents, the children, and all our wonderful school staff, I want to say a massive thank-you. As we approach the end of this year, we must also say goodbye to a few members of staff who will be sadly leaving us. Tess Caney, Janette Hansen, Saffron Skinner, and Jake Sapsford will be greatly missed by their teams and children. Over time, they have supported your children and our whole community with great commitment and professionalism. We wish them all the very best, but they will, of course, always be part of our school community.

At this point I would also like to thank all our staff, all 129 of them. We pride ourselves on working closely as a team supporting our community- your children, families, and each other.

We have an amazing group of staff, highly committed and all wanting the best for your children and each other. They have all worked so hard this year and I am sure you will want to thank them as I do for everything that they have done throughout the year. Warren School is very lucky to have them all!

September 2024

We have been planning a great deal for September and information about school development and the curriculum will be added to the website over the holidays.

Another ongoing development is our online learning journals, Evidence for Learning (EFL). Evidence for Learning is an online software tool and app which enables Warren School staff to record and manage information related to the development and progress of your child. This will also replace our home school diaries from September.

Class teams take photos and videos of your child's learning and progress towards their Personal Learning Goals. The most exciting element is that parents can download the 'Evidence for Learning Family' (iOS/Android) app, which will allow you to see what your child is learning at school. In addition to this, you will be able to add your own photos and videos to share with the class team what your child has been learning at home too! This will allow us all to celebrate your child's achievements and progress at school, home and in the community.

Any use of the Evidence for Learning (EFL) Family app will need to abide by the following Acceptable Use conditions:

Images uploaded to the Evidence for Learning (EFL) family app from school:

- Photos uploaded by staff from school may contain your child within a group of children.
- Children who are not allowed to be included in photos at school will not be included in group photos.
- In line with our safeguarding policy, no images from school should be uploaded onto any social media.
- EFL Family app accounts will be deactivated if school-based images are used on social media.



Parents & Carers – When sharing home based photos and videos with the school please consider:

- People/children in the photos/images, must have given their consent for the image to be shared with the school.
- The image/video must be appropriate for school use, i.e. clothing/language, also consider who or what is in the background of the image.

Further details about the app will be shared with families shortly.

We have been so proud of the learning journey our children have made this year. Our curriculum is built on these key principles: ensure that children have the knowledge and skills needed in their learning journeys; broaden their horizons; excite them and light the spark of learning and support and evolve their personal development.

We have been delighted and determined to do more to work with parents and our local community this year. However, we would like to extend this further. There are opportunities to join our Locality Committee and be part of supporting our school and opportunities to join us on our share events. Please look out for more information in September.

The Warren Association have been brilliant. We are indebted to the work of this group in raising money to support our children and have several fantastic ideas lined up for next year. The Warren Association are always looking for volunteers - there will be things you can get involved with in the new school year.

Finally, I wish to add a final thank you to you all for supporting our school in every way possible. Have a wonderful summer break and we all look forward to seeing you on Thursday 5th September 2024.

Kind regards

Kelly Bland

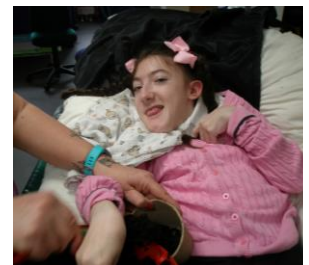
Academy Head

We have had such a brilliant year in PE, huge progress has been made by all. We've also had some fantastic PE events such as Sports Day, two Colour Moves, Competitions and trips out for sporting events to name only a few. I hope you all have a lovely summer and I look forward to seeing everyone back in September.

Sadie Hills
Specialist HLTA Sports & ODL

Class 1

Class 1 have enjoyed our final trip of the year this week. We went to the dinosaur park and had a great day hunting dinosaurs and exploring the park. We enjoyed the woodland walks seeing the dinosaurs moving in the woods. We have seen a range of animals in the discovery area and joined in with the dino dancing. We have had an enjoyable year and had a huge range of experiences and lots of fun learning and developing our skills. We would like to wish everyone a lovely summer holiday and look forward to seeing you all in September.



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Class 2

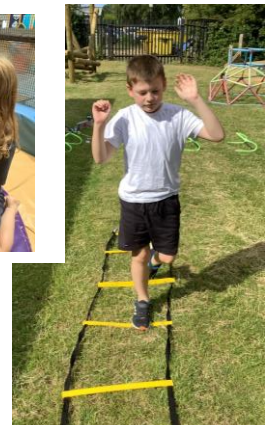
In Class 2 we have been enjoying our last few weeks together by doing all of our favourite group activities including What's in the box?, Sensology, Music, Art, Phonics and enjoying the sensory room as a class. Friday we are having an end of year party to celebrate the lovely year we have spent together and to say a final goodbye to the EYFS 2023/24 class! I am unfortunately leaving Warren School to complete my Teaching Degree; I have enjoyed every minute working at the school it has been the most rewarding job I could have hoped for. It has been a pleasure to get to know all of our incredible young people and I hope they have learnt as much from me as I have learnt from them. I wish all of Class 2 pupils a lovely summer holidays and wish them the very best in their new classes for September.

Saffron



Class 3

This term Class 3 have been exploring 'To Infinity and Beyond'. We have made planets, rockets, and aliens. We have sung songs, danced, and explored sensory trays linked to space. We also went on our school trip to 'Adventure Island' and enjoyed being out in the community, taking turns and developing our gross motor skills. I hope you all have a fantastic summer holiday.



Class 4

The class 4 team would like to say how proud we are of all our pupils this year. For working hard and for all their achievements.

We have had lots of fun learning and exploring new things. We wish everyone at Warren school and their families a well deserved break and a wonderful summer.
Happy holidays!!!



Class 5

What a year its been! Our highlights of this year have got to be the science day with puppet dinosaurs, sports day and the amazing progress in life and living skills. Not only have we seen our vegetable patch blossom and grow but we are all so proud of how each and everyone of our pupils have flourished and developed in their independence, phonics knowledge and imaginative role play.

Class 5 are wishing you all a wonderful, peaceful summer making lots of lovely memories.



Class 6

Class 6 have had a fantastic year, coming together as a class to enjoy learning across a range of umbrella topics from dinosaurs to astronauts! We have finished the year with an exciting class trip to Africa Alive where we looked at a wide range of animals and their different habitats. A couple of the year's highlights were the visit from the police when we tried on helmets and sat in the car, and Science Week when we helped with some amazing and dramatic experiments!



Class 7

It has been a pleasure having each of you in class 7. We have had an amazing year; we got the opportunity to explore the community on our walk. We also had a visit from the police and got to try on their hats. As a class we have also worked on our sharing and play skills. It has been lovely to watch friendships grow.

Hope you continue to thrive and flourish next year.



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Class 8

This year has been a fantastic year for Class 8 that was rounded off with a Education Visit to Africa Alive. During the academic year, all children have gained new learning experiences, such as trying new foods, learning new phonic sounds, improving letter formation and developing their social skills.

I have enjoyed seeing all of their happy, smiley faces each day. An ever-lasting memory for me would be the excitement on their faces throughout the whole day at Africa Alive.

To the adults - thank you for your support this year! I hope you all have a relaxing and enjoyable Summer Holiday and am looking forward to seeing you all around Warren School next year.



Class 9

This year we have had lots of fun in class 9!

We have enjoyed trips to Jimmy's farm and The Sainsbury Centre. We have enjoyed cooking yummy recipes in life and living skills and have done a lot of learning on the way. I hope that all the children and parents have a fantastic summer break and I look forward to seeing you all in September!



Class 10

This term Class 10 has enjoyed finding new ways to Express Themselves. We have made monsters using a range of different materials. The students have also written original and imaginative stories, coloured scenery and created characters. Soon they will be performing the stories on their own stages.

Another highlight of the term was the celebration of 40 years of the Warren Association. The class was shocked to discover a world without the Internet, games consoles and mobile phones. Dressing in 1980s clothes and playing human sized Hungry Hippos in the gym was a lot of fun too.

In Maths we have been learning our 2- and 10-times tables. In Life and Living we enjoyed learning about healthy eating and we practiced our cooking skills by making cheese scones among other things. We have also been working hard on our Reading and Writing and excellent progress is being made in both!



Class 11

Class 11 have had some amazing times this academic year, we have seen the pupils grow and gain confidence. We have witnessed knowledge and friendships grow. As a class we have been on many different school trips which gave our class the opportunity to see fish, stingrays, and dinosaurs. Our weekly visits to Carlton marshes gave the class the opportunity to explore the local wildlife.

We want to take this opportunity to thank all our parents for the support they have offered over this academic year.

We wish all the pupils a wonderful summer and we look forward to seeing them in the new academic year.



Class 12

Class 12 have had an amazing year. We have had lots of fun ranging from dinosaurs to bowling to science experiments and have learnt a lot. The staff in class 12 wish you all the best with your future plans. Have a great summer!





Class 13

We have had a great year in class 13, taking part in various educational visits, such as Carlton Marshes Nature Day, Africa Alive and Goldcrest. We have enjoyed visits from the dinosaur people, the police and the NHS and shared some good times together. Good luck to all the leavers moving onto colleges, we will definitely miss you all and wish you all the best for the future. To those coming back in September, we can't wait to see what the next academic year brings for you all.

Have a great summer.
Mel, KingDavid, Michelle,
& Josie.



Class 14

Class 14 have had a great year, learning new things both in and out of the classroom and enjoying a number of school visits. They have made particular progress working with money and have been buying drinks and snacks in local shops and cafes. They have all been a pleasure to teach and have grown in personality. We wish them well for their next class and for their time at college.

Love Jenny, Amy, Becky, Janet, Emma, Sarah, Mel and Jess





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Leavers Assembly

It is that time of year again where we have our leaver's assembly. We got the chance to celebrate nominations and winners of the annual Music, Art, Bravery and Never giving up awards. Pupils were given certificates, and the winners were given a trophy. We then heard speeches about the young people who are leaving school. Lots of tears! Our leavers have either moved out of the area or are leaving school to go onto college. They have all worked so hard and we will miss them. We look forward to hearing how they are getting on in the future and wish them the very best.



The emergency point of contacts for safeguarding over the summer break are as follows:

Emergency Point of Contact (EPOC) & Designated Safeguarding Lead during the summer school closure period (22nd July - 30th August 2024)

Week commencing 22nd July - Lisa Jones, Director of Finance, Tel: 07818 804249, Email: l.jones@consortiumtrust.org.uk

Week commencing 29th July - 30th August - Andrew Aalders-Dunthorne, CEO, Tel: 07908 262623
Email: a.aalders-dunthorne@consortiumtrust.org.uk

After hours Property/Estates emergencies should be reported to Andrew Aalders-Dunthorne, CEO

Dates for your diary

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Who</u>
Monday 2 nd September	Professional Development Day	All Staff
Tuesday 3 rd September	Professional Development Day	All Staff
Wednesday 4 th September	Professional Development Day	All Staff
Thursday 5 th September	Pupils return to School	Pupils

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