



What is Going On at Warstones!

9.1.24



Let it snow, let it snow, let it snow... .but not on a school day!

It is getting colder! So far, no snow. But if we do have bad weather, please always look at the school website (www.warstones.co.uk) for any information regarding closures. To avoid confusion and phoning to check, **we will only post on the web page if we are closed. We will also post on Facebook and X.** If no post, then please assume we are open. There will be work to access on Purple Mash if school does close. Please check your child has their log in and, if not, email their Key Stage if there is a problem. Thank you.

Wednesday 17th January

1.30-3pm KS2 Hall

Graham Chatterley workshop for parents/carers.

Understanding our Children's Behaviours

Graham has run training here for staff and helped us to look beyond behaviours that children display in school, to the possible reasons behind them, how we can support children to regulate and manage behaviours, how to identify triggers, how children may mask anxiety and concerns and so are not noticed. We have found it the most inspiring and helpful training for us in school and asked him to come back and share his message with our parents. Every parent would benefit from this— do come if you can!

British International Award

On Monday 15th January, Mrs Feeney, Mrs Bayliss and Mr Corbett will be at the Houses of Parliament, collecting our British Council International Award for our work with Kiine School in Zambia. Do check out our webpage to see what we have been doing [International Award](#)



Wild Tribe Award

At the end of last term, school were assessed and given the accreditation of being a Wild Tribe School, due to the work on the outdoor curriculum we have now embedded into our curriculum. Mr Corbett and Miss Lane have taken the lead on this and were presented with our certificate and plaque!

SEND Award

We want to support our SEND children in the classroom with their peers whenever we can at Warstones. For example, Mrs Bayliss has been awarded the Autism Leaders Award this year and the teachers and most of the TAs have achieved level 2 Autism Awareness.

This week we are delighted to celebrate Mrs Swift, who is one of our SEND TAs in EY, for achieving her TA SEND and Inclusion Award with a focus on autism. She had to present her work at the Molineux on Monday along with all her fellow students. Well done Mrs Swift!



We are now part of the LYKOS Trust!



As of January 1st, Warstones and Springdale Primary schools joined Highfields to create the newly formed LYKOS Trust. Our school will simply continue as normal and over the next few months we will look to find more ways of working together to build an even stronger local school community for our children from 2-19years old. An exciting time. It does mean that 'officially' Warstones Primary closes as a Local Authority school and reopens as an Academy under the Lykos Trust. Do not panic if you see on any DfE pages that the school has closed! At the end of this academic year, I will have been headteacher here for nine amazing years, so it also seems a fitting time to close this chapter in my school career too and to retire. It has been my privilege and honour to be part of so many children's and families lives here at Warstones and I thank you for your trust and support. Be assured, that Governors, and now the Trust as well, will work diligently to find the right person to take on the headship role in September and ensure the school continues to be the most wonderful, caring and child-focused school it has always been.

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www.warstones.co.uk

A reminder to Early Years parents, you must apply for a place in Reception at the school of your choice, by 15th January.

This can be done online at [School Admissions Applications | City Of Wolverhampton Council](#)

PE/Games schedule for Spring 1 2024 All the information for PE can be found on the webpage www.warstones.co.uk/pe.days

Our staff have the right to be treated with dignity and respect at all times. They should be able to do their jobs without being physically or verbally abused. Most people respect this and we thank you. We do want to work with you to resolve any concern and ask that you email the school to arrange a meeting to discuss any issue calmly and to look for a mutual understanding and resolution. Please do not speak to staff in anger on the phone or at the classroom door/office or send aggressive e mails.