



Friday 1st October 2021

Dear Parents/Carers

School Photos – Thursday 7th October

The School photographers are coming next week on <u>Thursday 7th October</u> for individual and sibling photographs for Willows School children only.



Please note that, unlike in previous years, we are not able to offer older/younger siblings who attend other schools to come in to the Willows School for a sibling photo.

Please make sure your child comes to School in <u>full School uniform for their photos</u>. For Rabbits class who have PE that day, please ensure your child comes to School with their School logo sweat shirt as well.

After School Film Club – Reception and KS1 children

Our after school film clubs are starting in November. A letter has been sent home in your child's book bag this week. Please complete and return the slip at the bottom of the letter to confirm your child's place.



Oral Health for Children

Children in Reception and KS1 have brought home some free toothpaste and a tooth brush this week from Colgate. Teaching your child proper oral care at a young age is an investment in their health that will pay lifelong dividends.



Ways to help your children protect their teeth and gums:

- Supervise your child as they brush their teeth
- Make sure they brush their teeth twice a day, every day
- Eat a well-balanced diet that limits starchy or sugary foods and try to avoid fizzy drinks,
 which produce plaque acids that cause tooth decay.
- Use toothpaste that contains fluoride.
- Take your child to the dentist for regular check-ups (twice yearly ideally).

NHS dental practices offer **FREE** dental care if you are under 18 or 19 if you are in full time education. (Private Dental practices' charges may apply)

Morrisons - It's Good To Grow Voucher Scheme

If you haven't done so already, please download the MyMorrisons app. For every £10 you spend (in store or online) at Morrisons, you'll get a Grow Token which we can then exchange for FREE gardening equipment for the School.



Diary Dates

Thursday 7 th October		Individual Pupil Photographs
Monday 18 th October		Harvest Assembly for children
Tuesday 2 nd November	3pm – 4pm	KS1 Multi Sports Club Block 2 (Every Tuesday for 5 weeks). Parents have been informed that their child has a place
Friday 5 th November	3.00pm - 4.45pm	Owls Film Club – book your child's place at the school office.
Friday 12 th November	3.00pm - 4.45pm	Rabbits Film Club – book your child's place at the school office.
Friday 19 th November	3.00pm - 4.45pm	Squirrels Film Club – book your child's place at the school office.
Friday 26 th November	3.00pm - 4.45pm	Badgers Film Club – book your child's place at the school office.
Friday 3 rd December	3.00pm - 4.45pm	Hedgehogs Film Club – book your child's place at the school office.

Attendance.

W/C 20 th September			
Year	Class Name	% Attendance	
Rec.	Badgers	87.0%	
Rec.	Hedgehogs	87.0%	
KS1	Squirrels	96.3% 1 st	
KS1	Rabbits	92.7%	
KS1	Owls	95.2%	
Total attendance		92.0%	

Well done **Squirrels** with an attendance of **96.3%** for the week beginning **20th September**.

The whole school attendance for the week of **20**th **September** was **92.0%**.

Good attendance at school is important for your child's development & progress. Please ensure your child attends every day and not take holidays in term time.

We want every child to be a H.E.R.O every day, **H**ere. **E**very day. **R**eady to learn. **O**n time.