

Open Gates

School Value Focus: BEING HEALTHY...

'At Two Gates we learn to make healthy choices for our bodies and minds.'



It has been wonderful to observe the children's excitement and enthusiasm after receiving their iPads this week. We are entering a new era of learning and pedagogy as part of Learning Futures when technology, used as part of students' everyday learning, will equip our children with the tools required for life in the future.

We hope you have had the opportunity to share in the experience with your children; by seeing what the children do at school we hope that you will feel more informed and confident to support your children with their learning at home.



Year 5 have been amazing at Whitemoor Lakes! They have grown so much in resilience and confidence over the three days and have shown great teamwork and friendship!



Please see ClassDojo for lots of action photos!

Love children, love learning!

WHITEMOOR LAKES





BRILLIANT BEHAVIOUR BREAKFAST

Robins - Nylah
Doves - Jennifer
Buzzards - Vinnie
Kingfishers - Oliver
Swans - Ellie
Kites - Riley
Falcons - Charlie
Kestrels - Leo

TOP ATTENDANCE CLASSES



KS1

Doves
96.3%

KS2

Kestrels
99.1%



Diary Dates

DON'T FORGET

Friday 29th September

Meet the Teacher and Macmillan Coffee - 3:30pm

Thursday 5th October

Academy Photographs - Class Group Photos

Year 3 Harvest Assembly

Thursday 19th October

School closed to children - Parliamentary Election

Thursday 26th October

Academy Photographs - Family, Siblings and individual photos

Monday 30th October till Friday 3rd November

Half Term

Friday 1st December

Teacher Training Day - School Closed

Monday 11th December

Year 3 Christmas Craft Parent Event
2:15pm till 3:15pm

Tuesday 12th December

Year 4 Christmas Craft Parent Event - 2:15pm till 3:15pm

Wednesday 13th December

Year 5 Christmas Craft Parent Event - 2:15pm till 3:15pm

Thursday 14th December

Year 6 Christmas Craft Parent Event - 2:15pm till 3:15pm

Friday 15th December

Christmas Songs with KS1 - 2:15pm till 3:00pm

Monday 18th December

Reception Christmas Stay and Play Christmas Crafts
&
Nursery Christmas Stay and Play Christmas Crafts

Friday 22nd December

Christmas Party Day

Monday 25th December till Friday 5th January 2024

Christmas Holidays

Monday 8th January

Teacher Training Day - School Closed



CATERING

School Census Day

Thursday 5th October

**Please support
our school**
and encourage your
child to stay for a
school dinner on
this day

**Your child could be
eligible for
FREE
School Meals?**

Find out more at the
school reception

Burger Day

Beef Burgers

or

**Southern Style
Quorn Burger**

Served with

Seasoned Wedges

Baked Beans

Coleslaw

Followed by

Freshly Baked

Cookies

Jelly

Or

Fruit Pot



Arthur Terry
**Support
Services**

Feeding the whole school - feeding healthy minds"

Supporting outstanding education



Mr Barlow is moving on to pastures new, *Thank You* for all of your help and support over the past 6 years



CONGRATULATIONS

on completing the Summer Reading Challenge

WELL DONE!

Our sports captains for this term!

Maths, PE and Assessment Lead



Wow!

WOW!



Our

SUPERSTAR Learners



AMAZING



Mental Health Support Team



My name is Rachel and I am your Education Mental Health Practitioner (EMHP). As part of the Tamworth Mental Health Support Team (MHST), my role is to support children and young people in various ways:

- offer 1:1 low intensity interventions for mild to moderate mental health difficulties such as low mood and anxiety
- support the whole school approach to mental health and well-being
- signpost and advise schools

I will be in school on Monday mornings

If you are concerned about the mental health or well-being of your child, speak to the mental health lead or your child's class teacher in school about a possible referral; School will always seek consent from parents/carers before referring into our service

Your Mental Health Lead in school is: Mrs H Pugh