

Whitstable Junior School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 6 -Term 6 2022

As you are aware we are fast approaching your children's final few weeks at WJS and with that also comes many amazing celebrations and activities. So that you can save the dates in your diaries and look forward to all the amazing events with your child, we thought we would put them all together so that you can attach this to your fridge!

Transition Meetings with your child's new school – Throughout this term your child's secondary school will visit them in school and also provide taster afternoons, evenings and days to help your child to: become more familiar with their new school, allow for them/you to ask questions and for us to share valuable information. Please ensure that you check their website for information.

<u>Thursday 7th July –</u> Year 6 children are invited to attend their new secondary school and do not need to come to WJS on this day (apart from anyone attending Archbishops School who will be attending their transition on different days). All children attending The Whitstable School will also attend there from Tuesday 5th through to Friday 8th July.

Thursday 30th June: Sports afternoon at WJS- More information to follow.

In the next 2 weeks – The long-awaited <u>leavers hoodies</u> will arrive, with much thanks to our amazing PTFA who have funded these again for the school. Children are allowed to wear these instead of their school jumpers should they want to.

Friday 8th July:Year 6 Leavers Disco- To be held in the school hall from 5.30pm-6.30pm with DJ, photo booth, drinks station and much more. Please follow this link Link to Year 6 Disco Register in order to let the school know if **your child will or will not be attending**.

<u>Tuesday 12th July:Trip To Harry Potter World-</u> All Year 6 children need to be in school at 7.40am (the bottom gate will be open) in order to be registered and so that the coach can leave by 8.15am. (we will not be able to wait for anyone who is late). We are then due to leave Warner Brother Studios by 3.30pm, with a view to be back at school by 5pm. A further letter will be sent out nearer the time to finalise details.

Wednesday 13th July at 5.30pm and Thursday 14th July at 9.30am in the school hall Year 6 Production of Olivia

We can't wait to share the amazing talents of Year 6 and very much hope you will be able to come and watch the production. There are a **maximum of 2 tickets per child.** Please do not book more than 2 seats and **only attend one showing** as space is limited. Bookings will be on a first come first serve basis but you will get plenty of notice before the form is live!





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Seats will be available to book online using the Parents Booking System from Sunday 26th June at 5pm <u>https://parents-booking.co.uk/login.jsp</u> and close at 1pm on 12th July 2022.

All year 6 children should return back to school, at the top gate by the office, at 4.45pm to get changed ready for curtain-up at 5.30pm on Thursday 14^{th} July.

All costumes (unless otherwise requested by the school) will be provided and cleaned prior to children wearing them. Should you have any questions about costumes please do not hesitate to contact the year 6 team.

Friday 15th July:Year 6 shirt-signing - Children can **bring in** a school shirt or T-shirt (not the one that they are wearing that day) which can then be signed by the members of the school. Children will also be given a memory book with their names and photos so that these can also be signed during the day.

Monday 18th July: Year 6 Leavers Celebration Assembly- This will be held in St Alphege Church at 2.30pm. This will give the Pupil Leadership Team the opportunity to say a few words, for the children to share their fond memories of their time at WJS and for the all-important year 6 awards to be presented. (You will be notified should your child be receiving an award).

<u>Tuesday 19th July: Year 6 Water Party and last day</u>. Children will have the opportunity to celebrate their last minutes of the school day, with a water fight. Children will require a change of clothes and a towel, possibly goggles and of course something to squirt water from. The activity is carried out on the play ground from 2:45pm – 3pm. More information will follow about how this will be organised.

Please attach this to the fridge or somewhere that you can reference the different events so that nothing is missed. As I have mentioned, detailed information about these events will follow nearer the time.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact myself or the other year 6 teachers.

Best wishes,

Kate Roy and the Year 6 Team











