



Worthington School

Opportunity and Achievement for All

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"Quote of the Month"

"Each sunrise brings a new day filled with new hopes for a new beginning." Debasish Mridha

Respect Kind and Caring Resilience Pride Independence Optimism

Dear Parents,

Welcome to the new school year. I hope that you have had a lovely summer with your children and that they are well rested and ready to begin the new academic year.

We would like to offer a warm welcome to **Louie, Faith, Reggie and Pruthvi** and who join us in Reception. We would also like to welcome **Arne** into Year 2, **Cameron** into Year 1 and **Isobel** into Year 5. We would also like to offer a very warm welcome to **Mr Nkrumah**, who will be working as a sports Apprentice and **Sarah** our new school cook!

Everybody looks very smart and grown up in their school uniform, please may I remind you to label everything, as this really does help us ensure the clothes are returned to the correct child.

A huge thank you to everybody for a wonderful start to the new year. All the children seem very settled and calm. It was lovely to see all the children playing together at break time and displaying our school values so well.

It is fantastic to see so that so many parents have signed up to WEDUC, this is vitally important, as all communication will be through this app. You are able to contact any staff member using the messaging through the app and keep up to date with all communication from school. DOJO is used to see your child's reward points throughout the day.

Next week, each class will hold the school council elections, we look forward to seeing who will be on this years school council.

The Friday celebration assembly will still take place each Friday, so if your child/ren receives a certificate for an achievement outside of school then please can they let their teacher know, so we can celebrate their success.

Please can I remind you to park sensibly around the school grounds. Please do not park on the Zig Zag lines or block the driveway of our neighbours.—Thank you.

Please can all children have a named water bottle in school everyday.

Thank you for your understanding regarding PE Kit. On cold days the children are able to wear their normal school jumper / cardigans and I am happy for them to wear trainers and we always try to get outside. I appreciate that plimsolls are not ideal for wearing all day.

We are a **healthy nut free school**, so children are only allowed Fruit and vegetables as a break time snack. Please ensure **no nuts** are in packed lunches.

We also have a new website—please check it out - www.worthington.leics.sch.uk

Mrs Clark

Reception Baseline

During the next few weeks, we will be conducting reception baseline assessments. The following links is a video for parents which has been produced by the standards and testing agency.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gnZ-H9IWqmk>



We would like to thank the following people for their help this month.

- Everybody for a wonderful start back to the new term and embracing the our whole school rules and values
- The staff who have worked so hard over the summer to make the school look amazing!

Curriculum Learning



Class 3—Penguins (Year 5 and 6)



Robins (Year 3 and 4)



**Wrens
(Rec, Year 1 and 2)**

School Topics

Know your Place

Wrens—Our local Area

Robins - Climate and Weather

Penguins - Changes in our local environment

Data Collection Sheets

Please ensure the office has received a copy of the data collection sheet, with up to date contact details. As part of the GDPR regulations we are now legally obliged to ensure that our data is accurate each year. Therefore please could you return the completed form to school, by Monday 2nd September at the latest.

Dates	Event
Weds Sept 4th	Class 2 and 3 London Trip
Monday 9th Sept	Open the Book assembly
Friday 13th Sept	Roald Dahl Day
Friday 27th Sept	Macmillan Coffee morning
Friday 18th October	INSET day (Children NOT in school)
Mon 21st Oct—Fri 25th Oct	HALF TERM