

SWR WEEKLY

Striving for Excellence Together



Thank you for your understanding and support during our recent Inset Day, which we shared with colleagues from other schools in our Trust. We had an excellent session focused on leadership and inclusion, with several notable speakers. These days are extremely valuable for our development, though I appreciate they can mean parents must make additional arrangements.

A reminder that we will finish for the end of term on 19th December at 12:40pm. All buses have been notified; however, Community Connections are unable to arrive until 1:00pm. The Stagecoach public bus is also unable to collect at this time, so alternative arrangements will be needed.

We continue to see a high number of absences among students and staff, particularly with cold-like symptoms. Please encourage students to wash their hands regularly and to stay at home when they are genuinely unwell. While it is important to rest when ill, it is equally important that students attend school during these final weeks if they are well enough, even if not feeling 100%. Mrs Blake has launched the 12 Days of Christmas, with prizes available for students who attend each of the twelve days.

I hope you have a lovely weekend. SWR will be represented at the Tetbury Christmas Fayre and Market, so please do pop along and say hello.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Mr Ruscoe

EARLY FINISH

Please be advised that the school will close early on Friday 19th December, with students finishing at 12:35pm.

Ebley buses will arrive at 12:35pm to collect students.

Students travelling on the Community Connexions route will be collected at 1:00pm.

As the Stagecoach service is a public bus route, it is unable to accommodate the early finish time.

We therefore ask parents/carers of students who usually travel on Stagecoach to arrange collection at 12:35pm.

Thank you for your support.



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ENRICHMENT DAY

As you should know we have our enrichment day coming up on the 17th of December. All year groups can come in non school uniform, however please note they must be dressed appropriately for their activities.

Year 7

Being healthy - FGR team games and the bite back challenge. Please wear clothes appropriate for physical activity. Lunch will be provided.

Year 8

Creative fun, based in school. Usual lunchtime arrangements.

Year 9

Teambuilding trip please wear appropriate clothes and bring a packed lunch and plenty of drinks.

Year 10

Trip to London, please bring a packed lunch, plenty to drink and comfortable shoes for walking.

Year 11

Shakespeare and writing immersion. Usual lunchtime arrangements.

(Note that if you have not signed up and paid for a year 9 or 10 trip your child is still expected in school for an 'enrichment challenge')



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SWR STARS

Raife - for showing real maturity in maths, both in his conduct and his approach to work.

Matthew - for helping with displays in the Library - thank you Matthew, you've done a great job!

Vanessa - for her lovely effort in English with her fantasy character. A lot of thought went into it and it was very well drawn.

Alara - for some excellent scone-based pizza!

Isaac - for his excellent work in drama lessons and on the production.

Isidore and Tom - for always cheerfully picking up odd jobs and computer support in the Library.

Tilly - for always being such a role model in class. Tilly takes part in lessons and is consistently polite and hard-working in English.

Tyler - for his excellent performance work in Drama.

Nancy - for her consistent hard work in Maths this year.

Eva - for her great character work on text in performance sessions.

Preston - for a fantastic week in Maths. Your algebra skills are amazing!

Lola - for her excellent work on her drama portfolio.

Edward and Emma - for their always excellent effort in Geography. Keep it up!



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