

# Worlebury St. Paul's Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary School



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**Worlebury St. Paul's - a school community where everyone participates, excels and has a love of learning; where we respect ourselves, one another and live life to the full, helping others to do the same.**

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## Worlebury Conference

Thank you to all who were able to attend our first Worlebury Conference. It was a tremendous success! Look out for the newsletter that summarises the feedback.



Fire Assembly point

## Before School Fire Evacuation

At a previous morning Fire Evacuation drill we identified a vulnerable time in the day and so on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> March at 8.40am we are planning a fire evacuation to test our procedures. This will be before registers are taken and children are still arriving at school. If you have arrived at school and are in the building please leave by the nearest fire exit into the playground. Your child will need to be left in the care of their class teacher in their usual assembly line-up point. You will need to make your way to the green fire assembly points located by the bike shed, or near the approach to the exit at Monks Hill (look for the green assembly point signs like the one above on the fence.) If you have not entered the building and are approaching through the main gates please go to the assembly point by the white wall. You will be advised when it is safe to enter the building to drop your child off. This will be a challenging evacuation to manage, however please support us in ensuring the safety of your children.

As this is the first time we have had an evacuation at this time we are advising you of the procedures to follow.

We will be carrying out another unannounced test at this time in the future so please familiarise yourself with the arrangements.

## Book Week

### What will you discover?

Finn McCann will be in school all day tomorrow. Each class will have a Talk on the Wild Side workshop. Worle library are lending us lots of non-fiction books and will be talking to the children on Wednesday. Thursday is World Book Day and we're looking forward to everyone dressing up as their favourite inventor or explorer. On Friday we would love any parents, carers and Governors to come in and share their favourite children's book with a class. Please sign in at 2.30pm in your child's classroom.

## Bag2School

Please bring your filled bags to school on the morning of Thursday 3rd March and leave outside the main entrance.

## Uniform

It is lovely to see our children return to school dressed so smartly in their uniforms. Whilst I appreciate that uniform is not compulsory we believe that children feel part of our school when wearing it and it looks so smart when they are wearing the same. Please remember PE hoodies are for PE only and should not be worn in place of the sweatshirt or cardigan. Also outdoor clothing such as scarves should be removed during lesson time.

## Head lice

They appear to be doing the rounds again. It is advisable for all long hair to be tied back and regularly using the 'conditioning and combing' technique may help to break the life cycle of the lice.

## School Meals Price Increase

Edwards and Ward are changing their prices. From 1<sup>st</sup> April 2016 school meals will increase from £2.00 to £2.05.

## Dates

03.03.16 – World Book Day Worship  
04.03.16 – Rev Geoff Worship  
11.03.16 - Auntie Barbara Worship  
17.03.16 – Year 3 Worship  
18.03.16 – Sports Relief Worship  
24.03.16 – Easter Service  
28.03.16 – Easter Monday  
25.03.16 – Good Friday  
01.04.16 – Rev Geoff Worship  
**New!** 29.03.16 and 31.03.16 - Parent/carers Evenings  
(Sign up sheets will be in the classrooms week commencing 14<sup>th</sup> March.)  
01.04.16 - end of Term Four  
18.04.16 – start of Term Five  
Week beginning 9<sup>th</sup> May - Year Six SATS  
Week beginning 13<sup>th</sup> June - Year One Phonics Test  
Year Two SATS  
These will be carried out as part of the usual classroom learning during Term Five.

## Monks Hill

From Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March for five days Monks Hill (towards Kewstoke Road) will be closed for roadworks between 8am-5pm. Please allow extra time for your journey to school.

## After School Care Provision

Some parents recently asked if the school would be considering providing after school care provision, similar to those run by Castle Kids / Ready, Steady Go.

In order to assess whether this is something that our parents/carers would find useful, I would ask you to complete the following questionnaire:

1. What time would you like the provision to finish?  
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2. How often would you use the provision?  
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3. How much would you expect to pay for this provision?  
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Please email / return to the office.

*Michelle Bamford, Headteacher*

