

Rockwell Green Primary School

Newsletter

Friday 26th September 2025



“Sharing life in all its fullness.” John 10:10

Values : The value we are focussing on this half term is Respect

Dear Parent/Carers,

This half-term in Collective Worship we have been reminding ourselves about what our vision 'Sharing life in all its fullness' means. In school we share that this means living a varied life full of: learning, growing, helping, joy, excitement and caring for each other.

Through examples we have then discussed how this means that we can flourish.

In addition to this, we have been focusing on the ethos value of respect and have been using the acrostic poem below to help us understand what respect means.

Readiness to listen

Everyone being valued

Showing thanks and appreciation

Polite to all

Expressing opinions sensitively

Caring for our environment

Treating property carefully

Harvest Services

KS2 Harvest Service: Friday 3rd October at All Saints' Church at 9.15am

Reception & KS1 Harvest Service: Wednesday 8th October in the school hall at 9am

As in previous years, we would like to continue to donate to those who are less fortunate than ourselves. Therefore, on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday morning we will have our red containers by the front entrance of the school and anybody who would like to donate either tined or packet food can place it in one of these. These will then be delivered to a local foodbank charity. Thank you

Open morning/afternoon for Prospective Parents

To give prospective parents an opportunity to look around the school before completing their Primary School Application we are going to have an open morning on Friday 10th October at 9am and an open afternoon on Tuesday 14th October at 1.45pm. If you are going to attend one of these dates, please contact the school office so we have an understanding of how many families will be attending. Thank you

Online Safety

This week's e-safety assembly was used to recap how to stay safe online using the acronym 'SMART'.

Safe - Keep your personal information safe.

Meet - Think carefully before meeting up with someone you only know online.

Accept - Think carefully before opening links or videos you've been sent.

Reliable - Don't trust everything you see and read online.

Tell - Always tell a trusted adult if something or someone makes you worried, upset or confused.

We watched a short video on these SMART rules and discussed what to do if we came across something that felt unsafe or worrying online.

More information can be found on the following websites:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kPFxhKkBf8U>

<https://www.childnet.com/young-people/4-11-year-olds/get-smart/>



Miss B Hawkins

Secondary School Applications

The secondary school application deadline is Friday 31st October. A guide of how to apply is below.

<https://www.somerset.gov.uk/children-families-and-education/applying-for-school/secondary-admissions-guide/#:~:text=You%20can%20apply%20on%20our,sent%20by%20second%20class%20post.>

School Lunches

Can I please ask that if you would like your child/ren to have a hot lunch, that you order all lunches including the first week after term.

All ordering up to 07/11/25 needs to be placed **NO LATER** than Wednesday 8th October. Any orders placed after this date will not be seen or included in the numbers sent to the kitchens.

Thank you in advance

Mrs Y Williams

After School Late Club

Can I please remind everyone that all booking are made the day before for our late club.

Mrs K Nevill

Start of the School Day and Punctuality

Following some questions from parents I just wanted to remind everybody about our system for the start of the school day.

8.35am: School gates open

8.40am: The school bell goes and children are allowed to enter their classrooms

8.45am: **The start of the school day.** A second school bell is rung to signal this.

I have noticed that there are a few children coming into school after 8.45am. I understand, as a father, mornings can be very busy but it is hugely important that your child/ren are on time for school. Even by being just a few minutes late this can then impact on your child/ren's day as they miss key messages about the day ahead. They can also miss learning points that then hinders them from making as much progress as possible. For example, in KS2 all the classes start with some maths fluency learning (this is on the board as the children enter the class) and therefore if a child is 5 minutes late each day this then means they are missing 25 minutes of maths learning a week.

If your child arrives to school after 9am (15 minutes after the start of the school day) this is then regarded after the registers have closed and gets recorded as an unauthorised absence for the morning session. This can then have a significant impact on your child/ren's attendance.

Thank you for your continued support so we are able to work in partnership to enable your child/ren to progress as much as possible.

External Achievements

Congratulation to Luna, Harry, and Joshua on their player of the week awards in their respective sports. Keep up the amazing work!



Wellington Garden of Light

Fuse Fire and Light

Saturday October 25th

Wellington Park

6.30pm to 9pm

Celebrating art and nature

Fuse Fire and Light performances,
Aerial Dance, Music, Digital Arts,
Film Projections, Light Sculpture Trail
Take part in Lantern Workshops.



Scan for tickets



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Kingfishers: Joshua, Dalton, Olivia



Otters: Aysha, & Jack



Squirrels: Harper, Annabelle, Louie



Tawny Owls: Max, Ella H, Lily-Marie



Woodpeckers: Heidi, Corben, Eadie.



Star Learner: Rogan



House Points:

Blackdown: 366

Brendon: 401

Mendip: 379

Quantock: 412