

Newsletter 10 – Autumn Term



Wistaston Academy
Primary and Nursery School
Together We Learn • Together We Achieve

This Week's Events

Date	School Events	International Events
Monday 22 nd November	Y6 dodgeball club	Disability History Month begins
Tuesday 23 rd November	Y5 dodgeball club & Y2 dance	
Wednesday 24 th November		
Thursday 25 th November	Y4 dodgeball club	
Friday 26 th November	Y5&6 Kids cup football competition 10am-12pm Y1 dance club & Y3 dodgeball club	
Advanced Notice:	WC 29 th November is walk to school week	
Polite Notice:	Please note the school office opens at 8.30am each morning and is manned until 4.30pm. Before and after these times, there will be no access to the Main Reception area.	

We are Brilliant Winners

KS1: Franciszek, Bella, Maryam, Evelyn

KS2: Ayesha, Molly, Olly, Landon, Sophie M, Rhianna

The Hub

Over the last couple of weeks, The Hub children have been enjoying Construction Time. They have explored Lego, Duplo and junk modelling so far, with many more activities planned for them to try before Christmas.



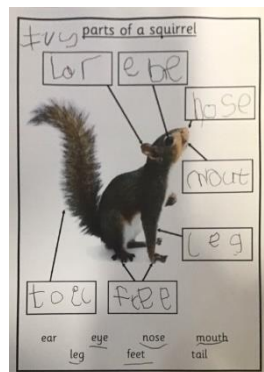
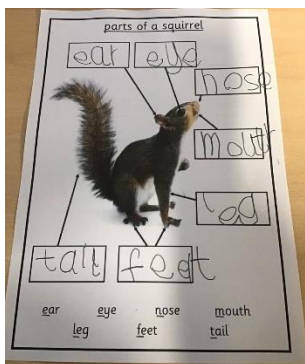
Nursery

This week in nursery we have been looking at and learning about different shapes. We have learnt about circles, squares and triangles; going on a shape hunt to see how many we could find.



Reception

We have introduced our new topic 'Wild in Crewe' and spoke about how we are going to be learning about different wildlife animals. This week we have been learning about a squirrel, looking at their physical features, the types of food that they eat and where they live. The children have been labeling the body parts of a squirrel, drawing pictures and learning some fascinating facts.



Year 1

Year 1 were visited by Martyn, an aerobatics enthusiast, who came to show the children his gliders. He explained how they were made, and then flew one of them over the school field. We found out about the Wright Brothers and how they have influenced the aviation industry.





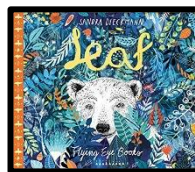
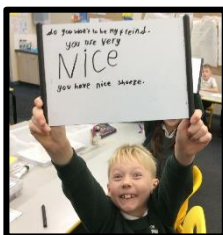
Year 2

Last week, we planned a route that took us around our local area. We then followed our route and looked at the different houses that are near school. We saw terraced houses, bungalows, flats and some semi-detached houses.



Year 4

This week it has been Anti-bullying week. We have been looking at the theme of 'one kind word' and the impact this can have on people. We have been looking at Anti-bullying in guided reading using our text of 'Leaf'. In PSHE, we have looked further into communicating online and about cyber-bullying.



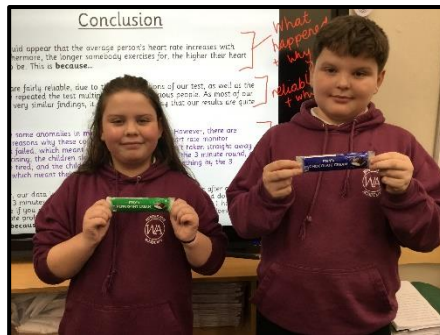
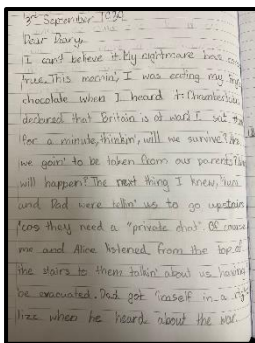
Year 5

This week year 5 have enjoyed taking part in their Forest School session. We decided to explore the area in search of bugs, this involved looking in, under and around things. Here are some of the pictures of the creepy crawlies we found.



Year 6

This week, Year 6 have been working hard writing their diaries as war evacuees. Harlow was so inspired that she wrote her own diary at home! As part of our learning about the war, we also performed a class poem. When reading about the war, we heard the children talking about Fry's chocolate, which most of us had never heard of before. We decided we had to try some!



Junior Sports Leaders

This week we were visited by Chris Hughes our Crewe and Nantwich School Sports Organiser. Chris worked with a number of Year 5 children on leadership skills in the hope that they will be able to lead games and activities to KS1 children at break and lunchtimes in the near future. Chris was impressed by the childrens levels of confidence and ability to lead small groups. Well done to all our young leaders- you are amazing!



Anti-Bullying week

This week nationwide it has been anti-bullying week, the theme this week has been one kind word. The week was kicked off with 'odd sock day', where the children came to school in their odd socks. All the children took part in an assembly to discuss what anti-bullying is and how we should spread kindness as this will make others feel better.



British Values

 15th November 2021
UN Rights of a Child

We all have the right to rest, relax, play and take part in cultural and creative activities. Playgrounds give us a great opportunity to play and be creative!



REST, PLAY,
CULTURE, ARTS



British Values
15th – 21st November 2021

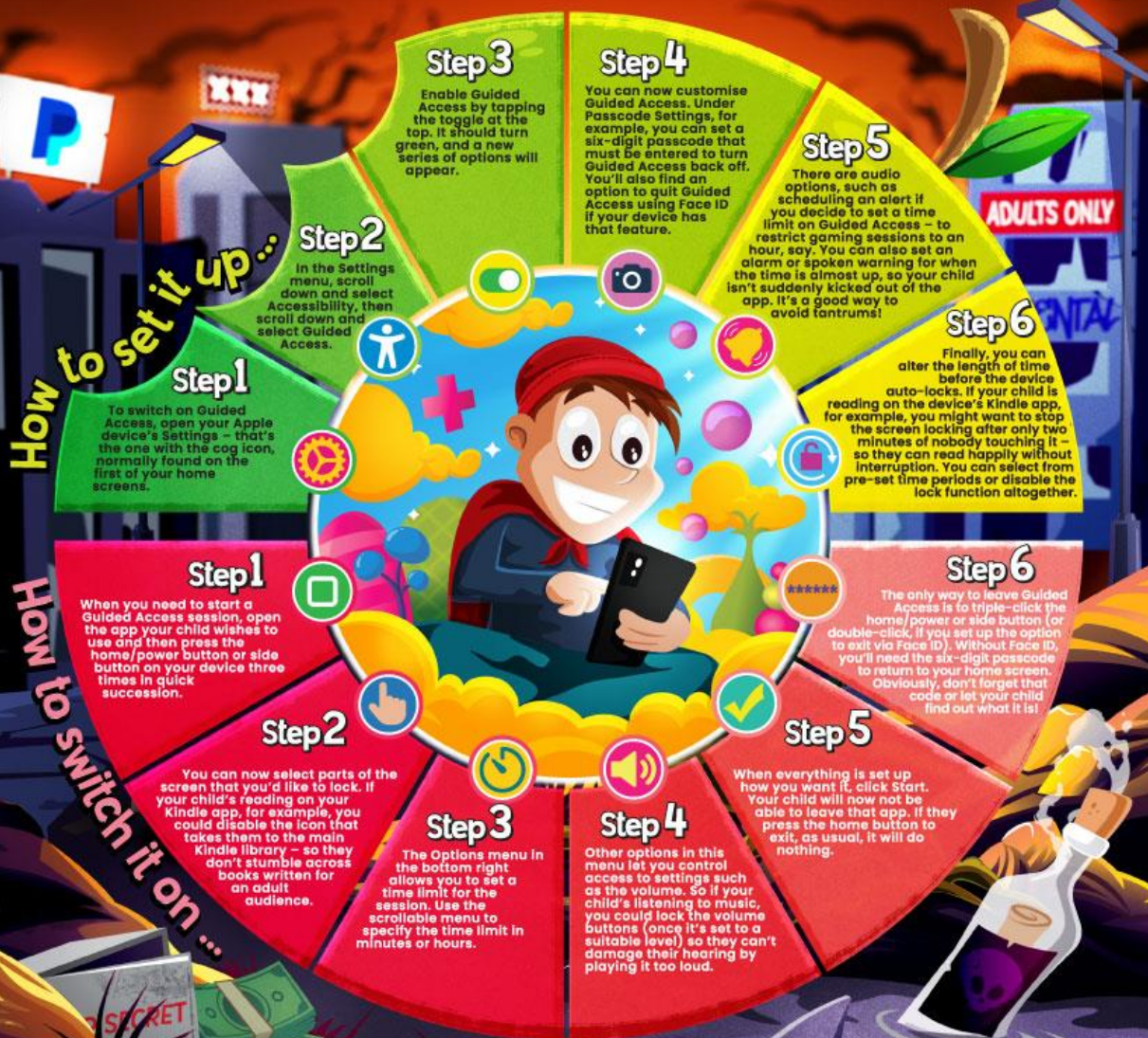
Individual Liberty
As well as being fun, playgrounds can be a great place for us to learn. We can learn to manage risks and take responsibility for our actions.



What Parents and Carers Need to Know about APPLE GUIDED ACCESS

iPhones and iPads don't offer separate user accounts. So when you hand your Apple device to a child to play a game or watch a video, you're also handing them access to your email, the web, messaging and numerous other apps through which they could accidentally do something regrettable.

Apple Guided Access solves this potential problem by letting you restrict the iPhone or iPad to one particular app whenever your child uses the device. If they try and leave that app, they will be asked for a password or Face ID, meaning they can't access anything they shouldn't elsewhere on the device. Here, we show you how to find and set up the Guided Access feature, so you can confidently let your child borrow your iPhone or iPad.



Meet Our Expert

Barry Collins has been a technology journalist and editor for more than 20 years, working for titles such as the *Sunday Times*, *Which?*, *PC Pro* and *Computeractive*. He's appeared regularly as a technology pundit on television and radio, including on *Newsnight*, *Radio 5 Live* and the *ITV News at Ten*. He has two children and has writes regularly about internet safety issues.



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Christmas Toy Appeal

We are looking at making Christmas Special this year by supporting local families

We are looking for donations of
new toys,
gift vouchers
Selection Boxes

Gift bags and wrapping paper

Last day for donations is 6th December

If you can Help with donations,

Please contact Mabyn Meredith

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To arrange collection or drop off.

Or ring 07591334349





Cheshire East



CHRISTMAS Holiday Club

Come and join us for some Free fun and Crafts

**Running at The Georges community centre,
Crewe, CW2 8NN**

Monday 20th December 10-12 & 1-3pm

Tuesday 21st December 10-12 & 1-3pm

Wednesday 22nd December 10-12 & 1-3pm

Chester Zoo Trip on Thursday 23rd December

Places must be booked

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