



It's all about the children

Friday 17th July 2020

Message from the Head of School..

Dear Parents and Carers,

I could never have imagined my first year at Wingham playing out like this. What started off as an exciting and fast paced year - ended with the school community being separated, some at school and some at home. We appreciate the challenges some parents have faced home schooling children for such a significant amount of time and we would like to celebrate you and everything you have done to support learning! I would also like to thank all the staff for their hard work and resilience. It is now time to hand the reins back to us, we can't wait!

A few key messages:

- In September the school dinner price has increased to £2.30, please look out for updated payment information in September.
- Though we are certainly a dog loving school, I would like to remind parents that no dogs are allowed on the school grounds.
- Updated uniform guidance is available on our website. Please check this before you buy new uniform and school shoes over the summer. Tracksuit bottoms, leggings and trainers will not be able to be worn as school uniform. Blue fleeces are additional clothing items and do not replace the school red jumpers/ cardigans. Socks should also be white, navy or black.
- As a result of the government guidance there will be some changes to the normal school calendar in the first term. Some events will be virtual and some meetings will need to be had over the telephone. Where possible things will be back to normal and all changes have been carefully considered taking into account pupil wellbeing.
- Please remember when sending your child in with their lunch or snacks that we are a nut free school.

Looking back this year, we achieved so much together but also missed out on many different school experiences. It has been a long time coming but we will soon have the school back together so we can pick up where we left off.

Wishing you a wonderful Summer holiday and look forward to seeing you all in September.

Mrs Douglas

P.S

Please don't worry about your child's learning. All children will be assessed in September and we will plan accordingly to meet the needs of every individual.

Music at Wingham

I would like to congratulate Mrs Campbell, our music lead, on the birth of her little boy. Mrs Campbell has returned after maternity leave and many of you would have seen her in the music home learning videos. Mrs Campbell has done such a wonderful job of creating the Wingham Proms concert. We loved watching it at school, we hope you did at home too. Thank you Mrs Campbell for all your hard work.





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Year 6

The end of year celebrations have been slightly different this year. However, we have tried to do as many things as we could to make the end of term a time to remember. So many happy memories have been created during Year 6's time at Wingham and everyone here wishes them luck on the next step of their journey.



Upcoming dates for the Autumn 1 term

Term 1	
Tuesday 1st September	Start of term
W/B 14th September	Meet the Teacher – virtual.
Friday 18th September 9.15-10.15am	Getting back on track – Emotional support – Coffee morning – Video Link
Friday 25th September 2.45pm	Phonics EYFS/KS1 – Video Link
W/B 28th September	Democracy week Pupil voice
Friday 2nd October	Harvest Festival
W/B 5th October	Mental awareness week
Friday 9th October 9.15am	Handwriting and Fine motor control– Coffee morning – Video Link
Monday 19th October	School Photographs – individual plus siblings
Friday 23rd October	End of term

All key dates for the academic year can be found on our school website calendar