

WBS - Working, Believing, Succeeding - A Wonderful Bridge to Success



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School Hub (formerly Lunch Shop)

From Friday 12th May Lunch Shop will be replaced by School Hub. If you use the online system to pay for school dinners, breakfast and After school Club, you will need to activate your account. A separate email has gone out about this and you can access the information on the school website at: https://www.warwickbridge.cumbria.sch.uk/uploads/1608/29. School Hub.pdf/You must activate your account once it becomes live.

Year 5/6 Residential to York

We are taking twenty nine children and three staff to York next week for our City Residential. The children will be visiting some well-known places in York including the Minster, the National Railway Museum, Jorvik Centre and Dig, plus a trip to the York Chocolate Experience. On the way to York we will drop in at Eden Camp to see what life was like for people during the Second World War. Whilst in York we will be staying at the YHA. We are looking forward to this trip and will have lots of pictures to sow you when we get back.

Outdoor and Adventurous Activity Week - 22-25 May 2023

During the week 22-25 May pupils at school will be taking part in a number of Outdoor and Adventurous Activities. These will range from Orienteering, Archery, Action Ants, Climbing and Trust Trails. For the climbing part of the week, pupils from **Years 1-6** will be visiting Eden Rock for a climbing session. These sessions will be run by Eden Rock staff who are fully trained in leading these sessions. There will be a voluntary contribution of £5 per pupil to go towards the sessions and transport costs. All those taking part will need a parent/guardian to fill in an online registration form. The form can only be completed online. If you need any assistance please contact school or Eden Rock on 01228 522127. Here is the link to the form:

https://wallmarket.herokuapp.com/eden-rock/forms/1/form completions/new

Eden Rock would need confirmation of names and numbers before the first session. This is so they can check everyone has registered with Eden Rock. I'm afraid that anyone that hasn't registered will not be able to climb.

Attendance

Another good week for the Grasshoppers. The Year 4 children have an excellent attendance in school – well done.

	<u>Bumblebees</u>	<u>Ladybirds</u>	<u>Butterflies</u>	<u>Grasshoppers</u>	<u>Dragonflies</u>	<u>School</u>
5.5.23	90.2%	95.8%	93.2%	98.5%	97.3%	95.9%

Feet First Challenge 2023

WBS will be taking part in the county wide Feet First 5-day Active Travel Challenge starting on **Monday 15th May** and finishing on **Friday 19th May 2023**. The challenge is for pupils & their families to choose an active way of getting to school as many times as possible over the 5-day period. During the challenge each child will receive their own bookmark on which pupils who have travelled actively can record their journey by adding a special sticker. Those pupils with at least one sticker on the bookmark at the end of the challenge will be awarded a small individual prize. Children are also encouraged to use various other non-motorised forms of transport:

- Walking
- Scooting
- Cycling
- Roller skates

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Use of Childcare Vouchers

There are strict Government guidelines over the use of childcare vouchers once children start formal school. Warwick Bridge School does accept childcare vouchers but only for activities specified within the rules of the Government Childcare Voucher Scheme.

Childcare vouchers are only acceptable for the following eligible activities:

- Breakfast and After School club fees
- Activities located on the schools registered premises outside of school hours

Please be aware that, under HMRC rules, any overpayment of childcare vouchers cannot be refunded directly to parents due to the tax benefits received on purchase.

Have a great weekend

Mark Ashton