

Wingfield Primary School Weekly Newsletter

Friday, 20th October



Dates for the diary

First day of Autumn 2 term
Monday, 30th October

International Evening
Wednesday, 1st November

Recipe of the week
Healthy egg and chips



Ingredients

- 500g potatoes, diced
- 2 shallots, sliced
- 1 tbsp olive oil
- 2 tsp dried crushed oregano or 1 tsp fresh leaves
- 200g small mushroom
- 4 eggs

Method

STEP 1

Heat oven to 200C/fan 180C/gas 6. Tip the potatoes and shallots into a large, non-stick roasting tin, drizzle with the oil, sprinkle over the oregano, then mix everything together well. Bake for 40-45 mins (or until starting to go brown), add the mushrooms, then cook for a further 10 mins until the potatoes are browned and tender.

STEP 2

Make four gaps in the vegetables and crack an egg into each space. Return to the oven for 3-4 mins or until the eggs are cooked to your liking.

Dear parents/carers,

We cannot quite believe it is the half term holiday already! We have had a superb term of learning across the school, a lot of which is showcased in our 'The Tempest' displays. I do hope you have had the opportunity to see the displays – thank you to the teachers and teaching assistants for working so hard to complete them. At the start of next term we will share our Christmas performance dates with you. Look out for them in the dates for the diary section. Wishing you all a wonderful half term holiday. Thank you for your continued support -

Ross Silcock and Wanda



Some highlights from our school this week:

Year 6 have been writing a short narrative based on a wolf's interaction with a young child. They have also been revisiting their factors and multiples in mathematics.

Year 5 have been designing machinery using pulleys based on your science learning.

Year 4 have been recreating renaissance art pieces inspired by the work of Michelangelo.

Year 3 have been writing playscripts based on the class text 'The Witches' by Roald Dahl. We have also been looking at colour matching in art.

Year 2 have written Joseph Coelho poems this week.

Year 1 enjoyed their drama workshop this week.

Reception have made gingerbread men.

Nursery have been finishing their displays for 'The Tempest.'



A few messages from the school

- The school office will be open from 7:30am – 17:00 – Monday to Friday.
- Children are not permitted to bring any items from home into school.
- A reminder that children are not allowed to use the trim trail when school has finished. Children and parents are also reminded that scooters and bikes can only be used once children have left the playground.
- We would like to politely remind parents to update school when there are any changes to information e.g., contact details or medical needs for their children. It is the responsibility of parents to keep the school informed and up to date with any changes.

Newsletter opportunities

Mr Mitakos is calling out to all children and parents for some support with the school's newsletter. If you are interested in sharing any information (this could be a book review, an experience or even a promotional opportunity) with Mr Mitakos so that it can appear in our weekly newsletter, please email the office at wfcontact@wingfield.compassps.uk under the subject line: Newsletter. We can't wait to receive some of your emails. Thank you to all of you who have shared information so far.

Contacting us –

If you need anything, then send us an email.

wfcontact@wingfield.compassps.uk

or leave a message at the school office **020 8856 1167**



Secondary School Admissions

Parents with children in year 6 are reminded that the closing date for secondary school applications is 31st October. You can apply online 24 hours a day. You will receive confirmation that your application has been submitted successfully. <https://www.eadmissions.org.uk/?page=Tutorial&service=page>. You are allowed up to six preferences in a ranked order. If you have any questions regarding the process, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Reception places

If your child is due to start Reception in September 2024, you need to apply for a primary school place. The deadline for applications is 15th January 2024. Even if your child attends our Nursery, you still need to apply for their place in Reception. If you live in Royal Greenwich, you need to apply through Royal Greenwich. If you live in another borough, you need to apply through your local authority even if you wish to apply for a place in a Royal Greenwich school. The easiest way to apply is through the eAdmissions portal – it's quick, easy and secure - and it's the fastest way to hear the results <https://www.eadmissions.org.uk/?page=Tutorial&service=page>.

Some of the staff's highlight from this term:

Miss. Reynolds: I have enjoyed restarting Little Wandle and getting to know the new children in my group.

Mrs. Sladden: The trip was fun, and the performance was great.

Mrs. Olaleye: Meeting my class and developing my relationships with each individual child.

Miss. Ashdown: I have loved doing art with my class. I was blown away with how artistic they are. The clay tiles that they made were of a very high quality.

Miss. Melehi: Watching the teachers' tireless work when completing these incredible displays.

Mr. Delaney: I have enjoyed developing my relationships with the class and watching them mature over the first half term. I'm looking forward to seeing this continue next term.

Miss. Mitakos: I have thoroughly enjoyed teaching the Great Fire of London and creating some incredible artwork related to the topic.

Mr. Savage: I thought the children created outstanding outcomes based on the learning related to 'The Tempest.' In particular, they wrote a letter that showcased their understanding of the story and their ability to write from a character's perspective.



A book review by Siddhant Sriran (6DM)

Fireborn: Twelve and The Frozen Forest by Aisling Fowler

Fireborn, written by Aisling Fowler, is about a courageous girl named Twelve. She travels the uncharted forest with a guardian of a lodge of orphaned or unwanted hunters. During this heart-touching story she goes on a mission to rescue her friend. Her parents and sister die and she faces a betrayal. In the middle of all this adventure, she finds out she is a witch of fire. This book is set in the Stone Age. I would highly recommend this book to children who like fiction (fantasy) and action.

