

## Wrenbury Primary School Newsletter

5<sup>th</sup> September 2025

The hall has been polished, classrooms have been readied and the school now has that lovely, happy buzz that we feel when it is filled with smiling little faces once again. It really is a pleasure to walk around school and see the children settled, happy and enjoying their new classes. As always, the manners of our children shine; with every 'Hello, how are you?' a lovely answer is given and then followed by '... and how are you?'

This week, the children have been getting to know their new classes and classmates. We have welcomed new faces, both in Little Wrens and across the wider school and been introduced to our new topics and learning focuses.



**This week's awards...**

**We All Matter Stars:**

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**Little Wrens:** Joey for helping his new friend settle at lunchtime.

**Base 1:** All of Base 1 for being kind to each other.

**Base 2:** All of Base 2 for starting their new class with positivity.

**Base 3:** Immy for being a helpful classmate to her friends

**Base 4:** Oliver G for helping others settle into the class.

**Base 5:** Evie for being kind and helpful to others in class.

### **ACHIEVE Learning Awards:**

**Little Wrens:** Emmy for being a super star at tidy up time – wow!

**Base 1:** All of Base 1 for super sitting on the carpet.

**Base 2:** Robyn and Jackson for settling into Base 2 beautifully.

**Base 3:** Isaac for returning to school as a very grown-up Year 3 already!

**Base 4:** Aedan for using the resources in the classroom to support his learning.

**Base 5:** Lily for showing value in her handwriting and producing beautiful work.

### **Base Charity Partnerships:**

This year, as last year, each Base in school is connected with a charity. This time our focus is on those charities that support children. Over the year, each class will learn about their charity, learning more about what they do and how they help children. Our children will run class assemblies about their charity, teaching the rest of the school a little bit about it. We will be raising money for these charities – helping them realise that they can make a difference and really help those in need.

Little Wrens and Base 1- The Wingate Centre

B2- Alder Hey Hospital

B3 - Ronald McDonald House

B4- Great Ormond Street

B5- Mind Cheshire Hospitals Charity.





### How wonderful...

I want to say thank you to Georgie and Libby who, over the school holidays, decided they wanted to raise money for school. They put out a stall and raised £35 for school! What an incredibly thoughtful thing to do.

Thank you!

### Another thank you...

You may have noticed that our outdoor wooden structures have been given fresh lick of paint – bringing them bursting back to life. A HUGE thank you goes to Mr and Mrs Thornton who spent a great deal of their own time over the holidays painting. This was such a kind thing to do. Thank you.

### Amazon wish lists

At Wrenbury we are very lucky to have wonderful parents who are very supportive. Often, we are asked what resources we need to help our children in class. As a result of this, each Base will be setting up new Amazon Wishlist's. Anyone who would like to support school can now do this by simply accessing this wish list where a range of resources for the children can be purchased for school. Further information regarding your child's wish list will follow soon.

### Reading badges

This year we have NEW reading badges! Reading is the most important thing to do when it comes to learning and as such has a very high profile in our school. We would love every child at Wrenbury to read and/ or be read to every night. This reading can be recorded in reading diaries – each read is recorded as a point. Once 50 reads have been reached a bronze badge is awarded, 100 will be given a silver, 150 gold and 200 our new 'platinum' badge. These will be awarded in assemblies by Y6 library leaders and will be celebrated in school newsletters. For those who achieve even more than this, a very special treat will be given at the end of summer term.



## FOWS

We have a wonderful FOWS (Friends of Wrenbury School) team who work so very hard behind the scenes to support our children, raising money and organising great events that the children thoroughly enjoy.

Without this team, the children would miss out on many special events and treats. However, **our FOWS team need you!** We would love to hear from anyone who enjoys making a difference, who likes to support others and who is willing to give a little of their time to support our fabulous school and awesome children.



This is an opportunity to work with a great group of people and have a few laughs while doing something good for others. If you would like to join our FOWS team, **please give us a call at school** and we can put you in contact with the FOWS squad.

### School admissions:

Parents and carers of current Year 6 pupils must apply for a Year 7 place before 31<sup>st</sup> October. Parents of pupils wanting to start Reception in September 2026 must apply before 15<sup>th</sup> January 2026. Please see the website below for further information:

<https://www.cheshireeast.gov.uk/schools/admissions/admissions.aspx>

### Attendance – reminder

Attendance remains a key priority at Wrenbury. The impact of non-attendance on our children is significant and because of this attendance is also a national priority. Non-attendance not only impacts learning but also has a negative impact on friendships and that sense of belonging that is so important to our young people. Even though we strive for it, we recognise that it can be a challenge to get 100% every year therefore we will be awarding 100% attendance stickers on a weekly basis.

Please familiarise yourself with the school's Attendance Policy on the school website so that you don't fall foul of potential Fixed Penalty Notices (FPN) and fines.

Below is the FPN structure;

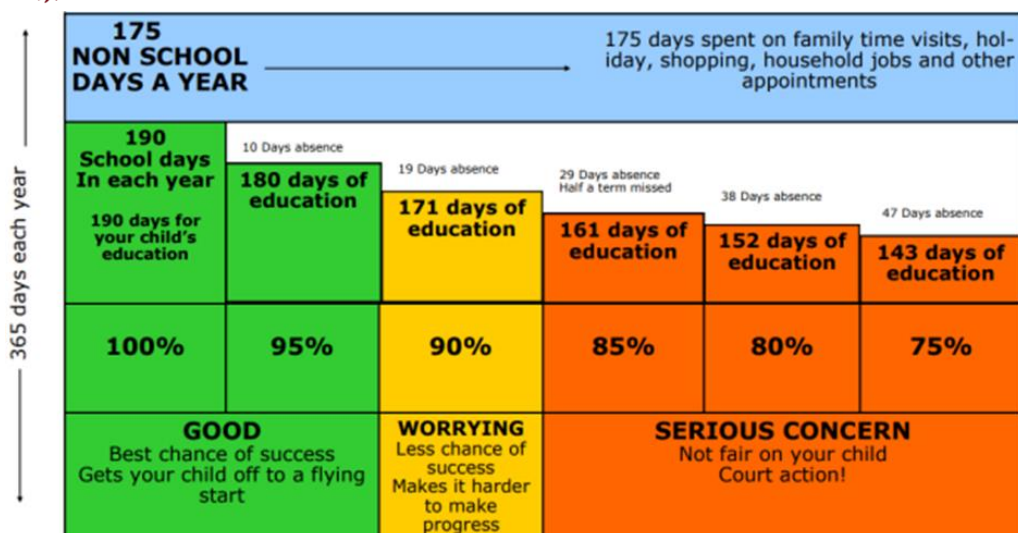
#### Fixed penalty Notice Costs and Time Frame

Cheshire East Council's Fixed Penalty Notices. Current Costings and Time Frames		
1 child	1 child	1 child (or more)
£80 if fine paid within 21 days	£160 if fine not paid within 28 days	Court if fine not paid with 28 days
Paid by each parent/carers with parental responsibility	Paid by each parent/carers with parental responsibility	

Days off school lead to lost learning:

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### Medication

The office can administer medication if your child requires any during school hours. If your child is bringing medication into school, a medication consent form **must be** completed, and any medication handed into the office. We kindly request that you bring your own Calpol if required. We do hold a small supply but only in case of emergencies.

Please check your child's medical and dietary needs in Arbor and update them if necessary. Any child who suffers with asthma will be contacted by the office during the first week to ensure their asthma care plan is up to date.

### A few new things...

This year, we are introducing some new and exciting learning experiences for our children, and I would like to share a couple of these with you. I believe in showing our children all the incredible experiences our world has to offer – the more we can show them the more they will understand that the world really is their oyster, and they can do anything they want to.

This year our Yr 5 and 6 children will be watching the incredible musical 'Matilda' run by The Royal Shakespear Company. This is an award-winning show and is just wonderful to see. As well as this, our Year and 4 children will also experience something new – a residential visit (1 night) to Burwardsley where they will get to enjoy this incredible landscape that is just on our doorstep. More information will be sent to classes by the office soon.

This is just a snippet of some of the wonderful experiences that we will be providing for our children this year.



### Upcoming dates for the week ahead

- Monday 8<sup>th</sup> September – Year 6 Swimming starts
- Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> September at 4.45pm - KS1 Parent Meeting
- Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> September at 4.45pm - KS2 Parent Meeting
- Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> September at 4.30pm - Reception Phonics Parent Meeting
- Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> September – Parent Online safety meeting

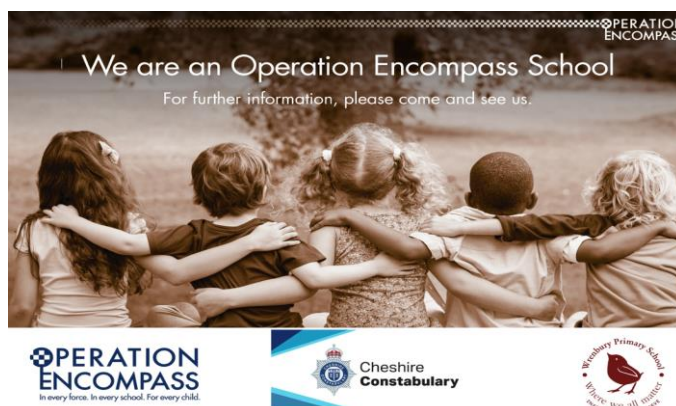
### And finally...

I hope that everyone has enjoyed reading their class newsletters and overviews and are as excited as I am about the new term (and school year) ahead!

Please keep up to date with all things Wrenbury by following the school Facebook page and checking in on our website for news and updates.

Your Headteacher,

Mrs Charlesworth



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