

17th
September
2021

Volume 3

Yew Tree Primary Academy

Excellence for All

Term Dates

Autumn Term

Opens
2nd September
2021

Closes
22nd October 2021

Opens
1st November
2021

Closes
17th December
2021

Opens
4th January 2022

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Reception HR	Year 1 PJB
Year 2 LH	Year 3 ZK
Year 4 FP	Year 5 JH
Year 6 MS	Ash JR
Cedar GMS	Birch JE



Attendance Matters

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Class	Attendance	Class	Attendance
Oak		Beech	
Fir		Willow	
Maple		Ash	
Elm		Birch	
Alder		Cedar	

Thought for the week...

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Contact and Information forms have been sent out to all families at the start of this term.

For safeguarding, health and safety purposes, as well as to allow us to celebrate children's work and achievements through photographs etc, it is vital that these are returned to school next week, at the latest.

Please ensure these are returned to make sure the school office has all up to date details.

Willow Class Catalyst Museum Trip – Widnes

Willow class will be visiting the Catalyst Museum on the 23/09/2021.

The visit will be taking place during school hours, but permission is still needed for your child to take part.

As the original deadline of Tuesday 14th September has now past, please can all Y6 families return their child's permission slip by next Monday 20th September. This is also the deadline

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Lunch and After School Clubs – Autumn Term

We are delighted to be able to restart some of our extracurricular provision this term!

This week we have sent out letters for this term's after school clubs, children will be sent home with their return slip outlining if they have been given a place and a reminder text will be sent on the day of the club.

Do not worry if there is nothing you fancy this half term, we have plenty more opportunities coming next half term.

WC 20th September

PLEASE NOTE ALL CLUBS RUN UNTIL OCTOBER HALF TERM

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
DSP Outdoor Activities – Time – 3 -4 Collection from DSP gates	Year 2 Phonics Club Time 3.15 – 4.15 Collection – Y2 gate	Year 6 Football Club Time 3.15 – 4.15 Collection – Wood Road Gate		Year 5 – Year 6 Homework Club Time 3.15 – 4.15 Collection – Wood Road Gate
Year 2 Tennis Time 3:15 – 4:15 Collection – Y2 gate	Y3 & 4 Geography Time – Lunch time Collection - NA			
Year 6 Football Time – Lunch time				

Parent Pay, School Cashless System

All letters containing log in information for Parent Pay have been sent to all families.

ALL parents must sign up to Parent Pay as we no longer accept any form of cash.

This includes payments for snacks, dinners, after school clubs and class trips.

Please contact the School Office, if you need any assistance or a copy of your details.

yewtree@knowsley.gov.uk



As well as our newsletter, we use the following to keep in touch with our families. Please log into:  **Class Dojo**

Twitter - @YewTreeCP

Website – yewtreeknowsley.co.uk

If you need to contact us, please do so via:

Phone – 0151 477 8950

Email – yewtree@knowsley.gov.uk

School Dinners

If your child is in Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 and not entitled to free school meals, the cost of a school dinner is £2.10 per day.

Please ensure that there is enough credit on your Parent Pay account for all ordered dinners across the week

Wk5	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Meal	Chicken burger in a roll with crisscuts and beans	Jacket Potato with Tuna	Chicken Korma and rice	Roast gammon with mash pea and gravy	Harry Ramsdens fish fillet with chips and peas
	Turkey	Turkey	Turkey	Turkey	
	Ham	Ham	Ham	Ham	
	Cheese	Cheese	Cheese	Cheese	
	Tuna	Tuna	Tuna	Tuna	
	Egg	Egg	Egg	Egg	

Please remember to credit your Parent Pay each week if you child is in Year 3 or above. Thank you

Free School Meals

All children in **Reception, Year 1 and Year 2** are entitled to a free hot school meal.

If your child has moved into Year 3 or your home/family circumstances have changed, you can apply for free school meals on the Knowsley Council Website via this link...

<https://www.knowsley.gov.uk/residents/education-and-schools/school-meals-and-menus>

Otherwise, if your child is in Key Stage 2 (Years 3,4,5 and 6) the cost of meals is £10 per week. Payments for school meals can be made via Parent Pay.

School meals are free for your child or children if you receive:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseekers Allowance
- An income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Child Tax Credit and have an annual income of £16,190 or less (but not if you are in work and receive Working Tax Credit)
- The guarantee element of State Pension Credit
- Support under part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Universal Credit, provided you have an annual net earned income not exceeding £7,400 (£616.67 a month)

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ATTENDANCE	LOST LEARNING	OUTCOME/INTERVENTION
100%	Nothing missed Everything gained	Every chance of outstanding success
99.5%	1 DAY 5 LESSONS WITHIN EXPECTATION	STAGE 1 WITHIN EXPECTATIONS Great chance of success
99%	2 DAYS 10 LESSONS WITHIN EXPECTATION	You must call the attendance line to report any absences by 9AM. We understand that sometimes children are poorly but would ask you to prepare your family for the world of work where absences often go unpaid.
98%	4 DAYS 20 LESSONS WITHIN EXPECTATION	Please try to make medical & dental appointments out of school hours. Evidence will be required for absences due to appointments.
97.99%	Over 4 DAYS Over 20 LESSONS BELOW EXPECTATION CATCH UP REQUIRED	STAGE 2 BELOW EXPECTATIONS A letter will be sent home to remind parents/carers of our expectations. ADDITIONAL WORK WILL BE NECESSARY FOR LESSONS MISSED
95%	9.5 DAYS 35 LESSONS WORRYING, CHANCES OF FALLING BEHIND IMPACTING ON SUCCESS	STAGE 3 BELOW EXPECTATIONS We'll invite Parents/Carers into school for an informal meeting with a view to addressing any barriers to attending school. We aim to resolve issues and put attendance incentives in place.
92%	15 DAYS 70 LESSONS LESS LIKELY TO SUCCEED & HARDER TO MAKE PROGRESS	STAGE 4 SERIOUSLY BELOW EXPECTATIONS We'll invite Parents/Carers into School for a formal meeting with Senior Leadership & the Board of Governors. During this meeting, we'll establish the need for any necessary support from external agencies. PUPILS WILL BE PUT ON ATTENDANCE REPORT. A FOUR WEEK REVIEW PERIOD WILL BE AGREED
90%	19 DAYS 95 LESSONS LIKELY TO HAVE A DETRIMENTAL EFFECT ON ACHIEVEMENT & LIFE CHANCES	STAGE 5 CRITICAL At this stage pupils have reached Persistent Absentee Status. We'll assess the interventions put in place during previous stage & where necessary pursue LEGAL INTERVENTION. Penalty Notices are a minimum of £60 per parent/carer.

With a new year beginning – let's see if we can get 100% attendance next week in every class and start this important year as we mean to go on!!





Would you like to create your very own masterpiece from super healthy pepper pizzas & fruity delights to heavenly cakes & tasty treats? Come along and join us - this is the ideal course for all budding Chefs!

🍰 5 Week Baking Course (ages 4-16)

Held on Thursdays, 5 - 6:30pm; Saturdays & Sundays 9:30 - 11am & 11am - 12:30pm starting 25th, 26th & 30th Sept, **£79**

🍰 Half term cookery club

Mon 25th, Tues 26th, Wed 27th Oct 9:30 - 12pm. **£75**

🍰 Kids' Baking Parties

Make your child's special day one to remember with our fun-filled baking parties! It's the ultimate birthday party treat!

All ingredients are provided.

Venue - St. Edward's College, North Drive, West Derby, Liverpool L12 1LF

Places are limited so will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. To book your place, please visit our website.

📘 Liverpool Cook School

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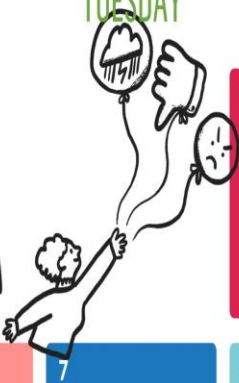



☎ **07518 212 875**

• All Staff hold DBS certificates

• Covid-19 Secure Gov. Guidelines followed at all times.



Self-Care September 2021

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
		1 Find time for self-care. It's not selfish, it's essential	2 Notice the things you do well, however small	3 Let go of self-criticism and speak to yourself kindly	4 Plan a fun or relaxing activity and make time for it	5 Forgive yourself when things go wrong. Everyone makes mistakes
6 Focus on the basics: eat well, exercise and go to bed on time	7 Give yourself permission to say 'no'	8 Be willing to share how you feel and ask for help when needed	9 Aim to be good enough, rather than perfect	10 When you find things hard, remember it's ok not to be ok	11 Make time to do something you really enjoy	12 Get active outside and give your mind and body a natural boost
13 Be as kind to yourself as you would to a loved one	14 If you're busy, allow yourself to pause and take a break	15 Find a caring, calming phrase to use when you feel low	16 Leave positive messages for yourself to see regularly	17 Notice what you are feeling, without any judgment	18 Ask a trusted friend to tell you what strengths they see in you	19 No plans day. Make time to slow down and be kind to yourself
20 Enjoy photos from a time with happy memories	21 Don't compare how you feel inside to how others appear outside	22 Take your time. Make space to just breathe and be still	23 Let go of other people's expectations of you	24 Accept yourself and remember that you are worthy of love	25 Find a new way to use one of your strengths or talents	26 Avoid saying 'I should' and make time to do nothing
27 Free up time by cancelling any unnecessary plans	28 Choose to see your mistakes as steps to help you learn	29 Write down three things you appreciate about yourself	30 Remind yourself that you are enough, just as you are			

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