

# SPRING 2 BULLETIN

19th March 2021



## Dates for your diary:

22/3—Down Syndrome Awareness Day  
(optional-wear brightly coloured socks or tights)

26/3— Year 4 Special Assembly (virtual)

26/3— WSA Easter Egg Hunt Fundraiser

26/3—Last day of term

12/4—Back to school!

12/4— Multi-Sports Clubs begin! (please sign up  
via school money)

14/4— Year 6 Harry Potter Event

23/4—St George's Day (children in St. George's  
House are invited to wear red)

April— week commencing 26/4/21-Days TBC—  
Parent Consultation Event (virtual)

30/4—School Photographs

10/5—Year 6 Assessment Week

14/5 —Year 6 Breakfast Celebration

28/5 —End of Term

7/6—Back to School

## Coronavirus Lateral Flow Kits for FAMILIES of WPS Children

As you know, school staff and pupils over 12 are being tested for Coronavirus twice week in order to try to identify asymptomatic cases of C19 in our community. As many as one in every three positive cases of Covid show NO SYMPTOMS!

Families of school aged children are also now able to get home 'Lateral Flow' Test Kits for their personal use.

Visit this link to order yours:

<https://www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests>

## Term Dates September 2021– July 2022

Please be reminded of the error on previously published term dates for NEXT YEAR. Again, our sincere apologies for this.

Please visit our website to access our term dates:

<https://willenprimary.org/term-dates/>

Please contact the school urgently if you have been impacted by the above error. Thank you.

## School Playground Equipment

We know it looks tempting to younger siblings...but please DO NOT ALLOW YOUNGER CHILDREN on this apparatus as it is specifically designed for over 7's ONLY.

NO children (even if over 7) should be using this apparatus when unsupervised by an adult.

Thank you





**Friday 26th March 2021**

**Open to all children!**

**Book your place on our annual Egg Hunt via School Money.**

**£1.50 fee— all children will come home with a prize (no guarantees they will want to share it with you though!)**

**This event will take part during the school day with- in Year group Bubbles.**

Worried about the amount of time your child spends on their **device**? Concerned about their lack of physical **activity** and contact with **friends** during lockdown?



We have joined forces with Sporty Scholars to provide Year Group Bubble Sports clubs for Years 1-6 for next half term. Led by specialists, these clubs are certain to get children moving, laughing and playing! Book via School Money.

Hurry! Only 16 spaces per year group available!

The children will be learning about Down Syndrome and are invited to



**‘rock the socks’ to raise awareness on MONDAY 22nd.**

Please do not park on our neighbour's driveways! These are private property and should not be used for even a quick drop off!



## **COVID-19 CONTACT TRACING—**

### **EASTER HOLIDAYS**



Schools play a VITAL role in contract tracing and as such, have been asked by the Government to continue their work over the Easter Holidays in order to ensure that we break potential chains of transmission during this time.

**It is ESSENTIAL that you contact school via [office@willenprimary.org](mailto:office@willenprimary.org) if YOUR CHILD tests positively for Coronavirus during the school holidays.**

By doing this, we will be able to ascertain close contacts of each positive case and prevent further spreading.

Please continue to check your emails during this period— as this is how we would inform you if your child has been in close contact with a positive case and now needs to self isolate.

The School Money SHOP is open again this week (and only this week!) should you wish to purchase some uniform for next half term. Everything £1!



We would happily accept any donations of old uniform you no longer need...please drop off at the office (NB: NO WHITES please). Thank you!

## **Times are Hard...but there are people who want to help!**

Together with a group of local people who want to make a difference to children's lives, WPS are offering **ALL WPS FAMILIES** (not just those eligible for Free School Meals) the opportunity to collect **FREE, weekly BREAKFAST PACKAGES** for their children.

Each package will contain a box of cereal and two cartons of milk and can be collected on a Monday every week from now until the end of the academic year.

We do not ask you to 'sign up'- just buzz on the main office door and ask for a pack if you feel that this is something that will help you and your child/children.

This is a donation and nothing is asked for in return. We are hoping to help as many families as we can in this small but meaningful way...

