



## Wesley Methodist Primary School



### Weekly Newsletter: WC 6<sup>th</sup> September 2019

The children have completed their first full week back at Wesley and what a week it has been! The children have continued to strive for excellence in all they do. In Mr Jones' office there is a 'Shine Like Stars' display to show incredible work completed in different classes and this is growing with wonderful work from all different classes. It has also been lovely to see and hear the children's relationships growing with one another and with the staff in school. Throughout the week the children have shown what it means to shine like a star through their behaviour and actions around school. Keep it up Wesley!

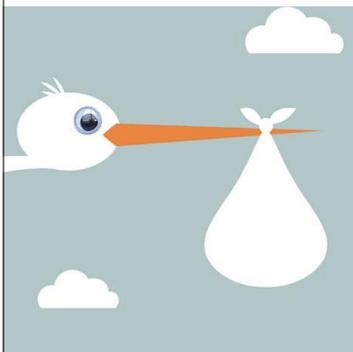
#### Worship

This week during our worship sessions we have discussed new beginnings and the start to a new year. The children were able to confidently explain the importance behind a school community and the work they individually do to support the school community to work as well as it does. We also discussed the story of Genesis 2 and how God wants us to have friends and companions that help us and support us in making the right decisions. Our Key Stage 2 children also had Rev Chris come in to conduct an assembly on new beginnings and gave the children a deeper understanding to their role in the school and the world.



#### BIG Wesley Clean UP

On **Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> September**, we will be hosting our first community day of the year. This will be a lovely opportunity to bring our families back together after what has been an incredibly difficult time over the last 18 months and we will complete a litter pick around our local area giving back to the community we serve. As a Methodist school, we follow the words of John Wesley and try to "Do all you can". This is a way of allowing our children to live out this message and to help others. As well as the litter pick, there will be an orienteering activity where the children will try to find different book covers that are hidden within the area we will be working in. As a school we would like to acknowledge the amazing support from our PTA with this event who have sourced the equipment for this to take place and have also offered to pay for dinner for all that attend. I hope you are able to make it and join in as a school family!



#### Exciting news!

We are very happy to reveal some extremely exciting news – Miss Kirkpatrick is having a baby! We as a staff, as I know all of you parents and carers will be too, are delighted for Miss Kirkpatrick and that she is able to share this special news with the school community. We are on official countdown until February 2022 when Miss Kirkpatrick's second child will be here to greet us. Please join us in the congratulations!



### School Holiday pattern 2020-21

	<b>School closes</b>	<b>School opens</b>
<b>Autumn half-term:</b>	Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup> Oct 2021	Mon 1 <sup>st</sup> Nov 2021
<b>Christmas:</b>	Fri 17 <sup>th</sup> Dec 2021	Weds 5 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2022
<b>Spring half-term:</b>	Fri 11 <sup>th</sup> Feb 2022	Mon 21 <sup>st</sup> Feb 2022
<b>Easter:</b>	Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> Apr 2022	Tues 19 <sup>th</sup> Apr 2022
<b>Summer half-term:</b>	Fri 27 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> June 2021
<b>Summer:</b>	Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	

### Visit our twitter page

Please visit the school's twitter page:

@wesley\_primary

To see all of the amazing learning and activities taking place in school. Every class will be uploading something each week to this account to show what is happening within the classrooms. So far we have had a range of work happening: from reading areas, to art work, to learning about our class role models and using our own ideas to change the world!

If you would like to see more about what is happening at Wesley please visit our twitter and enjoy – I am sure you will be impressed!



### Parking

We appreciate how difficult it is in the morning and at the end of the day with parking, and we hope that opening the gate on Salisbury road has helped with some of the issues. Please can we all be mindful of our local residents and park as politely as possible.

Thank you.

### Gold Award

The following children received their Gold Award this week:

Reception Neville: **Thomas A**

Reception Sissay: **Amelia B**

Year 1 Peel: **Lillie F**

Year 1/2 Wood: **Levi T**

Year 2 Rashford: **Alfie C**

Year 3 Garvey: **Lily P**

Year 3/4 Walsh: **Olivia H**

Year 4 Lowry: **Isabella T**

Year 5 Boyle: **Ava M**

Year 5 Bell: **Layton H**

Year 6 Turing: **Niamh W-D**

Year 6 Pankhurst: **Lewis H**

A huge well done to all of these children – we are so proud of you!

