



## Wesley Methodist Primary School



### Weekly Newsletter: WC 13<sup>th</sup> September 2021

This week has been fantastic, the children have continued their great work in all of their lessons and have been showing good resilience in their efforts to be the very best they can be! Throughout the week we have been exploring our vision of “Shine like stars as children of God” and discussing how we can achieve this by showing the fruits of the holy spirit: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, doing good, will, faithfulness, gentleness and through our talents. The children show these on a daily basis and make all of the staff at Wesley incredibly proud of them!

#### Worship

This week during our worship sessions we have focused on one of our British values: Democracy. As a school we have explored the meaning behind this word and how we can use our voice for good! The children debated how they would feel if one ruled over everyone and made all of the decisions compared to when we are able to vote for people. We then looked at the part the school council play in our school as we will soon be holding our voting for positions on the school council, where the children will be able to directly affect what happens at Wesley. We look forward to driving the school forward as a whole team with every single member of our school community involved.



#### BIG Wesley Clean UP

Tomorrow on **Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> September**, we will be hosting our first community day of the year. We will begin the day meeting at school for 10:30am, we will then head into our local community using the maps provided and begin our litter pick to give back and to look after where we live. 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. We will then return to school for approximately 12pm, where the tables will be brought outside onto the school playground and we will enjoy a school community lunch from Jack’s chippy! The PTA support all that we do at Wesley and have paid for the food for all who come. If anybody is interested in joining the PTA please speak to members on Saturday. Thank you to all who are able to come!



#### School photo day!

The children’s school photos have been booked in for **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2021**. These will be individual photos, not class photos. The children will have the opportunity to have sibling photos through the school day and any pre-school children you wish to be on the photos will take place before school at 8:30am.





### 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	



### Website update!

Over the past few weeks, the staff at Wesley have worked incredibly hard to update the school's website.

You will notice on each class page that you will have access to the curriculum maps that will be updated each half term and also the highlights page that will be updated at the end of each half term.

This has been designed to be more user friendly and really show what a wonderful school Wesley is. We hope you enjoy it, please take a look for yourself!

### Nut free school

As you will be aware, at Wesley we are a nut free school to ensure that we keep all of our children safe. We want to thank all of our parents and carers for supporting us in this and showing understanding for what is able to be brought into school. Thank you for your continued support in all that we do.

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THANK YOU

### Gold Award

The following children received their Gold Award this week:

Reception Neville: **Amelia W**

Reception Sissay: **Ellie R**

Year 1 Peel: **Frankie D**

Year 1/2 Wood: **Poppy C**

Year 2 Rashford: **Bobby S**

Year 3 Garvey: **Edith A**

Year 3/4 Walsh: **Isobel P**

Year 4 Lowry: **Reuben C**

Year 5 Boyle: **Baye F**

Year 5 Bell: **Freddie J**

Year 6 Turing: **Sophia M**

Year 6 Pankhurst: **Arlie G**

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

