

Tenacres First School

October '24

Newsletter



It has been a very busy half term back.

Well done to all the children settling in to their new Year Groups

Reminder - All curriculum information is on the school website.

School website

The Tenacres website (www.tenacres.worcs.sch.uk) has been refreshed over the Summer holidays. Please take a look. We update the blog (link at the top of the home page) regularly.



Home/School Diaries

Please could we ask parents & carers to make sure pages 2/7/8 and 11 are signed. You will also find PE days on page 6 as well as other important information throughout the diary.



Swimming

We continue to offer swimming to Year R-4 this academic year. Well done to Year 4 for completing their last block of lessons. Year 3 have just started theirs and Yrs 2, 1 & Reception will go later in the academic year



PE KIT REMINDER

On PE days Yrs 1-4 should come to school in PE kit. Reception children should keep their PE kit in school as dressing themselves is part of the Early Learning Goals.

PE kit is school/plain white t-shirt, plain navy/black or grey joggers/tracksuit bottoms and school jumper/cardigan.

Please ensure all children's clothing/belongings are labelled.

Reading at Tenacres

Information has been sent home regarding the structure of reading at Tenacres.

This information has also been posted on the school blog.



Attendance

As you may be aware the Government has revised approaches to school attendance. Please see the school blog for the latest Redditch-wide leaflet.

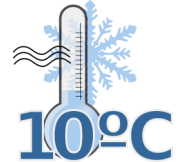
Remembrance Day



Poppies will be on sale week commencing 4.11.24 for a donation of 50p.

A Few Reminders

- The return to school after the Summer break is traditionally a time for coughs & colds.. Please refer to the NHS Guidelines for childhood illness on the school blog which will help you to decide if your child is well enough to come to school. In the event that you decide to keep them at home, please call and leave a message or speak to a member of school staff on the first morning of absence. If a reason for absence is not received it will be recorded as unauthorised. Persistent unauthorised absence may result in a referral to the Educational Welfare Officer for Tenacres.
- As the colder weather approaches, please ensure your child brings a coat to school..
- Individual photos –Friday 8th November. If you would like pre-school siblings included please come to the hall from 8.30am.
- Bonfire Menu –Tuesday 5th November. More details to follow.



Our very best wishes to

Miss Austin begins her maternity leave. We wish her all the very best & we will miss her! We will let you know once Baby arrives.



Miss Halligan has joined the Tenacres Team. She will be teaching across the school. On one day per week she will be teaching 3S and 4LD. This week she has been teaching the Deers while Miss Kelly gets well.

Miss Parkinson who is getting married during the half term break. We all wish her a fabulous day.



Parents Evening

Thank you for attending Parents Evening. I am sure you could see how busy your child has been in school.

Feedback will be given from Parent/Carer survey next half term.

Pre-Christmas Clear Out!

If you are having a sort-out of toys Tenacres would be very happy to accept them. Our Reception Year would most definitely be very grateful.

Thank you.



Forest School

If you have any spare pots, pans or kitchen utensils we would be very grateful for them to use in Forest School. Please bring them in after half term..

