

# Wenlock's Weekly Round-Up



'With God's love, we are lights for the world.'

This Term's Value is:  
**Truthfulness**

## KEY DATES

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## IMPORTANT UPDATE

Dear Families. We added a security intercom in the foyer. Please press the buzzer on arrival, and a member of the Admin team will verify your visit before entry.

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collected by a responsible adult or older sibling with permission on Arbor. There will be no additional charge for after-school club attendees due to the earlier dismissal.

Summer uniform—white polo shirts or blue checked dresses—is now in effect. Please ensure children bring a coat and a **named water bottle** each day, as they will be outside in all weather.

Congratulations to all year 4s for completing their Multiplication Check Tests, we know you all did your best and we are very proud of you all.

## STUDYBUGS

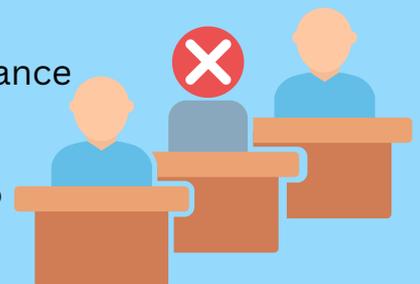
To date, only **65%** of Wenlock Parents have signed up to Study bugs. We would like the take up to be 80%. Please download the free Study Bugs app if you have not already done so.

**Studybugs**

## ATTENDANCE

Well done to **Aviary** who achieved the highest attendance for the last week at **100%**

The attendance for the whole school was 96.23%  
Our School target is 97%





We are a Nut Free school for the safety of our children with nut allergies We would like to remind parents that most chocolate spread contains hazelnuts. Please can you remember to not put chocolate spread in the children's lunch boxes.



## Sex Education week

A reminder to **year 5 & 6**, the sex education week will take place from the 16<sup>th</sup> of June to the 20<sup>th</sup>. If you would like your child to opt out, please email the school office at [admin@wenlockacademy.co.uk](mailto:admin@wenlockacademy.co.uk) or come into the office and speak to the team.

## Uniform Exchange

Level Trust are always grateful for donations of pre-loved school uniform. There is a blue container in our school reception area which has details of uniform requested where items can be placed.

Thank-you!



## Road Safety

To keep children safe, please ensure that children are taught how to cross the road safely, especially outside school and where there is heavy traffic.

A reminder that drivers must not stop on the yellow lines outside of the school.



## Snacks

Many thanks for sending your children in with fruit and vegetables for snack times and for remembering not to send your children in with nut related products.

Grapes and cherry tomatoes should be sent cut into quarters length-ways to avoid choking.



The summer disco is coming up! Get read to boogie! - More information below



Don't forget to check our our facebook and X accounts for all the latest information from Team Wenlock!

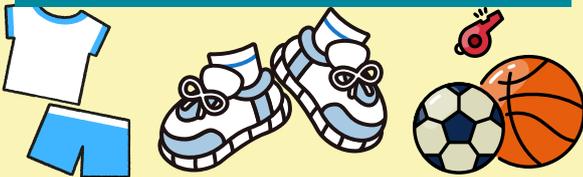


# PARENT INFORMATION



## PE TIMETABLE

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## HOMework GRIDS

Year 3, 4 and 5 homework grids for Summer term are live on the website and they can be found under Home Learning section. Year 6 will be being sent home song lyrics and scripts to learn for their leavers events.



## Spare Swimming Kits

If you have any spare swimming costumes or swimming trucks you would like to donate to the school then please drop them off in the School Office.

We would be most grateful for any donations you may have. Thank-you very much indeed.



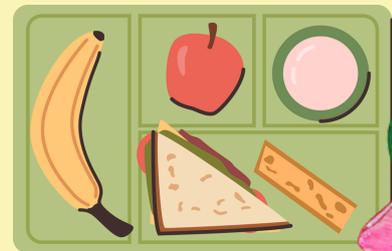
## Dinner Money

Please top up dinner money payments in advance of your child having school dinner.

The cost of school dinners is as follows:  
£2.75 per day or £13.75 per week.

If you have a query relating to dinner money payment, you can contact the finance team on:

[schooldinner@wenlockacademy.co.uk](mailto:schooldinner@wenlockacademy.co.uk)



# SUMMER



**YEAR 3S, 4S AND 5S ONLY**

# **SUMMER DISCO!**



**THURSDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> JUNE  
4:30PM - 6PM BTS**



# Sports Day



**Tuesday, the 24<sup>th</sup> June to  
Wednesday, the 25<sup>th</sup> June  
2025**

# National Thank a Teacher Day

The UK-wide celebration of all teaching and support staff is back. National Thank a Teacher Day will be celebrated on Wednesday, 18<sup>th</sup> June!

As always, we will be celebrating all the amazing teaching and support staff in our schools, from the dinner helpers to the classroom assistants and librarians. They deserve the spotlight for everything they do to keep things running smoothly.

Want to make someone's day? If you know a special teacher, dedicated support staff member, or even a whole school team, let them know how grateful you are by sending a free e-card on the [Thank a Teacher website](#).

In the lead up to National Thank a Teacher Day, keep your eyes peeled for celebrity-judged writing and baking competitions with prizes on offer! See how [parents](#), [carers](#), and [pupils](#) can join in on the celebration, for details on how to enter, and your entry could be read out by their celebrity judges.

With celebrations across the UK, get involved on social media using the hashtag #ThankaTeacherDay. There will be plenty of exciting updates ahead of the day, so don't forget to follow Thank a Teacher to hear the latest on competitions, giveaways, and celebrity shout-outs.

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We can't wait to celebrate with you!



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**THE**  
**LION KING** ©Disney



**Show Times:**

**8<sup>th</sup> July: 9:30 am & 1:30 pm**

**9<sup>th</sup> July: 1:30 pm**



# TruThfulness

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This term we will be focussing in school on the value TruThfulness. We hope your family will find these ideas helpful as you explore the value and have fun together.

## TALK TOGETHER

### about Truthfulness

'I promise to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, so help me God'

In a court of law a witness swears an oath on the Bible or another sacred text, but sometimes in everyday life people find it more difficult to be truthful.

Talk together about occasions when complete honesty could cause trouble or be hurtful. for example:

- When a member of your family asks you if you like their new shoes
- When telling the truth will get your friend into trouble
- When someone asks what you are thinking but the answer would hurt their feelings

## THINK TOGETHER

### Words of Wisdom

"To be truthful with others, you must first be truthful with yourself"

Anon



## READ TOGETHER

### A Day That Changed Everything ...

It began just as any other day.

Peter the fisherman was mending his nets as he always did.

But then Peter met Jesus. On that ordinary day his life was changed for ever.

Peter was to actually see Jesus heal people who were ill, make blind people see again, and turn 5 loaves and 2 fish into a feast for 5000!

Peter became Jesus' follower and friend. "I will do anything for you" he said to Jesus. "Just say the word!"

"One day you will tell people you never knew me" said Jesus, "and then a cock will crow."

"no" shouted Peter "never, never, never!"

sure enough, life for Jesus did become difficult - difficult and dangerous.

The day came when Jesus was on trial for his very life. he needed his friend to stand by him. But Peter said "I don't know him, I never knew him, I never saw him before."

And at the end of the day a cock crowed.....just as Jesus had said it would.

Jesus was sentenced to death and crucified, even though he had done nothing wrong.

But death could not defeat God's son! Three days later Jesus was alive again and went to find his friend, not to blame him but to forgive him.

It was a new day and Peter had another chance.

everything was different!



Bible story based on Luke 5:1-11; Luke 22:54-62; John 21:15-19



Word puzzle pieces:

- JE
- VE
- TS
- CK
- AL
- ER
- VES
- FI
- HE
- PET
- CO
- ALI
- NE
- LOA
- SH
- SUS



## HALL OF FAME

### Aung San Suu Kyi

for many years the nation of Burma was ruled by their ruthless army which refused to allow the ordinary citizens to have free elections to choose their leaders. If Burmese people spoke openly about politics they were thrown into prison or even killed. But a tiny brave woman called Aung san suu Kyi refused to be silent about the truth of what was happening in her country. she campaigned openly but peacefully in the streets and around the world for Burma to have free elections. for this the army put her under house arrest, keeping her prisoner in her own home for 20 years! Whilst under arrest she was awarded the nobel Peace Prize for being 'an outstanding example of the power of the powerless'

In 2010 Aung san suu Kyi was finally freed by the army just after free elections were held in Burma for the first time. On her release thousands of people gathered to welcome and thank her for standing for truth and democracy and helping to bring about change in Burma.



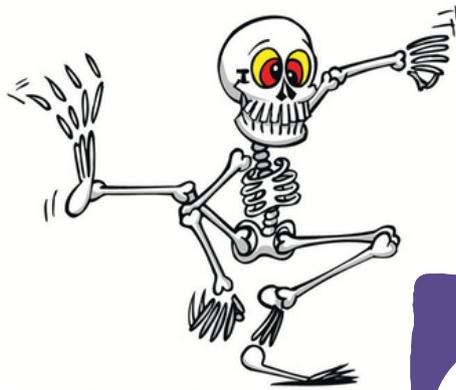
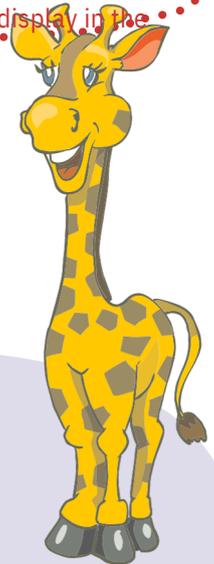
## HOME-SCHOOL CHALLENGE

### Truth be Told

If you could ask a famous person (from history or alive today) to answer a question about themselves what would it be? for example, An Olympic medal winner – have you ever been tempted to cheat? What made you decide that it was best to be honest?

Aung san suu Kyi - Was there ever a time when you felt like giving up your campaign in Burma?

Make a colourful question mark and write your question on it to take into school to display in the Gallery.



## FASCINATING FACTS... ABOUT US



The human body is probably the most complex machine on earth. But do you know what your body is made of, how it moves and how all the parts work together?

see if you can answer these questions correctly.

- Your brain is made up of - 20%, 50% or 80% water?
- Taking a step forward uses - 30, 100 or 200 muscles?
- A single blood cell takes  $\frac{1}{2}$ , 1 or 4 minutes to make a complete circuit of the body?
- An adult has 158, 206 or 278 bones in their body?
- A finger nail takes 3, 4 or 6 months to grow from base to tip?

humans and giraffes have the same number of bones in their necks.

You can't tickle yourself.

You can't keep your eyes open when you sneeze.

Overnight while you sleep you grow nearly 1 cm, but you shrink again next day.

The length from you wrist to your elbow is the same as the length of your foot.

In 30 minutes an average person gives off enough heat to bring over 2 litres of water to the boil.