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Dear Parents,

We are all so proud of how the children have settled back into the new term. To keep regularly up to date with classroom projects and activities, please remember to look at the school twitter account, which can be accessed via the webpage.

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School uniform/ appropriate winterwear

As the weather continues to get both cooler and wetter, please could you ensure that your children wear appropriate uniform and outerwear. We would urge all parents to ensure that all items of school wear are labelled.

Expensive jewellery, electronic items and smart watches

Please can you ensure that your children are not wearing expensive items of jewellery to school. Only stud earrings are permitted. Ideally, it is safer to wear no jewellery at all.

We have also noticed some pupils wearing smart watches to school. Some of these are able to record and take photographs, therefore, for safeguarding reasons they are not permitted. These are also very expensive items that we wouldn't want children to lose on site as the school's insurance would not cover their loss/ replacement.

Please be reminded that children are not permitted to bring mobile phones to school.

Blood service request for donations

We have been asked by the blood donation service to promote giving blood as blood stocks at the moment are very low. Please use the following link to book an appointment.

🩸 | The Welsh Blood Service aims to have at least days of each blood type to help patients in need across Wales.

✍️ | Can you help by giving blood?

📅 | Book today! <https://wbs.wales/NewportSchools>

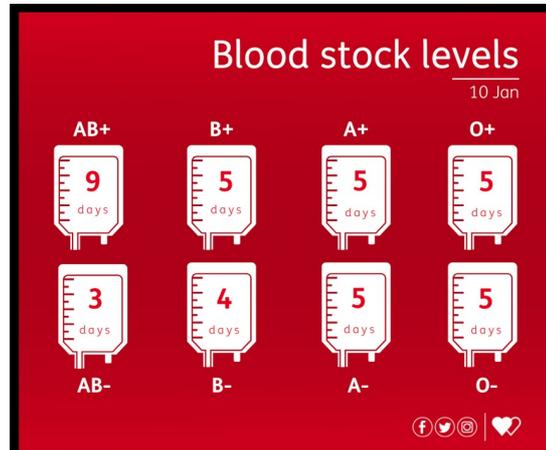


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Remaining training days

Our training day which had to be cancelled on 4th January has been reorganised for **Friday 4th March.**

Remaining training days-

Friday, 18th February

Monday, 25th April

Friday, 1st July

Jubilee Day- Friday 27th May

Parking/ Road traffic Issues

Unfortunately, the school continues to receive complaints from the community regarding dangerous driving or discourteous parking. Could you please take great care and be considerate when in the vicinity of the school at drop off and pick up times.

Self-isolation

As you are aware, there have been numerous changes and updates regarding Self-Isolation over the past few weeks. Below is a useful table to help and support you when considering the next steps regarding Self-Isolation.

<p>Student/member of staff is unwell with symptoms</p>	<p>Do not attend school Get PCR test and self-isolate If PCR is positive – self -isolate for 7 clear days from onset of COVID symptoms or test date if asymptomatic, with a LFT on day 6 & 7. If this is negative can return to school on day 8. If either of the LFTs is positive need to continue to self-isolate until 2 clear LFTs or until 10 clear days. Can return with a cough, a headache but not if they still have a temperature.</p>
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<p>Student/member of staff is unwell with positive LFT</p>	<p>Do not attend school. You don't now need a PCR. Self-isolate for 7 clear days from onset of COVID symptoms or test date if no cough, fever or anosmia, with a LFT on day 6 & 7. If this is negative can return to school on day 8. If either of the LFTs is positive, need to continue to self-isolate until 2 clear LFTs or 10 clear days. Can return with a cough, a headache but not if they still have a temperature.</p>
<p>Student/member of staff is well with positive LFT</p>	<p>Do not attend school. You don't now need a PCR. Self-isolate for 7 days, with a LFT on day 6 & 7. If this is negative can return to school on day 8. If either of the LFTs is positive, need to continue to self-isolate until 2 clear LFTs or 10 clear days from the test. Can return with a cough, a headache but not if they still have a temperature.</p>
<p>Someone in the household is positive but student/member of staff is well.</p>	<p>If aged 5-17 or a double vaccinated adult, do not need to self-isolate but should do a LFT every day until 10 days since last contact with the person who tested positive for COVID-19 or, if the case is a household contact, until their end of isolation. Any unvaccinated adults need to self-isolate for 10 days</p>

Kind Regards,
Mrs L.J. Lewis and the Marshfield Team