



Cheetah Class Newsletter

Wow! I cannot quite believe that there are now **only three school weeks left** until our wonderful Year 6 children leave Whiston Willis. The year has absolutely flown by, and we are so incredibly proud of each and every one of them. They have grown in confidence, maturity and resilience, and it has been a privilege to be part of their journey.

Next week is a very important and exciting time, as **most of the children will be attending their transition days** at their new high schools. I have now spoken to all of the high schools to ensure that everything is in place and that the children feel as supported as possible. We hope that every child has a fantastic experience, makes new friends and begins to feel excited about this next chapter.

We **cannot wait to hear all about their experiences** when they return- there will definitely be lots of stories to share!

The weather has been **incredibly hot this week**, but despite this, the children have shown fantastic resilience and determination.

They have worked incredibly hard rehearsing for their **end-of-year assembly**, and we are so impressed with their effort, enthusiasm and teamwork. **Parents... you are in for a real treat!!!!**

As the weather has been extremely hot, please ensure that your child comes to school each day with:

- Sun cream already applied
- A water bottle
- Sensible clothing

We are also asking children to remove their leavers' hoodies during the heat (we know how much they love them- it can be very hard to prise them off!). Due to the high temperatures, we have adapted our timetable slightly. We have been completing short bursts of PE and practising dance routines for our end-of-year assembly, ensuring the children stay safe and comfortable.

PSHE

This week in PSHE, we have been learning about "Changing Me", focusing on puberty, feelings, emotions and bodily changes. All children have been reminded that they should speak to a trusted adult at home or in school if they have any questions or concerns following these sessions.

Activities & Changes to Plans

Our sporting competition, which was scheduled for this week, has been **postponed until next week** due to the heat, as we did not feel it was safe for the children to be outside in direct sunlight. Next week, while many children are attending their **transition days**, those remaining in school will be helping to **prepare props and resources for the leavers' assembly**. As there is no day next week where all children will be in school together, we have decided to **move our water activities to the following week** (fingers crossed the weather stays kind!). We are planning lots of fun, including a **giant slip and slide and water activities**. More information about this will be sent home shortly by myself and Mr Wong.

Looking Ahead

There is still so much for the children to look forward to! Our exciting JUMP trip is coming up soon. All trips and activities are part of our behaviour reward system, and children are expected to meet school expectations to take part (please refer to previous correspondence)

Final Week Celebrations

We are busy planning a very special final week:

- **Wednesday 15th July** – End of Year Celebration (more details to follow)

- **Friday 17th July (morning) – Year 6 Leavers’ Assembly**

All parents are warmly invited to attend the assembly (**2 adults per child**). We would love for you to join us for this special moment. If anyone is able to support with decorations, balloons or has links to a balloon company, please do let me know-we would really appreciate your help in making the celebration extra special.

Fundraising Thanks

A big thank you to all of the children who have helped to **sell ice lollies**. The money raised is helping to fund some fantastic treats, including:

- McDonald’s on the school trip
- The ice cream van
- Inflatables
- Hot dogs, popcorn and candyfloss
- Decorations
- And hopefully even more surprises!

Children’s University

Children’s University photos were professionally taken this week and will be available to purchase soon-keep an eye out for further information.

Important Dates

- **29th & 30th June** – Rainhill High School Transition
- **30th June** – De La Salle High School Transition
- **1st July** – Prescot High School Transition
- **1st July** – PC Hazel: Fingerprint/DNA Session
- **2nd July** – St Edmund Arrowsmith High School Transition
- **2nd July** – Altrincham Grammar School for Boys Transition
- **Friday 3rd July** – **INSET Day** (School closed to pupils)
- **6th July** – World Cup School Project Football Tournament
- **7th July** – Alt Bridge Transition
- **9th July** – Alt Bridge Transition
- **Water activities**- Date to be confirmed
- **9th July** – Sports Day
- **10th July** – Year 6 Trip

As we head into the final few weeks, we are really focusing on celebrating the children’s time at primary school, building memories and enjoying these last moments together.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support- it truly means so much.

Miss Jennings