

8th September 2023

Upton Primary Newsletter

Upton upon Severn CofE Primary, Nursery and Riverboats SureStart Children's Centre, working together to support the local community



Our School Vision is to offer inspiration to young lives 'Anything is possible, we can all succeed'

Providing enriching experiences to foster aspiration 'To inspire ... To aspire'

I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me (Philippians 4:13)

BIBLE QUOTE

Galatians 6:5 - For every man shall bear his own burden.

WELCOME BACK



A warm welcome to all of our children and staff at the start of a very exciting new term. It was wonderful to greet everyone in the playground on the first day and it was a calm and serene start to the term. We were all incredibly impressed by how the children lined up and confidently entered their classrooms. The weather has been another plus point for us. It has been surprisingly warm in our first few days in school and we appreciate all the efforts at home to kit children out with suncream, sunhats and a large water bottle. In turn, at school we have been making use of shade and calm and drinking water to keep cool.

Children's attendance in school is vital and the first few days of term are critical in setting the education development for the year. When it is sunny it is a safe place to be ensuring they have very limited time exposed to the intense heat and are joining their friends in their learning journey.

This term our value is responsibility and the term started off with some spectacular moves from children and staff in the hall to the turntable classic, Rick Astley's 'Never Going to Give You Up'. Aside from being an uplifting tune, it served as a strong reminder that, 'Anything is possible, we can all succeed' and that staff walk this path with our children: they will never give up and strive to inspire so our children can aspire.

We have ended the week with Year 6 going bell boating, demonstrating the team input as they experience the tranquillity of the beautiful river Severn.













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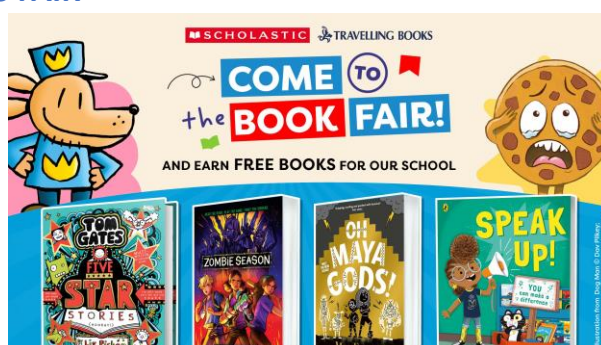


I have really enjoyed my first few days here at Upton. The children and staff have been so welcoming. I have been a teacher for nearly twenty years, working in different countries and with a range of ages. Before qualifying as a teacher, I worked as a project manager but have always enjoyed working with children. For many years, I have had a particular interest in every child accessing learning which led me to work with children with barriers to their learning.

My husband and I have two children, Noah aged 11 and Anika aged 8, a dog called Biscuit and a cat called Penguin. As a family, we enjoy the beautiful area we live in and can be found taking Biscuit for long walks and cycling in the woods.

I am taking time to meet and observe your children and will make contact with many of you in the near future.

SCHOLASTICS BOOKS FAIR



We are looking forward to welcoming the scholastic book fair to school from Thursday 21st September to Thursday 28th September. The books will be available to view every day from 8.30am to 9.00am and 2.50pm to 3.40pm. There will be books suitable for all of our children.

Payment is all electronic and books will be delivered shortly after the book fair closes on 28th September.

TRANSFERRING TO SECONDARY SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER 2024



- If you live in Worcestershire and
- Your child is in their final year at Primary School

You need to apply for a school place by 31 October 2023.

For more information and to apply, visit:

www.worcestershire.gov.uk/schooladmissions

Visit your local library to use a computer and apply for free.

Or call the Worcestershire Hub on 01905 822 700.

Find out more online:
www.worcestershire.gov.uk/schooladmissions

WORCESTERSHIRE
CHILDREN FIRST





Open Evening – Wednesday 4th October 2023. Tours from 6.00pm. The Head, Mark Stow, will speak at 7.30pm. No need to book a place - last conducted tours 6.45pm. Open Mornings – 4th and 5th October 2023. Tours start at 9.15am. Please contact the school office to book a place stating the date you would prefer, your current primary school and number in party.

email: tours@hanleycastlehs.org.uk

RGS WORCESTER

OPEN DAY INVITATION

We invite you to visit RGS Worcester to discover how we prepare pupils for life, and learn about the incredible opportunities that we can offer your child.

Saturday 23 September 2023

To book an appointment please visit www.rgs.wor.org.uk

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Accreditation logos: OFSTED 'Good' and Quality Standard 'Excellent'.

Colwall and Malvern Hockey Club

Training at Malvern College Astro turf Pitches

Tuesday and Wednesday evenings .

Year 2 and above, Men and Women of all Ability

Walking Hockey.

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