

Wellesley Primary School

Sing Up

As a school we are working very hard to gain our first national 'Sing Up' award. Awards are made to schools who regularly organise sessions throughout the school day for children to take part in singing activities. As part of this process we have decided to take part in the National 'Sing Up' Day which is taking place on 9th February. Children in Key Stage 1 will be learning a number of songs with actions during the day which they will then be performing in a special concert at the end of the day. Parents in Key Stage 1 will be invited to join their children for this (further details to follow). Children in Key Stage 2 have been set the task of collecting as many different types of songs as possible and then sharing them with their class. At lunchtime all of the classes will be involved in a special 'Sing Up' lunch.

Parents are able to access many of the 'Sing Up' resources at home from their website www.singup.org

Inter-house Competition

We held our first inter-house competition this week. Children in Key Stage 1 had to identify as many instruments as they could from a number of pieces of music which were played to them. Children from Key Stage 2 were played a number of pieces of music which they had to put into chronological order depending on the age of each piece. The children were awarded points for their house for each answer they got right. We would like to congratulate all of the children in Rowan House who were the eventual winners. We would like to thank Miss Jackson for taking the time to organise this event for us.

Year 1 & 2 Lunch Invite

This is a reminder that we have invited all Year 1 and Year 2 parents to join their children for lunch next Thursday (3rd February). Letters inviting parents to lunch have already been circulated. We are hoping to invite parents from other year groups later on in the year.

Diary Dates

Friday 18th February Last day term

Monday 21st – Friday 25th February Half Term

Monday 28th February INSET

Tuesday 1st March Children arrive back

Friday 4th March open afternoon 2.15 – 3.15

Tuesday 8th March Parents' evening

Wednesday 9th March Parents' evening

Wednesday 30th March Yr 5 London

Thursday 31st March Yr 5 London

Friday 8th April Last Day Term

Tuesday 26th April Children arrive back

PE

Due to the cold weather at the moment we would like to remind parents to provide warm clothing for their children to take part in outside games lessons. Ideally children should have a warm sweatshirt and some leggings or tracksuit bottoms to wear over their shorts and T-shirt. Children should also have a pair of outside trainers to wear. Due to the importance placed on children taking part in regular physical activity sessions and the fact that we may not have very many dry days this term children may be asked to take part in lessons during times when it is raining lightly. We would therefore ask that all children bring a change of socks to change into after the lesson has finished.