### Friday 10th May 2019

## Class 2

Mr Griggs has now been back at Whitemoor for three weeks and will continue to teach Class 2 alongside Mrs Hunkin (Supply Teacher) and Mrs Hooper.

If you have any questions, please do speak to the office to make an appointment to see Mr Griggs or Mrs Hooper.

# **Safeguarding**

## **Our DSL's**

We would like to make you aware that Mr Gray has recently completed his 'Level 3 Working Together to Safeguard Children'.



This now means Mr Gray is our Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead for Whitemoor Academy.

Mrs Hooper will also continue to be our Designated Safeguarding Lead for the school.

# 2019 National curriculum tests at the end of Key Stage 1 and 2

As you are probably already aware, our Year 2 and Year 6 pupils will soon sit national curriculum tests (commonly known as SATs).

The purpose of the tests are to measure your child's performance and progress and help teachers identify any additional support your child may need.

We would like to wish all of our children the best of luck with all these tests.

They have all shown amazing resilience in the lead up and we are sure that they will all do their very best.

Please can we ask that our Year 6 children all arrive to school on time next week. Please also encourage them to eat a good breakfast and a have good night's sleep as this really makes a difference with their concentration.

Thank you

#### **WAFA UPDATE**

Thank you to all those that came along to the AGM on Friday and offered to help. For those that couldn't make it...it's not too late!

The more helpers, the less work and it really isn't a big commitment. We hold 4 main events each academic year: the summer fayre, Halloween disco, Christmas fayre and Easter egg hunt. Just those 4 things raise over £1000 a year so come and see one of us if you think you can help.

The new committee members are:

**Chair: Kate Newton** 

**Treasurer: Natasha Trethewey** 

**Secretary: Holly Hocking** 

**Committee: Amy Sergison** 

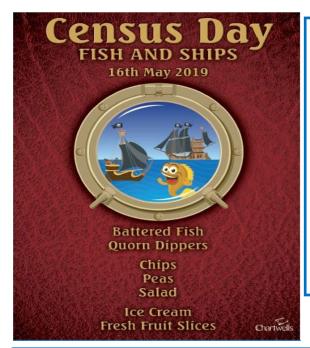
We would also like to say a massive thank you to Sam Lee and Janet Giles for all their hard work and commitment over the last year. All of their efforts are much appreciated.

Just a quick reminder about <u>easyfundraising.</u> If you don't do it yet, please sign up. It's a simple way to raise money for the school but it doesn't cost you anything! Just click on the link below and follow the instructions. Every time you shop online you could be helping to bring in more money.

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/whitemooracademyfa/

This year we only made £45 ,whereas it has previously been as much as £600.

Thank you!



#### **Social Media**

For all our parents, please be aware that we have a Facebook page and a Twitter account. Please follow us for up to date news. Search **Whitemoor Academy** or follow us on Twitter on **@Whitemooracad** 





### **Calendar Dates**

~Monday 13th-Friday 17th May ~ SAT's week for Year 6 ~Wednesday 22nd May~ @2:30pm Open Afternoon & Class 1 Butterfly release party.

**~Friday 24th May~** Tempest ~ Class Photographs.

~Monday 27th May~ May Half Term

\*Return to school on Monday 3rd June.\*

**~Tuesday 4th June~** KS2 Swimming Starts (every Tuesday)

~Friday 7th June~ Inset Day

**Friday 21st June~** Year 3's Minack Theatre Trip.

## Dates for 2019

School will be closed on these days.

\*\*Friday 7th June 2019\*\*

Please note the inset days have now been set for the next academic year.

These will be on:

Wednesday 4th September 2019
Friday 20th December 2019
Monday 6th January 2020
Friday 14th February 2020
Friday 5th June 2020