Western Hive

End of Year Newsletter

Summer Term 2023

Another wonderful year at the Hive

We are at the end of another wonderful year in the Hive. The children and staff have enjoyed a busy year and are very much looking forward to the next one. We would like to pass on some important changes to the Hive as we go forward into our third year. The regular Hive team will be around and about the Hive. We will send out a newsletter in September to introduce the team and provide further details about the upcoming year.

Changes to the Hive

Due to an increase in demand for the Hive we will be setting up a third room. Breakfast club will remain the same; all nursery children, Reception and Year 1 will remain in the Purple Room. The Canteen will remain as the base for older children (Years 2-6).

All nursery and Preschool children will be based daily in the Purple Room.

Reception children on Mondays and Fridays will be in Purple Room and on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays will be based in the Reception classroom.

Years 1 and 2 will be based in the Year 2 classroom Monday to Thursday and will be in the canteen on a Friday.

We will display this information on the notice board by the internal gate in September as a reminder.



A hive of activity, adventure and fun before and after school every day



Feedback

We are receiving some great feedback from the children and our families. We have regular conversations with our children about things they would like to do as this is their club. We are also happy to receive feedback from our families too.

Email:hive@wes.rklt.co.uk

Contact us:

If you need to contact the Hive after school, we have a direct line where you can speak to a member of staff.

The phone number is: 01423502737 then dial 5 for the Hive!

Changes to the Food Provision at the Hive

Our snack for the Hive will now be prepared in our main school kitchen by one of our catering staff. The menu has been created by our catering providers, Hutchinson. We will continue to cater for dietary requirements as we have done before and will send a copy of the menu in the September newsletter.

A Busy Year

The children have been busy this year doing lots of activities. Our KS2 Hive have particularly enjoyed being outdoors and playing team sports games. They have also enjoyed learning to sew and knit and be creative. Our Early Years/KS1 Hive have also enjoyed being outdoors and have loved getting creative with loose parts play. The children particularly enjoyed our 'Dark Night' adventure and we will do this again. We had the Conker Olympics and our evening challenges, all of which the children have thoroughly enjoyed.

We would like to wish you all a lovely Summer break and look forward to seeing everyone back at the Hive in September.

For enquiries regarding booking Please email office@wes.rklt.co.uk

For enquiries regarding sessions or to pass on information to Hive leaders please email: hive@wes.rklt.co.uk

A polite reminder that once sessions are booked, parents and carers will not be able to change their sessions for that half term. We have to carefully plan staffing and meet child:adult ratios for the Hive and cannot make sudden changes to staff contracts.

We thank you for your co-operation and support with this.

Mrs Magill

Deputy Headteacher

