

# Westhaven Weekly Newsletter

Friday 17 January 2025



## Our vision

Valued – Inspired – Prepared

## Our values

We shape our learners to be:

Safely independent – Respectful citizens

Inquisitive thinkers – Confident communicators – Resilient learners

Good Afternoon everyone, I do hope that at least some of you are still finding the time to read this weekly correspondence and finding it useful. I remind you that we are trying to communicate much more through the Class Dojo App, so this newsletter really is just my Headteacher blog, and a list of key dates and information.

That being said, feedback is always gratefully received. If you would prefer alternative or additional forms of communication, please do let me know. I will send my parent/carer survey out in the summer term.

It has been another busy and productive week at Westhaven. You will probably be aware that the Ofsted report was released officially and that we featured in the local press with an article published in the Weston Mercury. If you haven't read it yet, please do check it out!

The school choir treated the residents at Weston Hospice to a performance yesterday. Unfortunately, the planned visit before Christmas was postponed, but they all loved crossing the road to sing to our neighbours. Well done to all and thanks to the staff that accompanied them.

Have a wonderful weekend, whatever you have planned.



**Jamie Peacock**  
Headteacher

**Diary Dates:**

Tuesday 21 January 2025	Parents' Evening - further details to follow
Friday 14 February 2025	Valentine's Disco (during school time)

**North Somerset Term Dates - 2024/2025:**

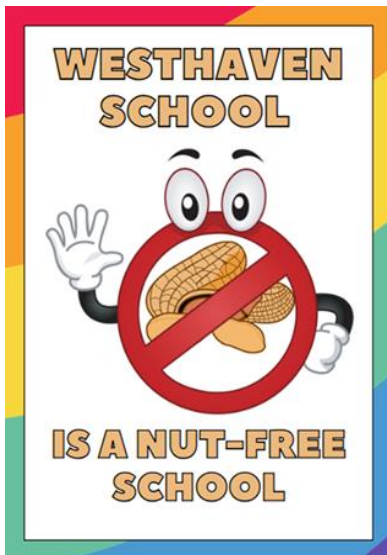
Term 3	Monday 06 January 2025 to Friday 14 February 2025
Term 4	Monday 24 February 2025 to Friday 04 April 2025
Term 5	Tuesday 22 April 2025 to Friday 23 May 2025
Term 6	Monday 02 June 2025 to Tuesday 22 July 2025

**Bank Holidays (school closed to all pupils) - 2024/2025:**

May Day Bank Holiday	Monday 05 May 2025
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**Westhaven INSET Days (school closed to all learners) - 2024/25:**

- Monday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2025
- Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2025



We have some learners in our school who have nut allergies. *Anaphylaxis (allergic reaction)* can occur as a result of digestion, inhalation or any other contact with nut-based products. For their safety, please can we request that you do not send your child into school with any nut-based products for packed lunches, break time snacks or for any other occasion. This includes products that may contain traces of nuts. With very many thanks for your understanding and cooperation.

# Time Out For Parents



## Handling Anger in the Family

Sessions for anyone parenting children  
aged 5 to 16

**Toddler Tantrums**    **Teen Troubles**  
**Bedtime Battles**    **Family Flashpoints**  
**Mealtime Meltdowns**    **Hangry Homework**

This tried & tested course will equip  
you with ideas and strategies to  
bring harmony into your family!

### Date

Mondays 12.30pm – 2.30pm  
20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> January, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> February 2025

### Venue

Locking Castle Church  
Jasmine Way, Locking Castle  
Weston Super Mare, BS24 7JW

### Booking and Info

Contact Cathy Bond  
Mobile 07875 442139  
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 **positiveparenting**

Common sense, jargon-free information and ideas to help  
you to engage with your children and boost your relationship

