Westhaven Weekly Newsletter

Friday 5 September 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 to you all, and a very warm welcome to all of our new parents, carers, and families receiving their first weekly newsletter from me. I hope you have all had the most fabulous summer break and enjoyed the wonderful weather.

For those of you who are new, this weekly newsletter is usually kept very brief, with a round-up of highlights that have happened at school during the week, and a reminder of key dates for your diaries. Most other communication will be via the Class Dojo App, so if you haven't already done so, I would strongly recommend that you download it.

It has been a really positive start to the term, with the first two days going very smoothly, the learners have begun to settle into their new classes, and everyone is getting used to the new class names!

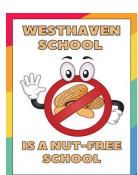
Please make note of the important dates for your diaries below. Have a fantastic weekend, whatever you have planned.



Jamie Peacock Headteacher

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.



Dates for your diary

Thurs 11 Sep 2025	Tulip Photography in to take learner/staff photographs
Mon 15 Sep 2025	Deadline for flu vaccination consent
Thurs 18 Sep 2025	Flu vaccinations in school
Wed 01 Oct 2025	'Meet the Tutor' - 3.10 pm - 6.10 pm (further details to follow)
Friday 24 Oct 2025	Break up - End of Term 1

North Somerset Term Dates - 2025/2026:

Term 1	Tuesday 02 September 2025 - Friday 24 October 2025
Term 2	Monday 03 November 2025 - Friday 19 December 2025
Term 3	Monday 05 January 2026 - Friday 13 February 2026
Term 4	Monday 23 February 2026 - Thursday 02 April 2026
Term 5	Monday 20 April 2026 - Friday 22 May 2026
Term 6	Monday 01 June 2026 - Wednesday 22 July 2026

Bank Holidays (school closed to all pupils) - 2025/2026:

May Day Bank Holiday Monday 04 May 2026

Westhaven INSET Days (school closed to all learners) - 2025/26:

- Tuesday 2nd September 2025
- Wednesday 3rd September 2025
- Friday 14th November 2025
- Monday 5th January 2026
- Friday 1st May 2026
- Wednesday 22nd July 2026