



Week Beginning

06/03/2026

Dates for your diary

Walsall School Term dates

Half term holiday:

Monday 16 February 2026 to Friday 20 February 2026

Class Assemblies

<u>11th Feb</u>	<u>4th Mar</u>	<u>11 Mar</u>	<u>18th Mar</u>	<u>25th Mar</u>	<u>22nd Apr</u>
Year 2	Year 6	Year 3	Year 1	Year 4	Year 2

Upcoming Events

02/03/2026- Mayors Parlour Visit
05/03/2026 - World Book Day
19/03/2026 - Comic Relief - Non Uniform Donation
19/03/2026 - Y4 Parent Workshop

20/03/2026 - World Poetry Day - Pep The Poet!
25/04/2026 - Easter Bonnet Parade (details sent out)

Attendance

It is important that your child attends school everyday that the school is open unless they are unwell or for unforeseen circumstances. Taking children out of schools for holidays will not be authorised and therefore could result in a fine. Please remember that taking a child out of school can have an impact on their learning for the time that they are off and they can miss key concepts to learning. Not only can it impact academically but it can also have an effect on their social skills and confidence too.

Reception	92.1	Academic Year Attendance Ladder
Year One	94	
Year Two	98.6	
Year Three	98.1	
Year Four	90	
Year Five	93.7	
Year Six	96	

Well Done Year 2 !!!



PE Champions



Each week, one pupil from each class will get to bring home their class PE Champion trophy! This will be a pupil who has shown resilience, dedication and hard work during their PE sessions. Can we ask that the trophy is returned the following week, ready to be awarded to the next pupil.

<u>Nursery</u>	Regie, for always giving everything a go and for having an 'I can' attitude.
<u>Reception</u>	Oliver C - for excellent circus skills. I am sure you will be able to juggle soon!
<u>Year 1</u>	Ettie-Rose - for demonstrating her amazing dodging skills!
<u>Year 2</u>	Isabelle - for amazing observations when watching others and then being able to apply these skills when throwing and receiving a ball.
<u>Year 3</u>	No PE due to a school trip.
<u>Year 4</u>	Alfie for having a mature attitude toward the games played!
<u>Year 5</u>	There was no PE lesson this week for Y5.
<u>Year 6</u>	Keemaya for massive dedication to both the attacking and defending in her game.

After School Dance - Premier Dance Company

A special well done to our ★ **Star of the Week** ★ – we are so proud of you! Keep up the fantastic work!

Parents of children in the dance club - We would like to invite you into the last session of After School Dance so the children can perform for you what they have learnt over the past several weeks.

On **Wednesday 25th March** please join us at **4.10pm** for the children performance



Walsall FC Competition



Walsall FC Foundation is running a **World Book Day 2026 competition** where children can win a signed Walsall FC bundle and a selection of books for their school.  Facebook +1

Competition Details:

- **Task:** Draw a picture of your favorite book character and write a sentence explaining why they are your favorite.
- **How to Enter:** Send your entry to billy.cartwright@walsallfcfoundation.co.uk.
- **Closing Date:** March 12, 2026.



WEST MIDLANDS POLICE GUIDANCE: E-SCOTERS



Privately owned e-scooters are illegal to use on public roads, pavements, parks, cycle lanes, and any other public spaces. They are legally classified as *motor vehicles* under the Road Traffic Act 1988, meaning they require a driving licence and insurance—neither of which is available for privately owned e-scooters. As a result, **children riding private e-scooters in public are doing so unlawfully**, and the vehicles can be seized under Section 165 of the Act.

The only lawful use of e-scooters in public places is through **approved rental trial schemes**, which require riders to be at least 18 and hold a valid driving licence—making them **inappropriate and inaccessible for school-aged children**.

Safety Concerns

Police and safety services report a growing number of collisions involving e-scooters, with some resulting in serious injury. West Midlands Police highlight that if a rider causes harm to others, incidents are investigated in the same way as collisions involving cars or motorcycles.

In addition, West Midlands Fire Service and national road safety bodies emphasise the following risks:

- Lack of protective equipment (many children ride without helmets or pads)
- Use on unsuitable surfaces and in busy pedestrian areas
- Rising reports of children riding without insurance and in unsafe conditions, contributing to increased enforcement concerns nationally



SAFETY CONCERNS



World Book Day

On Thursday 5th March, we all came to school either in costume or in our pyjamas to celebrate the importance of books. We designed book covers, made book marks and read some of our favourite stories. It was lovely to see so many amazing costumes! Thank you to all of our parents and carers for helping to make the day so special!





Teddy Bear Raffle

Several parents have donated this bear to raise money for the Year Six prom in the summer.

We are raffling the bear off for £1 a ticket.

Please can you get any money to Mr Ellison and he will give the children the tickets.

A big thanks to those who have donated this wonderful prize!



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HOLIDAY CLUBS

EASTER

2026

ARTS & CRAFTS

SPORTS

HOT MEALS

TRIPS

WHEN: MON-THU 30TH-2ND APRIL

TIME: 10AM TO 2PM

WHERE: Saint John's Methodist Church and Centre

Walsall, WS3 3HS AGES: 5-16

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