



Friday 3rd November 2023

Parent Bulletin

ACTION REQUIRED: Home/School Agreement 2023

- ◆ Please read carefully the [Home/School Agreement](#) on the school website under Statutory / Statutory Policies and confirm you have read, understood and consent through **Arbor > View student Profile > Consents**. This can also be found under your **Notices**.
- ◆ **We are still missing consent from 87 parents.**

Parental Drop off

- ◆ Please be reminded that you need to hand over your child to class staff. Please wait with your child until a staff member is available.

The Hertford and Ware Flyer

- ◆ Please click on the following link for [The Hertford and Ware Flyer November Issue](#). Our Harvest Festival report is on page 14.

Remembrance Day

- ◆ Commemorative poppy items will be available at school next week.
- ◆ If you wish for your child to choose an item, please send your donation into school in an envelope (marked 'Remembrance Day' with your child's name).
- ◆ Donations should be sent in before *Friday 10th November*.



Website

- ◆ Our website is updated regularly. Please click on the following link <https://amwell.herts.sch.uk/> to take a look at the new videos, virtual tour and latest news.

Communication

- ◆ **Absences:** Please call or email the school office in the morning. Please do not send messages via transport. We need to hear from you directly. If we have not heard from you once the morning registers have closed at 9:35am, parents and carers will receive an automated Attendance Follow Up email and/or SMS notification from us via the Attendance Champion on Arbor. Your child will be marked as an unauthorised absence if we do not hear from you.
- ◆ **Arbor:** Please log in to Arbor regularly or download the Arbor app to keep updated. Please click on the following link for: [A quick introduction to Arbor for guardians and parents](#)
- ◆ **Friday Parent Bulletins:** Please read these parent bulletins every week, they are sent out every Friday in term time. Please view via the link sent on Arbor's in app message, email or on our website: <https://amwell.herts.sch.uk/news-dates/friday-bulletins>
- ◆ **Newsletters** are sent out on the last day of each term. <https://amwell.herts.sch.uk/news-events/newsletters>
- ◆ **Payments:** School meals account, clubs and other activities should all be paid for via Arbor.

Award winning parent courses fully funded by Targeted Parenting Fund from Families in Focus

- ◆ Please click on the following link if you are interested in Families in Focus courses. [Parent Information Corner](#)

Autumn Term Dates 2023

- ◆ **Fri 10th Nov** Lower School Remembrance Service 9.30-10.00am
- ◆ **Fri 10th Nov** Upper School Remembrance Service 10.15-10.45am
- ◆ **Wed 6th Dec** Christmas Carols 6-7pm (Invite to follow)
- ◆ **Wed 13th Dec** Christmas Lunch, Father Christmas & Christmas Jumper Day
- ◆ **Mon 18th Dec** Christmas Parties and Disco
- ◆ **Tues 19th Dec** Lower School Christmas Service 9.30-10.00am
- ◆ **Tues 19th Dec** Upper School Christmas Service 10.15-10.45am
- ◆ **Wed 20th Dec** 1.30pm Pupils break up—End of the Autumn term

Spring Term Dates 2024

- ◆ **Thurs 4th Jan** School opens to pupils—Spring Term
- ◆ **Wed 10th Jan** Class 8 Achievement Assembly
- ◆ **Wed 17th Jan** Community Class Achievement Assembly
- ◆ **Wed 24th Jan** Class 7 Achievement Assembly
- ◆ **Wed 31st Jan** Students 2 Achievement Assembly
- ◆ All further term dates can be found on our website <https://amwell.herts.sch.uk/calendar>