

# Wendover Church of England Junior School

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## Welcome

Welcome to all our new parents and children and welcome back to everyone else. It was lovely to see the children pouring through the gate on Monday morning, smiling and looking smart, eager to start the autumn term. Even better was that they were still smiling at the end of the day! To make sure our children can exit the school safely at the end of the day, we do ask that parents/carers stand at the side of our waiting area and leave a clear path down the middle of the pavement. We look forward to seeing you in school this term.

## Values

Our first value of this new academic year is Reflection. We have thought about new beginnings, the opportunities we have this year to try different things and how we will continue to improve.

## School Development

Thank you to everyone who returned their parent survey last term. The response was very positive and we are acting on the feedback received to further improve our school. We are currently reviewing our provision for Extended Learning, particularly in maths, and you will receive more details about the improved provision shortly.

Following our inspection in July, Ofsted have released the draft report for checking. We are very pleased with the draft and eagerly await the final report. We hope that this will be on the Ofsted website very shortly.

## School Photos

The children had their individual photos taken on Tuesday and proofs were sent home on Wednesday. Please return all orders to school by 3.30pm on Thursday 15 September. If you miss our cut-off date, please send your order direct to Tempest (instructions on proof).

## School Uniform

We already have a number of jumpers and cardigans in lost property without names! Please ensure all your child's belongings are clearly named to allow them to be returned to their owner when they are misplaced.

## A Message from Premier Sports

We are having a push this year for parents to book our activity sessions online. If you would like to book your child into one of our clubs, please visit:

<http://sport.premier-education.com/courses-and-clubs/search/venue/wendover-youth-centre/id/17247> (for fencing and archery clubs held at the Youth Centre)

<http://sport.premier-education.com/courses-and-clubs/search/venue/wendover-cofe-junior-school/id/12019> (for gymnastics club run in the school hall)

## Letters Sent Home This Week

Swimming block (Y6)

Photo proofs (whole school)

## Reminders

Y6 residential meeting on Monday 19/9, 6pm; deposit £40 due by Friday 16/9

## Diary Dates

13 September	Secondary Transfer Preparation Test (am)
13 September	Y6 PSHE workshops (pm)
15 September	Secondary Transfer Test (am)
15 September	Y5 PSHE workshops (am)
15 September	Y6 PSHE workshops (pm)
19 September	Y6 PGL meeting, 6pm
3/4/5 October	Y6 IMPS (first aid) training workshops
6 October	Y3 flu vaccinations
21 October	Hot dog day
21 October	Y3/Y5 e-safety workshops
21 October	Close for half term



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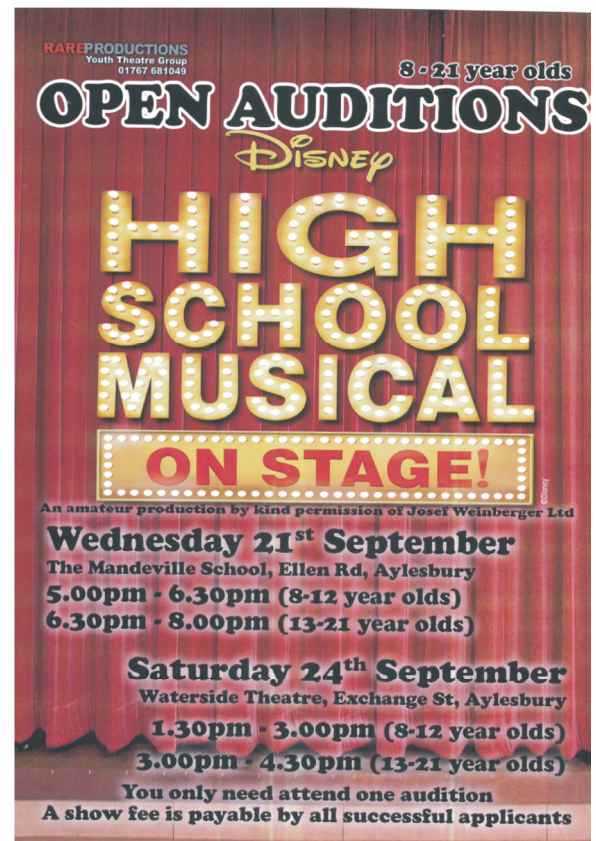
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**Application  
deadline  
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If you cannot apply online, ask your child's  
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**Disney**

**HIGH  
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MUSICAL**

**ON STAGE!**

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**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September**  
The Mandeville School, Ellen Rd, Aylesbury  
**5.00pm - 6.30pm (8-12 year olds)**  
**6.30pm - 8.00pm (13-21 year olds)**

**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September**  
Waterside Theatre, Exchange St, Aylesbury  
**1.30pm - 3.00pm (8-12 year olds)**  
**3.00pm - 4.30pm (13-21 year olds)**

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