



NEWS FLASH

Friday 18th March 2022

COMIC RELIEF

This week has been so exciting at Worpleston School, our fundraising efforts have been incredibly successful and we are delighted to say that we have raised £982 for Comic Relief so far! We are so proud of our school community and our School Council for driving this forward. A huge “Thank You” to everyone who supported us in any of the following ways:

- Baking and buying cakes for the cake sale.
- Building a Habitat for their Red Noses.
- Coming in Red Nose Mufti.
- Donated on our JustGiving Page.



It was an incredibly hard decision that School Council had to make and we were overwhelmed by all the brilliant habitats that the children brought in. A huge “Well Done” to all our worthy winners.

We are so proud of our community response and the children continue to live by our school values and make us incredibly proud.

<https://www.justgiving.com/Radhika-Woodruff>



And the winners are...



YEAR 6 FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

I would like to congratulate our Year 6 Football team for their outstanding performance at the Weyfield Football Tournament yesterday. 12 teams took part in total and Worplesdon managed to win all 5 of their games, scoring 17 goals and not conceding any!

Everyone showed great resilience, teamwork, sportsmanship and positivity. We are so incredibly proud to have such passionate athletes at our school. A big thank you to Luke and Dan for their expert coaching and training sessions. **CHAMPIONS!**



REMINDER



Please can we remind you that we are a nut free school and promote a healthy, well balanced diet. If your child(ren) bring in a packed lunch please make sure it does not have anything that contains nuts in it. Please also avoid sending your children in with chocolate bars or packets of sweets (a chocolate covered biscuit is fine). Thank you.



Dear Parent / Guardian,

Our school are assisting Surrey County Council's Safer Travel Team to undertake research with parents on pupils' types of travel to and from school. This follows the huge success that the previous survey had, with over 13,000 parents and guardians completing the survey.

As a direct result the county council are considering additional investment in walking and cycling measures outside schools to make walking and cycling and scooting to school easier and safer.

In response to the survey The Safer Travel Team are launching a new Walking Training programme in June 2022 for Year 3 pupils across Surrey's primary schools. This will be delivered by a team of trained Walking Instructors and the course will be taught through a series of in-class and on-road practical training modules.

By offering this new programme at Year 3, it blends with other initiatives such as Cycle Training (Bikeability level 1 and 2). The training course will provide pupils with the necessary foundational road safety skills to better enable them to safely walk to and from school with their parents and carers, preparing them for safe, independent travel in the future. If you would like to find out more, please email safetravelteam@surreycc.gov.uk

The objective of the research is to develop a better understanding of the different types of travel, how frequently they're used, why that type is used.

Once the Safer Travel Team have collected and analysed this information provided by parents, their goal is to obtain a better understanding of journeys to school, so they can continue encouraging safer and more active travel to school for all children in Surrey.

Please could I ask that you review and complete the survey using the link below. The deadline for completion of the survey is **11.59pm on 21st March 2022** and the survey should be completed for each child that attends our school. If you have another child which attends a separate secondary school, please complete another survey which will be coming out shortly.

[Primary School Travel Survey 2022 - Surrey County Council - Citizen Space \(surreysays.co.uk\)](https://surreysays.co.uk)

Thank you for continuing to support our school to improve pupils' journeys to school.

Kind regards,
Safer Travel Team
Surrey County Council