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Thank you

We would like to say thank you to our wonderful children of Wellgate for all their hard work and enthusiasm since returning to school in September. They have settled back into the routines, learning and school life in a mature and sensible way which has been fabulous to see. It is also super to be more 'back to normal' than we have in a long time and we have really enjoyed providing a variety of After School Clubs for the children to take part in.

Communication

The new phone system is up and running and working well. However, please can we remind you that only absence information should be left on the absence line option. Any messages, questions or queries should be made by contacting the school office either by phone call or emailing the school email address.

Health and Safety

As we have settled back into school, we will be continuing to carry out practise evacuations. Therefore, your child may come home and share that there has been a fire drill, a lockdown or a silent evacuation; it is all part of the procedures to ensure we are keeping the children and staff of Wellgate safe. The children are so sensible during such practices and we are super proud of them.

Sporting Events

This half term Years 4, 5 and 6 have taken part in an inter school cross country event. The weather was against us but we are super proud of all the children who took part. We are pleased to announce the final scores for the event:

Year Group	1st Place	2nd Place	3rd Place	4th Place
Year 6	Wellgate A	Kexborough	Wellgate B	Athersley South
Year 5	Kexborough	Wellgate B	Athersley South	Wellgate A
Year 4	Wellgate	Kexborough	Athersley South	

Diary Dates

Please see the events below that are planned for the remainder of this half term.

Our Facebook page is an excellent way to see Wellgate's learning in action, keep updated on school events and find out about any changes that occur. **Please remember to check out these posts before sending a message, as the information you require may already be on there.**

Autumn Term 2022 (1A)	
Thursday 13 th October	Autumn Discos
Monday 17 th October	Flu Vaccinations FS2 – Y6 – Parents and Carers need to have completed the online consent form that has been sent earlier this week by mid-day on Friday 14.10.2022
Thursday 20 th October	6AW/ST Class Assembly - Parents and Carers welcome from 8:50am – KS2 Hall
Thursday 20 th October	School closes at 4:00pm
Friday 21 st October	INSET – No school for children
Monday 24 th – Friday 28 th October	Half Term
Monday 31 st October	INSET – No school for children
Tuesday 1 st November	Children return to school

Thank you for your continued support. We wish you all a happy half term holiday when it arrives.

Kind Regards,

C. M. Egginton

Cathryn Egginton – Headteacher & Team Wellgate