The Newsletter for Whimple Primary School

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It has been lovely to see the sunshine again but I think we are glad it is a bit cooler today. Many of our children, (and adults), have been tired and irritable this week due to restless nights and lack of sleep. Hopefully, with reduced night time temperatures we can all go to bed a little earlier and get back on track again.

As I am sure you are aware from the media, the cases of Covid-19 have increased significantly in many areas. East Devon is still maintaining a low case record, however, I do know of local schools and nurseries having to isolate bubbles in the past week. Whilst I do not want to scaremonger, as we have come so far, we just need to remember to do all we can to help reduce transmission, particular as the new variant is deemed to be more transmissible outdoors. It would seems this new variant displays more traditional flu like symptoms which occur a few days after infection. We would recommend that if you are unsure - get tested.

Transition days for our year 6 pupil and our incoming Reception children have been cancelled so our bubbles in school are not compromised. The school summer fair has also been cancelled for this term.

School Trips

Hooray! School trips can still continue as planned. Letters will come home with your child today. Please return the consent slip and SOE3 form as soon as you can to the school office.



July 2021	
Friday 2nd July	Sports Day - children only
Week commencing 12th	July Year 6 residential
Monday 12th July	Elm School Trip
Friday 16th July	Year 4 and 5 School Trip
Monday 19th July	Ash and Year 3 school trip
Monday 19th July	Musical performance for KS2
Friday 23rd July	Last day of term 3.30pm finish
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