

WOOLSTON INFANT SCHOOL

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28th February 2024

Issue No 21

March

1 st	MHST Coffee Morning 9am
4 th	Year 1 Manor Farm Trip
6 th	Governor's meeting
7 th	World Book Day
7 th	Re:Minds Coffee Morning 9.15am
8 th	INSET DAY – school closed for pupils
11 th	Parents Evening
12 th	Parents Evening
25 th	Phonics Screening Check Parent Workshop
	2.40pm
27 th	Year 1 Victorian Dress up day

It seems like we have been back longer than a week, however, there seems to be lighter and longer days on the horizon. Hopefully with drier weather the children will be able to access the pirate ship and climbing frame at break times.

The children have settled back well and are fully into the swing of school life. It has been lovely to have had so many children sent to me proud of the work they are producing. I've had to order more 'Golden stickers' to keep up with the current demand.

There are lots of events over the next few weeks. Next week we have World Book Day on the 7th followed by an Inset Day on the 8th. We then look forward to parents evening on March 11th and 12th. If you haven't already booked an appointment, please log on to Scopay to do this as soon as possible. It will be great to share your child's learning with you.

Simon Arthur Headteacher



If you have changed any of your contact details, particularly your phone numbers, please make sure that the office have your up to date information so that we can contact you should your child be unwell.

School starts at 8.35am. The gates to the school will be closed at 8.50am. School finishes at 3.05pm Please be at school on time!

Please remember that you must inform us if your child is unwell and is unable to attend school. Please contact us before 9.20 a.m. You can phone or email us at info@woolstoninfantschool.co.uk

Universal Free School Meals

All the children in our school are entitled

to a hot lunch every day, free of charge! Please encourage your child to have a hot meal every day.





As you may be aware we receive a weekly delivery of food from Fareshare. We use some of our Pupil Premium funding to fund this service. This is offered to families to collect on a Tuesday each week. If your circumstances have changed or you feel this would benefit you, please email the school as we would never like to see food go to waste!

ATTENDANCE



Week Beginning 19th February 2024

Cedar	98.3%
Sycamore	96.6%
Willow	95.8%
Cedar	95.7%
Oak	94.8%
Maple	91%

Whole School

95.3%

Well done Cedar!



Stars of the Week



Week beg. 19th February

CEDAR WILLOW OAK MAPLE POPLAR SYCAMORE Rory Theo Layla Lucy Isabella Ronnie

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB Zack

HOME READING



Please continue to read with your child at home. This will support

their development by allowing them the time to practice using the sounds they have been learning in school. Please record in their reading record every time they read. If you have any questions, please ask your child's class teacher.

"There is more treasure in books than in all the pirate's loot on Treasure Island." *Walt Disney*

A reminder that earrings should not be worn in PE. Thanks!

School Gates

To ensure the safety and welfare of your children, the gates to the classrooms and the



school are closed at 8.50am. If you need to talk to your child's class teacher, please try to do this after school when they have more time.

Woolston After School Club

You should have received an After School Club and Breakfast Club invoice and booking form last week. Please ensure your payments are made within 7 days. We are unable to allocate spaces for next term until all accounts have been settled. If you did not receive a booking form for next term please collect one from the school office and return completed asap.

We are very lucky to have a great Pirate Ship in the school grounds for the children to use during the school



day. For safety this is always limited to 30 children supervised by an adult. <u>Please could we remind parents that</u> <u>children should not be using this</u> <u>equipment before or after school.</u>

Children's Achievements Outside of School

Well done to Roman who has been awarded a green belt with blue stripe in Taekwondo!

Myra has been awarded a green belt in Taekwondo. Congratulations!

Jessica has won a trophy for best dancing in slow, fast and street at her dancing class. Well done!

Woolston Pre School Vacancy

We currently have an amazing job opportunity available at our preschool. We are looking for someone that is wishing to help shape a child's future and work as part of our preschool family. We are looking for someone to become a one to one support worker for some of our children. We are excited to add another member to our team and further support all of our children in the best way. Hours are Monday-Friday 8am-2.45pm term time only however, these can be reduced to part time in accordance with the hours needed to support our children. This is subject to change. All job opportunities require an enhanced DBS check. To apply and ask for more information please email Woolstonps@gmail.com for more information.