



# Woolston Infant School

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## Dates for the Diary

### May

- 14<sup>th</sup> Class photos
- 20<sup>th</sup> Year 2 to 3 transition parents information meeting 2.35pm
- 21<sup>st</sup> Year 1 parent celebration 2.30pm
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Hungry Hippos activity day
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Last day of term – school closes 3.05pm

### June

- 1<sup>st</sup> School opens to all pupils 8.35am
- 8<sup>th</sup> Phonics screening check Y1
- 8<sup>th</sup> Poplar visit to Ludlow Junior
- 11<sup>th</sup> Sycamore visit to Ludlow Junior
- 18<sup>th</sup> Fathers Day reading event 2.00pm
- 19<sup>th</sup> Games roadshow activity day
- 24<sup>th</sup> Year 2 Swanwick Lakes trip

### July

- 1<sup>st</sup> Transition day
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Meet the teacher 3.15 – 5.00pm
- 4<sup>th</sup> Summer Fayre 11am - 1pm
- 7<sup>th</sup> Civic award assembly 9.30am
- 8<sup>th</sup> Sports Day 9.15am
- 8<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup> Eco day
- 10<sup>th</sup> Inset Day
- 20<sup>th</sup> Year 2 leavers assembly 9.15am
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Family picnic 12.00pm

## Headteacher's Message



It has been another busy week in school. I must say, the children continue to work hard and produce some amazing work. I know they will be keen to show that to you next half term.

Year 2 have produced some wonderful writing on the book, "The bear and the piano" writing a persuasive argument for why the bear should move to the city or stay in the woods. Year 1 have been working hard developing a deeper understanding of numbers within 100, while Year R have been applying all their phonic knowledge to help them read

Please ensure your child is in school every day, so that they get to experience all the fun events and activities we have planned. Next week we have Solent University in with the Hungry Hippos activity event – don't miss it!

## Stars of the week



### Week beginning 4<sup>th</sup> May

- Cedar - Jackson
- Willow – Brodie
- Oak – Mapalo
- Maple – Oliver
- Poplar – Leon
- Sycamore – Shepherd

After school club – Isabella

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

## Attendance



### Week beginning 4<sup>th</sup> May

- Whole school 95.8%
- Oak 97.1%
- Sycamore 96.2%
- Poplar 95.8%
- Maple 95.8%
- Willow 95.2%
- Cedar 94.7%
- Well done Oak!



### YEAR 2 to 3 TRANSITION MEETING

On 20<sup>th</sup> May, we will be holding a year 2 to 3 transition meeting for parents at 2.35pm. This session will inform parents about the transition process for children as they move to junior school.

### FATHER'S DAY READING EVENT

Due to a clash in events, we are having to move the Fathers Day reading event. The event will now take place on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June at 2.00pm.

### HEALTHY SCHOOLS AWARD

We are currently working towards Southampton's healthy school award. This involves ensuring we provide a range of opportunities for movement, active playtimes amongst other targets. To support with this, please ensure water bottles come to school every day, containing water. Replacement bottles or lids can be purchased at the office.

### CHILDREN'S ACHIEVEMENTS OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL

Congratulations to Amber in Poplar who has been awarded a Learn to Swim 4 certificate and badge and another for swimming 20m.

Well done to Evie in Sycamore who won a silver award in a gymnastics competition.

### YEAR 2 CIVIC AWARD

Here's a reminder of the jobs the children carry out at school. Stacking chairs, tidying classroom, handing out books, packing away PE equipment and delivering post and messages. Please can all completed folders be handed in by the 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2026.

### TOYS AND STICKERS

A reminder that toys and stickers should not be brought in to school.

### WOOLSTON PRESCHOOL

Woolston Preschool have spaces for September. To apply, please collect an application form from preschool

## Gentle Reminders



- **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 on **02380 444447** or email us at [info@woolstoninfantschool.co.uk](mailto:info@woolstoninfantschool.co.uk)  
**If you don't contact us this is classed as an unauthorised absence**
- Please inform the school office if you have any change of details, including change of address or phone numbers. It is vital we have up to date information on our system in case of an emergency.
- Aggressive or foul language will not be tolerated on the school site.



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