

15th November  
2019



Woden Primary School

Welcome back to the second part of the Autumn term, I hope you all had a lovely break. We have a busy time ahead of us with trips to amazing places and of course preparations for Christmas productions!

Please can I remind any EU citizens that you are able to apply to the EU settlement scheme to continue living in UK. Application forms can be found on Gov.UK and you can start your application at [gov.uk/apply-eu-settled-status](http://gov.uk/apply-eu-settled-status).

*Mrs H Vernon*

Headteacher

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## News and Information

### Remembrance Day and Poppies

A Remembrance Day Assembly took place for the children on Monday 11th November, many thanks to Paul and Terry our regular visitors from the British Royal Legion. Poppies also have been on sale each day for the children to purchase. Thank you for all your donations.

### Photographer

Our annual visit from the school photographer was on Wednesday 13th November. Please see the sample photograph and the envelope for further information to order photographs.

### Children In Need

Children also enjoyed taking part in many activities to support Children in Need throughout the day today including the live work out sessions with Joe Wicks. Thanks to all our families to support this charitable event.

### After School Clubs

Due to the darkening nights, the **final week** of After School Clubs will be on the week beginning 18th November—they have all been a great success! Please ensure you pick your child up at 3.05pm or use our Woden Club at a small charge. You can see office staff for any further information.

### GB Athlete visit

On Friday 29th November, Darren Harris (Paralympian) who is England's most capped and most decorated blind footballer will be visiting Woden for the day. Children will have the opportunity to take part in many activities during the day so don't forget the sports gear! Please complete and return the sponsorship forms by Friday 29th to support children during this event.

### Staff Car Park

New electric gates are now fully functional. If you need to enter the school premises please use intercom at the gate to contact the school office.

## Woden's Attendance

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The Government has set schools the target of at least 96% attendance. Last week's attendance for each year group is as follows:

Year 1: 97.7%

Year 2: 97.7%

Year 3: 97.1%

Year 4: 96.2%

Year 5: 96.6%

Year 6: 94.1%

**Overall School Attendance: 96.6%**

Important Dates  
for the  
Autumn Term

Friday 22nd November - After School Activity Clubs finish

Monday 25th November - Fluenz vaccination by NHS

Friday 29th November - Athlete Visit

**2nd December - INSET DAY**

Wednesday 4th December – Year 2 Visit to Blakesley Hall Birmingham

Thursday 5th December – Reception Class2 and Nursery am Christmas trip

Friday 6th December – Reception Class1 and Nursery pm Christmas trip

Monday 9th December – Aladdin Pantomime show in school

Friday 13th December – Christmas Jumper Day

Monday 16th December - EYFS Christmas Performance (am and pm)

Tuesday 17th December - KS1 Christmas Performance (am and pm)

Wednesday 18th December - Y3 and Y4 Christmas Performance (am and pm)

Thursday 19th December - Y5 and Y6 Christmas Performance (am and pm)

Friday 20th December - Christmas Parties (pm)

**Friday 20th December - End of Autumn Term**