

## Woden Primary School Newsletter

This term has been a busy one but it has been lovely to see how well the children have settled back into school life after so much disruption to their life and usual routines. We are very grateful for all of your support over the term and on behalf or myself and all of the Woden staff I wish you all a very Happy Christmas and a prosperous New Year!

Mrs H Vernon

Executive Headteacher

## News and Information

### Christmas Fun!

Our Christmas celebrations are now in full swing and we are looking forward to Christmas jumper day and school Christmas dinner on Friday December 10<sup>th</sup>. On Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> December, the children from Reception to year 6 will be watching a live online performance of Cinderella. Children will be involved in lots of fun activities during our last week before the Christmas break, including class parties and a visit from Father Christmas!

### Christmas Holidays

School finishes for the Christmas Holidays on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December. School reopens to all children on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2022.

### Non-uniform day

To mark the end of term, children are invited to come to school in non-uniform on the last day of term, Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December.

### Christmas Competition Fun!

We have had a number of Christmas competitions running in the last few weeks and the quality of entries has been amazing! Thank you and well done to everyone who took part. Mrs. Everritt will be announcing winners very soon!

## Reception places for 2022

Please be aware that you can now apply for your child to join Reception if they were born between 1 September 2017 and 31 August 2018. School applications must be made by 15 January 2022. You can apply via The City of Wolverhampton Parents Portal.

### **COVID Precautions**

Thank you for your continued support in ensuring all children absent from school are taken for a PCR test before they return. This has ensured that Woden remains open for learning for all our children. Please remember to inform us of the result by emailing: <a href="mailto:enquiries@wodenprimary.org">enquiries@wodenprimary.org</a>

### Woden Attendance

Please ensure your child attends school regularly unless ill. The Government's attendance target is still at least 96%. Please contact our school Attendance Lead (Miss Everett) if you require any further information.

Any absences must be reported to the school office. (Tel: 01902 558880)

TO REPORT COVID RESULTS, PLEASE EMAIL: enquiries@wodenprimary.org





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### Homework

Could we remind parents that children have access to online learning at home via our school website. Parents can also help by encouraging their child to learn their times tables at home and also by listening to their child read the book which they bring home each week.

You can find these resources here: <a href="https://www.wodenprimary.org/home-learning-homepage/">https://www.wodenprimary.org/home-learning-homepage/</a>

## IMPORTANT DATES FOR SPRING TERM

## Term dates

Tuesday 4th January 2022 - Friday 8th April 2022

Half term

Monday 21st February – Friday 25th February 2022

11th January 2022 – Year 6 Greek day

16th February — Year 2 Tamworth Castle visit