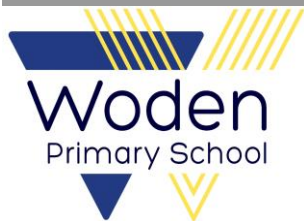


27th January
2023



Woden Primary School Newsletter

We have lots of fantastic events happening over the next few weeks including Internet Safety Day, National Football week and many class trips. The children really enjoy taking part in these enrichment activities. Thank you, as always, for your continuing support.

Mrs S Walmsley - Headteacher

News and Information

Industrial Action

As you are no doubt aware from the news, there are a series of dates the teacher's union NEU has announced that they intend to strike. A letter has been sent regarding the first of these dates which is Wednesday February 1st explaining this further. Unfortunately, in order to ensure safe levels of staff, we have had no option but to close school to Nursery and Year 2 on this day. Should the situation change, we will aim to give parents as much notice as possible. Apologies for any inconvenience.

Before & After School Club

Before School Club can be booked through Pay360 and runs from 8am. We have limited spaces for this club so please ensure you have booked your child a space before dropping them off. The cost of this service is £1.50 a session.

After-School Club can be booked through Pay360 if needed and runs until 4.30pm. If your child is regularly not collected on time, they may be placed in this club and you will be charged £3.50.

Parents Meetings

Parent meetings will run during the week beginning 13th February. More information will follow via a letter next week. After school clubs will not run during this week.

Internet Safety Day

This year's 'Safer Internet' day is 7th February. During that week, children will be learning about staying safe on the internet and whilst using mobile devices. Please support us at home by discussing these issues with your children and ensuring they know how to 'stay safe' and report any concerns to an adult.

National Football week

This will be taking place during the week starting 6th February – please keep an eye out for further details.

Milk Orders

Milk for the Spring term can still be ordered if you would like your child to receive this – please use the link: <https://forms.office.com/r/WRq6hB5fkQ>

School Uniform Donations

We know children grow very quickly and uniform is often still in excellent condition when they have outgrown it. If you have any Woden uniform you no longer need, could we ask that you donate this to school to support other families in need please. Any donations, please ensure are washed and brought to the school office. Thank you so much.



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 Officer if you require any further information.

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

Attendance for last week across school was as follows:

Year 1 93.5% Year 4 94.4 %

Year 2 91.7% Year 5 96.7%

Year 3 91.8% Year 6 95.6%?

Overall attendance in school was 94%. Well done to Classes 3 (93.7%) AND 11 (98.7%) for winning the attendance award this week!

IMPORTANT DATES FOR SPRING TERM

Term: Tuesday 3rd January - Friday 31st March 2023

Tuesday 7th February – Year 5 Drama Workshop at Heath Park

Wednesday 8th February – Year 2 trip to Tamworth Castle

Friday 10th February – Year 1 trip to Bantock Park

Friday 17th February – Year 3 trip to Roman Deva Museum

Half term

Monday 20th February – Friday 24th February 2023

Friday 3rd March – Reception trip to Lower Drayton Farm

Tuesday 21st March – Year 5 Drama Workshop at Heath Park

End of Spring term: Friday 31st March

INSET DAY: Monday 17th April

**Children return to school for summer term on Tuesday
18th April**