



# Woodlands' Newsletter #13

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Whole School Attendance (w.e 26.05.23): 94.77% (This TERM: 94.75%)

Winning Team attendance (w.e 26.05.23): Offa—96.62%

Well done to our WOW Workers - see the powerpoint on the website

*If you have any questions or concerns please contact your child's class teacher via the office.*

*If you have a whole school question or concern, please contact Mr Baker [via the office](#).*



Congratulations to all of the school's RESPECT REWARD winners

Each class presents certificates for each of the school's values every half term

## **RESPECT**

*Resilience, Empathy, Self Awareness, Passion and Positivity, Excellence, Communication, Teamwork*

These names are then collected, with 2 selected at random to win a £10 gift voucher.

In addition each class has a WOW reader who is presented with a £5 gift voucher.

The full list of winners is attached to the newsletter.

Congratulations also to those children who have 100% attendance this half term.



### **End of Term**

Time has flown by and here we are at the end of another term.

Thank you for all of your support and engagement throughout the term.

Summer will be just as packed with more trips, visitors, camps, sleepovers and so much more. Browse the school website for more information about the Summer Curriculum.

### **W.O.L.F Woodland's Outdoor Learning in the Forest**



WOLF days are when the children spend the day learning outside, on the grounds, in the forest, undertaking Commando Joe missions and applying RESPECT values in their activities. These used to be called Forest Days. Classes will inform you in advance of class WOLF days.

### **PTA**

THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU



To the PTA for all that they do!! They have funded bouncy castles, Commando Joe, School trips and much, much more- please help continue to support our much needed PTA in helping to raise funds.

### School changes

Sadly it is that time of year when teachers make plans for September. This year Mr Grice, Mrs Cox and Miss Smart will be moving on to new adventures. They are extremely important to the Woodlands' Team and we will miss them dearly but also wish them all the very best in their new adventures. They will stay with us until September. We have recruited 3 excellent teachers who are very keen to join our team in September. Transition for all children will take place on **Wednesday 5th and Thursday 6th of July.**

### FREE food

The Woodlands' Community Pantry will be open Tuesday of Half term from 10am to 1pm

Please come along to the school entrance to help yourself to anything you need for your family for that week. This food has been shared with us, for us to share with you so please come along.

### Attendance



Thank you to all families who are achieving **100%** attendance this term and being on time.

The number of children with full attendance is increasing. The aim is for above 97%.

### Building



We are excited to announce that over the next few months the school will be having a facelift. The school roof will be completely replaced alongside all of the external cladding. This will not only make the school look better but also save energy for the future.

We are also excited because we will also have solar panels fitted to the roof to help be more energy self sufficient—helping the environment and hopefully helping the school budget.

The work will start in the next few weeks and is anticipated to last until late September. We are working with the contractors to minimise the impact on the children during the school day.

### NOTES FROM THE OFFICE

**SWIMMING** - Redwood will continue with their Swimming lessons after half term, on Monday mornings.

**ParentPay** – Please remember to log in to ParentPay and clear any amounts owing. It is preferred if you can top up your child's Dinner Money or Breakfast Club balances prior to the dinners being taken or attending Breakfast Club. If you require login details please contact the school office.

**Contact details** – If any of your contacts details change (home telephone/mobile/address) please let us know. Thank you.

### PRIME

We have asked that children **DO NOT** bring Prime bottles into school. If you use the plastic bottle - please remove the label.

We do not want energy drinks promoted in school nor do we want the children to either feel the need to buy bottles of friends simply to keep up with current trends. Children should have a water bottle with sports cap to avoid any spills.

### Please **DO NOT** U TURN in Canning Road or Stop on the ZIG ZAGS

It is a narrow street and not suitable for u turns especially when there is so much traffic in the morning and at the end of the day.



### Key Dates:

School Reopens to Pupils: Monday 5th June

Whole Trust Inset Day: Friday 23rd June—School Closed to Pupils

### Transition Days:

Woodlands- 5th and 6th July  
Landau Forte Amington—5th, 6th and 7th July  
Landau Forte QEMS—5th, 6th and 7th July  
Rawlett AET Academy—5th July  
Polesworth High School—5th July

SUMMER FAYRE: Friday 7th July [after school]

SPORTS DAY: Monday 17th July

Leavers' Assembly: Thursday 20th July

Break up for Summer: End of Friday 21st July

### Reminders of expectations:

Children should be **reading at least 3 times per week**. This helps them attain the rewards they deserve.

Children's attendance should be **above 97%** - please avoid missing any days from school unless ill.

Absence calls must be made by a **parent or carer** by calling the school office before **9.10am**. There is a designated answer machine for absence messages. Miss Hodson will then follow up any attendance queries as needed.

For safety reasons; **No hoodies or jewellery** for PE. PE T-shirts should be plain white! Joggers should be plain black or Navy. PE kit is uniform not outdoor learning/ forest clothing.

School gates open at 8:35am and close at 8:45am

## Congratulations to our RESPECT Reward Winners for the Summer 1 Term.

Congratulations to all the following children who received a gift voucher. Well done!

RESPECT	WINNERS
REDWOOD	Malakai
WILLOW	Issac

		<b>WOW</b>	<b>READERS</b>		
<b>ASH</b>	Heather	<b>PINE</b>	Freya	<b>MAPLE</b>	Poppie
		<b>ASPEN</b>	Alex	<b>SPRUCE</b>	Tarron
<b>BIRCH</b>	Matthew	<b>CHESTNUT</b>	Lilly N	<b>WILLOW</b>	Isabella
<b>ELM</b>	Brody	<b>REDWOOD</b>	Phoebe		

RESPECT REWARD Nominations							
Class	Resilience	Empathy	Self Awareness	Passion/ Positivity	Excellence	Communication	Teamwork
<b>ASH</b>	Lewis	Reuben	Rose	Stanley	Amber	Sophie	Arthur M
<b>BIRCH</b>	Nyarai	Willow	Lacey	Angie	Matthew	Casper	Carterose
<b>ELM</b>	Jaycee	Alice	Noel	Olivia	Harley	Leah	Parker
<b>PINE</b>	Codi-Lee	Max	Jenson	Ronnie	Amelia	Lola	Florrie
<b>ASPEN</b>	Ashley	Lennon	Anaya	Ellie	Anais	Riley	Charlie
<b>CHESTNUT</b>	Millie	Kacper	Phoebe	Max	Amelia	Scarlet	Evie E
<b>REDWOOD</b>	Isla	Angel	Evelyn	Malakai	Ellie-Mae	Alyssa	Kacey
<b>MAPLE</b>	Harri	Nevaeh	Finley	Zoe	Kara	Ella	Lucy-Mae
<b>SPRUCE</b>	Cody	Darci	Iyla	Seb	Tobias	Betsy	Jaeden
<b>WILLOW</b>	Josh	Issac	Orla	Cleo	Kody	Rocco	Freddie

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<u>Ash</u>	Jack K	Stanley	<u>Maple</u>	Isaac	Oliver
<u>Redwood</u>	Elizabeth	Jim	<u>Spruce</u>	Harley	Tobias
<u>Pine</u>	Taylor	Freya	<u>Willow</u>	Casper	Remy
<u>Elm</u>	Harley	Harry	<u>Chestnut</u>	Kai	Max
<u>Birch</u>	Lily	Lacey	<u>Aspen</u>	Beau	Oscar

# Age Restrictions for Social Media Platforms

What is the minimum age for account holders on these social media sites and apps?

