

Woodhouse Community Primary School

NEWS LETTER Autumn 2 Week 3: ending 16/11/18



'the pathway to success'

Children in Need: It was fantastic to see the great effort all the children (and parents!) had gone to today to help fundraise for Children in Need. We have so far raised a total of £235.00 . Many thanks for supporting such a great cause.

Year 1 Church Visit: As part of their learning in R.E, Year 1 paid a visit to Woodhouse Close Church this week. Mrs Nichols was so pleased with the excellent behaviour by her whole class.

Tag Rugby: Last week our Y5 and 6 Tag rugby team completed in the district finals. We came 4th overall. An excellent sporting attitude and teamwork was shown by the whole team. Well done!

Reminder: Just to remind all parents and carers, that for health and safety reasons, please DO NOT bring dogs onto the premises when collecting or dropping off your children. Thank you for your co-operation.

Wellies: Just a reminder to parents and carers that the children MUST have wellies in school to be able to access the field and den-building materials, with the ground now getting muddy and damp. Please also ensure your child wears a warm waterproof coat every day. As we now also have a mud kitchen, please send in a pair of old jogging bottoms or waterproof trousers to put over uniform and keep in lockers if you don't wish your child to get dirty!

Library: A reminder that the library is open every morning from 8:15 for extra chance to read/ share a book with parents/carers. Every child that attends gets a 5 dojo ticket to give to their teacher. There was only one person there out of the whole Year 5 and 6 this morning. I know you can do better Year 5 and 6, lets improve on this next week!

Children's Comics/Magazines: On the note of the library, if you have any spare or unwanted children's annuals (one or two years old), or children's comics and magazines suitable for children (Beano, Lego etc) that are in good readable condition, we would be most grateful for them to help further stock our library. Please hand them into the office and we will make sure they can be enjoyed by our library users.

Astronomical Attendance:

WEEK 5		% of class with 100% attendance this week	Minutes late lost per class
Reception	91.7%	87.5%	10
Year 1	98.3%	90%	55
Year 2	100% WOW! Fantastic!	100%	14
Year 3	95.7%	86.7%	64
Year 4	93%	74.1%	74
Year 5	95.3%	83.3%	25
Year 6	95.7%	76.7%	64

Average attendance this week for Rec- Y6 =95.7%

Lateness: 306 minutes lost this week due to 17 children being late. This is lost learning time, please ensure improvements are made for these children. We are monitoring attendance and punctuality on a weekly basis and letter to invite parents and carers to attendance meetings with Kirsty and myself will be sent if improvements are not seen over a 2 week period. Following this, referrals to the County Enforcement Team will be implemented















Diary Dates:

Thursday 22 nd November	Individual School photographs EYS-Y6
	SEND drop in for advice/support for parents/carers with Mrs Byrne 2:30-3:30
Tuesday 4 th December	Dick Whittington Christmas pantomime (morning)
Friday 14 th December	Christmas Fayre 1:30-3pm
Monday 17 th December	Church Service@ Woodhouse Church 9:30-10:30 Y4-6
	11-12 Y1-3
	Y5 and Y6 Christmas Party (afternoon)
Tuesday 18th December	EYFS Christmas Performance for Parents of EYFS children
	Y3 and 4 Christmas Party (afternoon)
Wednesday 19 th December	KS1 and 2 Christmas Performance for parents
	Christmas lunch/Christmas Jumper day (£1.00 donation)
Thursday 20 th December	EYFS Christmas Party (morning)
	Y1 and 2 Christmas party (afternoon)
	BREAK UP FOR CHRISTMAS
Monday 7 th January	Children return to school

Mrs T Page

Headteacher