



'the pathway to success'

Woodhouse Community Primary School

NEWS LETTER

Spring 1 Week 3: ending 25/1/19



SNAG Group: Our first SNAG (Schools Nutrition Action Group) met this week, to put forward ideas from every class as to how we can improve our meal provision in school. Their ideas were excellent and they plan to consult via class surveys next week, ready for our next meeting the week after. We will keep you posted about the exciting changes ahead...

Governors Meeting: this week was our termly Governor's meeting which was very successful. Our Governing Body currently have 1 vacancy for a parent Governor: if you would like to know more about what this involves (it's only 1 meeting per term from 3.30pm to 5pm and it looks excellent on your CV!), please contact me to have a chat. I'd love to hear from you!

Bad Weather Warning: Just a reminder about our procedures if /when the bad weather arrives. Please ensure all children come to school wearing appropriate clothing (warm waterproof coat, hat, scarf and gloves and wellies where possible for the snow). We hope it will not be the case this year, but if the weather is so extreme that it causes a risk to the safety of pupils and staff, forcing a school closure, I will send a text to parents at the earliest possible opportunity. PLEASE DO NOT RING THE SCHOOL ASKING IF WE ARE CLOSED: I will let you know. I will also display the closure message on the School Website Home page and also send a message via Class Dojo. It is vital that we have all of your up to date mobile contact details, to ensure all urgent messages are received. Thank you.

Astronomical Attendance:

	Weekly Average Attendance %	% of class with 100% attendance this week	Minutes late lost per class
Reception	93.3	79.2	16 x 2
Year 1	92.7	83.3	26 x 4
Year 2	97.5 ☺	91.7	27 x 4
Year 3	97.3	93.3 ☺	11 x 1
Year 4	96.3	88.9	42 x 3
Year 5	89.7	73.3	49 x 5
Year 6	96	86.7	51 x 5
	Weekly Ave. = 95% ☺		Mins 222 mins (24 children) ☹

Average attendance this week for Rec- Y6 = 95% This has improved since last week: well done!

Lateness: 222 minutes late. This has increased and we are telephoning and visiting those persistently late and absent children who will be requested to attend 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 which can incur costs and even prosecution.

Diary Dates:

Friday 15 th February	Break Up for Half Term
Monday 25 th February	Children and staff return to school
Wednesday 20 th - Friday 22 nd March	Robin Wood Residential Trip Y5 & 6
W/C 1 st April	Parent / Teacher Consultations and Easter Egg Craft (appointment letters to follow)
Friday 5 th April	9-10am: Coffee and Cake Morning for Parents & Carers 1.30-3.00: The Eggs- Factor Talent Show Break Up for Easter



Monday 22nd April	Bank Holiday: School Closed
Tuesday 23rd April	Teacher Training in school (staff only)
Wednesday 24th April	Children return to school

Mrs T Page

Headteacher

