## Woodhouse Community Primary School Foundation Stage Unit.



We have had a fantastic half term! The children have made great progress and we are very proud of them! We have celebrated Chinese New Year, all of Reception children are proud owners of a reading book and Nursery children all have number squares!

Spring Term 1 2019

## **School Fund**

Each week we ask for a donation of 50p to support baking, daily snack and milk and on Wednesday we always have a snack which is always different / unusual. Recently snack donations have been very low, if we do not have the funds to cover snack, we may not be able to offer snack in the way that we do now.

We already have lots of unnamed cardigan and jumpers. It is parents / carers responsibility to ensure uniform is named.

If your chid is due to start Reception in September 2019, you will find out which school your child has been allocated on 16th April. It is very important that if you have not applied for a school place you <u>call 0300265896</u> in order to do so.

Our library day is a Thursday. Library starts at 8.10am where parents and children are welcome to come and share a book together whilst having a little something for breakfast. Lots of parents are accessing the library which is fantastic. Please note due to safeguarding if you wish to access the library you **must do so before 8.30am**.

We have sent lots of children home in spare school clothes, especially underwear and socks. If you have any at home belonging to school, please return as we are very low. Equally if you have any old child's underwear / socks in good condition you no long require, we would be very grateful!

We have had lots of cases reported of head lice! Please check your child's hair daily and treat if necessary. Once treated it is so important that you comb your child's hair daily for the following 2 weeks to ensure all eggs and lice have been removed.

Punctuality is imperative! Even if your child is only 5 mins late, that is 5 mins of either literacy or numeracy that they have missed and this really does have an impact on your child's learning! Please make sure your child arrives at school on time every day.



Reception children have a piece of homework to complete over the holiday. Please please read with your child as many times throughout the week as possible and keep flashing through their sounds. It will not take long however it will really support their learning!

Many thanks!

Due to the amount of children we now have in the unit at home time, we need to change the way home time works to ensure the safety of your children!

We will sit all children on he carpet where they sit when they first come into nursery / school. An adult will meet all parents at the main entrance and in turn shout your child's name. This does mean that the que will be outside the unit rather than inside, however I am sure you will agree we have made this decision with your child's best interests and safety in mind.



Have a lovely half term holiday and we will see you all back at school Monday 25th February.