



# Wood Ley Community Primary School



## Newsletter

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Dear Parents,

I hope the children are enjoying the snow, we are looking forward to seeing the pictures of their snow creations over the next few days. Although the heavy snow has caused some disruption to school life, it is a welcome experience for many and an opportunity to enjoy some family time together. I am sure you will all make the very best of it. Once the roads have cleared a little and it is safe to re open the school to key worker families and vulnerable learners then normal services will be resumed. I thought the children might appreciate a photograph if the school covered in snow. Welly boots and spare clothes will definitely be needed at breaktimes.



### Reading Books

There are a selection of reading books outside the school office if you wish to collect one for your child. The boxes are clearly labelled in key stages with a selection of Oxford Reading Tree staged books and banded books, including free readers. The post box next to the books is there for you to pop your returned books inside. Hand sanitiser is available for your convenience. Work packs are ready for collection once school re opens following the snow.

### Safer Internet Day

Safer Internet Day will be on the 9th February 2021 Safer Internet Day 2021 will be celebrated in the UK with the theme: An internet we trust: exploring reliability in the online world . There are lots of useful tips and guides available on the web link below.

<https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/2021>

## Star of the Week

We are delighted that we are still able to celebrate the children's achievements in the star of the week assemblies. The assemblies take place virtually and the children can join in the celebrations from their classrooms.

Well done to the students who received star of the week for their hard work at home and in school. Last weeks stars were:

Holly Class: Olivia and Mia

Willow Class: John and Sarah

Elm Class: Jacob and Eloise

Oak Class: Joshua and Tony

Cherry Class: Oliver and Elsie

Beech Class: Jacob and Ava

Maple Class: Phoebe and Eddie

Poplar Class: Phoebe and James

Acer Class: Milly

Cedar Class: Oliver C

Hazel Class: Mark



## Virtual SEND Drop In Thursday 25th February

Mrs Spinks is offering a virtual SEND drop in on Thursday 25th February. From 1.30pm. This will be an online TEAMS consultation for parents with children on the school SEND register. If you have issues you would like to raise with Mrs Spinks at the drop in please could you email her to enable her to arrange an appointment for the day. [senco@woodley.suffolk.sch.uk](mailto:senco@woodley.suffolk.sch.uk)

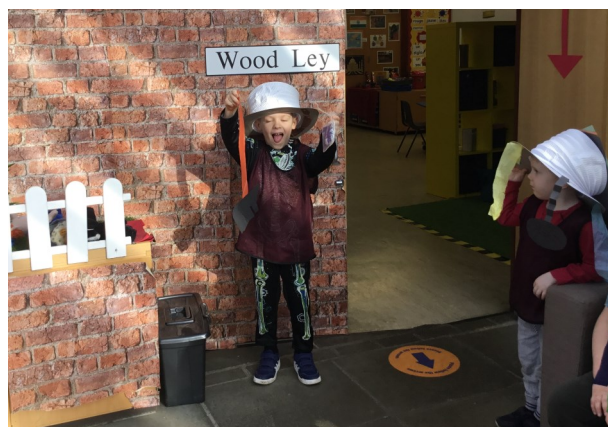
## Parents' Forum Wednesday 10th February

I am looking forward to talking to some of you at the parents' forum on Wednesday. Just a reminder that this will be via TEAMS as previously shared on your child's class post page. An invite should be available in your child's TEAMS calendar.

## Winners of the Wellbeing Hat Parade

We hope you enjoyed using some of the wellbeing and mental health resources last week. They will remain on the school website in the wellbeing section in case you missed them or would like to access them at a later date. The children enjoyed taking part in the creative hat competition—expressing their personalities in their unique hat designs. This was part of the dress to express yourself day on Friday. It was lovely to see children joining in the fun at home too.

## Foundation Bubble Winner





# School Gallery

Winners of the Wellbeing Hat Parade :

Year 1 Bubble



Year 2 Bubble



Year 3 Bubble



Year 4 Bubble



Year 5 Bubble



Year 6 Bubble



# Diary Dates & Term Dates

## December

Tuesday 1st December—Y1 hearing catch up from school nurse.

Wednesday 9th December—Flu vaccine catch up session

Monday 14th December—Christmas Art exhibition goes live on school web site

Tuesday 15th December—Christmas quiz between classes

Wednesday 16th December—Cosy Christmas Classrooms

Wednesday 16th December—Christmas production goes live on secure parent page on the web site

Thursday 17th December—School Christmas lunch—Christmas jumper day.

Thursday 17th December—Class Christmas Hamper draw

Friday 18th December—last day of term, Christmas class activities.

End of Autumn term 2020—Friday 18th December 2020

Monday 4th January—PD day, children not in school

Tuesday 5th January—PD day, children not in school

Wednesday 6th January—All children back in school.

## Term Dates 2020 / 2021

### Autumn Term 2020

Tuesday 1st September—Friday 18th December

(Half Term – Week commencing 26 October 2020)

### Spring Term 2021

Monday 4th January—Friday 26th March 2021

(Half Term – Week commencing Monday 15 February 2021)

### Summer Term 2021

Monday 12th April—Tuesday 20th July 2021

(Half Term – Week commencing Monday 31st May 2021)

Please note that from within the above dates, five non-pupil days will be determined by individual schools. The non-pupil days for Wood Ley School will be:

Tuesday 1st September 2020

Wednesday 2nd September 2020

Monday 4th January 2021

Tuesday 5th January 2021

Monday 12th April 2021