



HEADTEACHER UPDATE

Dear Parents / Carers,

Welcome back to all our families and a big welcome to our new families who have joined us this term. It has been a pleasure to see how quickly the children have settled in to this term and working incredibly hard on their learning. The children have been great models of our values and demonstrating how well they understand our routines and expectations.

Thank you to all the families who have attended our Meet the Teacher sessions. Our final session is on Monday for Year 3. The presentations will be available on our website next week.

Mr Garner

Nursery

It has been a fantastic start to the term for the children in Nursery. The new children are settling in well and enjoying exploring their new learning environments and playing with lots of different toys. The children that were with us last term have been fantastic role models and its been lovely to see the children beginning to develop friendships. We have also been impressed with how well the children and settling into the new class routines.

This term our topic is 'All About Me' and we will be exploring all of our senses, talking about our families and exploring the children's interests and building on these through a range of guided and independent learning opportunities.



Well done to these children who wrote a 100 word mini saga about a monster that they created.

They submitted their entries to a writing competition and their stories will be published in a book!

Already this term, the children have enjoyed painting their own self portraits, joined in with singing lots of nursery rhymes, had a go at some dough disco, explored different materials and shared lots of stories. It has also been lovely for lots of the children to share their family photographs and talk to us about their favourite people outside of Nursery.



Chaffinch

Bear
Jay
Nina
Fraser
Aaron
Scarlett
Arabella
Hannah
Ella

Owl

Shawn
Abi
Finley
Rachel
Linnet
Elsie

Woodpecker

Elsie
Ely
Aironas
Isaac
Evie
Ashveer
Jack
Theo
Kite
Raife
Peyton



Upcoming events	
Friday 3 October	Year 6 Cake Sale
Friday 7 November	Year 5 Cake Sale
Thursday 15 November	Autumn Disco
Friday 28 November	Non Uniform Day for Christmas Fair Donations
Friday 5 December	Christmas Fair
Tuesday 16 December	Christmas Movie Night

Diary Dates

Monday 22nd September Y3 Meet the Teacher Meeting 2.45pm

Thursday 25th September Cross Country at the Rec (running club members) 10am -4pm

Monday 29th September Rec – Y6 Flu Vaccines

Friday 3rd October Y6 Cake Sale 3.15pm

Monday 13th – Friday 17th October Y6 Residential

Friday 17th October Y5 Oxford Science Trip

Tuesday 21st & Wednesday 22nd October Parent Consultations

Thursday 23rd October Last Day of Term

Friday 24th October INSET day (school closed)

Monday 3rd November First Day of Term

Click here to view the full school calendar:

<https://www.woodenhillprimary.co.uk/calendar/?calendar=1,2&pid=8&viewid=1>

Weekly Attendance

Whole school attendance:	97%
Top class for attendance:	Beaver 100%

Flu Vaccines

Please ensure you complete the flu vaccine online form to state if you do or do not consent for your child to be vaccinated. Please refer to the email sent on Tuesday 9th September for further details. **The deadline is Friday 26th September at 9am.**

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