



WOODLAND SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 13th September 2024



Welcome back to school! Here is some information about the term. The children have all enjoyed their first full week back at school and they have all settled into their classes.

Equipment

The children do not need any pencil cases or equipment other than a book bag or school bag. Book bags should be brought to school every day.



Sport

Squirrel class will need a full PE kit on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Owl class will need a full PE kit on Thursdays and Fridays.

The children can bring their PE kit to school and leave it there if they wish. It will be sent home before each half term (or when dirty). PE kits should contain blue/black PE shorts and a red t-shirt. The children will also need an outdoor kit of blue or black leggings or jogging bottoms, a blue or black hoodie or sweatshirt and outdoor trainers.

Music

Mrs Unwin will be leading some whole class music sessions with the Owls this term. If the children have a recorder at home they can bring it to school on Thursdays (we have some in school so please do not buy one).

Snacks and Drinks

Squirrel class will continue to have an afternoon snack provided by school. All children can bring a healthy snack from home if they wish e.g. a piece of fruit. Milk will be provided for all children under 5. Once the children are 5, you can continue to pay for milk if you wish. All children need to bring a full water bottle each day which can be refilled at school if necessary.

Owl Class Homework

Owl class will receive a homework timetable detailing when homework will be given out and when it should be returned. Reading books should go home each evening and it is important all children, regardless of age, should be practising their reading at home and in school. Times tables are also an area which requires regular practise during the week.

Student Council

Next week, we will vote for our Student Council representatives from Year 1 -6. If your child is interested in being on the Student Council, they should prepare a short speech to present to the other children.

Communication

Should you have any worries or concerns, please let us know by seeing us after school, e-mailing or calling the school office or by using the ClassDojo App. We use class dojo for reminders, sharing work and contacting parents directly.

If you have any questions just let us know.

Thank you

Mrs Denham, Mrs Fowell, Mr Petty & The Woodland Team

After School Cookery Club

Just to let you know that Cookery Club is restarting this Tuesday 17th September 3.15 till 4.30pm, if your child would like to attend this, it needs to be pre booked. Thank you in advance.



ASDA Cash Pot



ASDA Cashpot for schools is running until 30th November. If anyone shops at ASDA, please use the rewards app and choose Woodland Primary School to donate to.

Asda will donate 5% of the value of your shop to our Primary school. Also, every time somebody opts in, Asda will give an additional £1 to the school Cashpot. Plus, it doesn't stop there – Asda are also giving £50 to every school to get started. Thank you!

REMINDER—Flu Vaccine

A reminder that there are just **6 days left** to give/ refuse your consent for your child to have their free flu vaccine at school on **26 September 2024**.

The flu vaccine is a quick and painless spray up the nose that keeps millions of people safe from flu every year (injections are also available for those who need them). It will help to make sure that your child is less likely to miss important lessons and social time at school.

Thank you to all parents who have already responded. If you are not one of them, it is not too late. It only takes a few minutes to **give or refuse your consent by following this link:**

<https://nhslmms.azurewebsites.net/session/6b446ccc>

The link contains the consent form and additional information such as FAQs regarding the vaccination. The link will close on **19 September 2024**.

If have already given us consent for the vaccine please disregard this message.

If your child has already received the Flu vaccine from their GP or hospital since September 2024 please complete a refusal form.

If you have any problems accessing the link, please telephone 0333 358 3397.

Kind Regards,

**Immunisation Team
Woodland Primary School**

PUPILS OF THE WEEK

Squirrel Class



Owl Class

