



Wootton St. Peters C of E Primary School

Our children become the rocks upon which a better world can be built.

Our Vision: **Our children become the rocks upon which a better world can be built. We explore the values of perseverance, compassion and courage to open up horizons of hope and aspiration.**

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SCHOOL NEWS

Friday 27th January 2023

Upcoming Dates:

Monday 6th Feb - Reception & yr. 6 Heights and Weights.

Friday 10th Feb - School finishes 3pm.

Monday 13th Feb - Friday 17th Feb - Half term.

Monday 20th Feb - All students and staff return to school.

Thursday 2nd Mar - World Book Day.

Thursday 30th Mar - Easter service 9.30am at the church, all parents welcome.

Friday 31st Mar - School finishes for Easter 1.30pm
NO ASC.

Monday 3rd Apr - Friday 14th Apr Easter Holiday.

Monday 17th Apr - All staff and students return to school.

Dear parents and carers,

I have been carrying out lots of learning walks recently and today I was joined by Jo Elliott, Chair of Governors. I am very happy to report that your children were engaged, enthusiastic and loving their learning. Little Gems wowed us with their knowledge of the solar system and the progress they have made with their writing is phenomenal. Also take a look at their beautiful solar system dioramas:



Opal class continue to impress with their writing about the Great Fire of London and with the facts they have learned about Samuel Pepys. Jade class were displaying data about melting points of different metals in bar charts and could confidently explain about changes of state from solid to liquids. Moonstone class have been working on ordering decimals all week and have really cracked their knowledge of place value and decimals up to 3 decimal places.

Chicken Pox

We have been notified of 2 cases of Chicken Pox. This is a highly contagious disease and spreads easily. Please be vigilant and keep a close eye on your children. Thank you.

Contact details

If you have changed any of your contact details please make sure you inform the school as soon as possible so we can keep our records up to date.

Nut Free School

We have some children with a nut allergy so please could you make sure that you do not send your child to school with any food that contains nuts.

Secret Readers

We would love you to surprise your children by coming into their class and reading them a story of your choice. We have had some of you contact the office to arrange to be a secret reader and we would love to have more of you! So please sign up.

Best wishes,
Charlie Pitt

Every Day Counts!



This year we will have a focus on making sure that our attendance is at least 95% for every child. Obviously if your child is too unwell to attend school they should stay at home but if they can come to school they should. Please avoid taking your child on holiday during term time as we will not be able to authorise this absence.

School Attendance

Little Gems - 89.88%

Opal - 93.51%

Jade - 95.12%

Moonstone - 97.44%



The School Shield

Little Gems - Lukas for focusing on his work. Good job Lukas 😊

Opal – Josiah for a great week of learning and great maths with the class Great work Josiah 😊

Jade – Tilly for good partner work and great music. Well done Tilly 😊

Moonstone - Rory for improved concentration and effort. Great job Rory 😊

This Week's ask me about????

Little Gems - Repeating patterns.

Opal – Fantastic Mr Fox.

Jade – Romulus and Remus.

Moonstone – Composing Music.

Nursery places - We currently have Nursery places available in school. If you or anyone you know would like any further information regarding a Nursery place, then please contact the school office and we will be happy to help you.

FOWS Swim Club: Family Swim Session 11/02/2023

The FOWS Swim Club will be running a fun family swim session at Radley College Sports Centre on **Saturday 11th February 2023, 10:00 - 11:00 am.**

This family fun session is solely for the families of Wootton School and the session will be fully lifeguarded. Floats will be available for use and the dive boards will be open for those wanting to make a big splash!

All children must be supervised for the duration of the session. Children under the age of 8 must be accompanied by an adult in the water with a maximum ratio of 1 to 2. Children over the age of 8 must be accompanied by an adult either in the water or poolside.

Tickets: £4 per swimmer or £15 for a family of four. Under 2's are free!

Tickets must be purchased in advanced due to pool capacity limitations. Laura Rose (mum of Toby year 5) & Vicky Jones (mum of Edward year 6). We will be selling tickets in the playground after school closer to the date. Please note we can only accept cash payments.

If you have any questions or queries please contact the FOWS Swim Club via
email: fows.swimming@gmail.com

FOWS Swim Club Committee: Gwen Morgan, Laura Rose & Vicky Jones

Wootton Panto

The panto is next week 2nd to 4th January in the Community Centre. The school KS2 street dance children are taking part with some show-stopping dancing. Come along to cheer them on. Thurs & Fri night show is 7.30pm. Saturday shows are 2.00pm and 6.30pm. See the attached poster or Mrs Scott for tickets.