



# 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

21.03.25

### Upcoming Dates:

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March** – FOWS Spring Disco.

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> Mar**- KS2 Music Orchestra Day at Oxford town hall for the KS2 Orchestra Children. Leaving school at 12.30pm.

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> Mar**- Reception & Yr6 Children- Heights & Weights AM

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> Mar**- Reception Children- Vision Screening.

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> Mar**- Jade Class trip- Sutton Courtenay environmental Centre.

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> Mar**- Swimming (last session).

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> March**-Parents Conversations  
3:10 - 6pm.

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> Apr**- Easter Service 9.30am.

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April**- Parents Conversations  
3:10 - 6 pm

**Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> Apr**- Little Gems Class Assembly.

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April**- **Last Day of Term** - School finishes at 1.30pm.

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> Apr- Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April**- Half Term.

**Monday 21 Apr**- Bank Holiday.

**Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> Apr**- School Starts 8.30am.

### Dear parents/carers,

As I write this on Thursday afternoon, I am reflecting on what a great school this is. The weather is warm, your children are happy playing and running in the sunshine but is it just the weather they are happy about? Absolutely not - this has been another week of incredible learning. We offer your children an excellently rounded learning experience, it is hands on, fun and prepares your children for the next stage in curriculum and life beyond school. I have seen Jade class baking rocky road (it tasted delicious too) to learn all about grams and measures, creating beautiful Impressionists paintings with Freda and Moonstone have taken part in mock interviews to gain a place on Shackleton's expedition. I bet you wish school was this fun when you were young!



## International Day of Happiness 20<sup>th</sup> March

In Celebration Assembly on Thursday we discussed the International Day of happiness. Please watch this video as it provides some really helpful advice:

[https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/articles/zcpqky?dm\\_i=3YNL,1PDUN,8M45V4,6M M9T,1](https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/articles/zcpqky?dm_i=3YNL,1PDUN,8M45V4,6M M9T,1)

## Help with marketing

Do any of you have marketing experience? Would you like to help to promote our school and boost pupil numbers? If it's a yes please contact the office as we need your help!

## Moonstone Interviews

This week we acted in role as a character from Shackleton's crew, to apply for a position on The Endurance (to cross Antarctica). The children prepared for their interviews and really looked the part. We were impressed with how they answered the questions, giving details from the person's life, as well as explaining the skills they had, which would help them on the ship. I have sat on an interview panel many times, and I was blown away with the children's confidence, eye contact and conduct throughout the interviews. We can tell they will all go on to great things in the future, when they do come to real interviews for colleges, universities, and jobs.



## Little Gems Class Assembly

Little Gems Class Assembly is on Wednesday 2nd April at 9:30. We hope as many parents as possible from Little Gems will be able to attend and celebrate what your children have been learning this term. It will also give us the opportunity to say our farewells to Ms Klepac.

**Glyn Rowlands**, Music teacher, currently has some availability for new students wanting to have weekly piano or guitar lessons during the school day at Wootton St Peters. He also has some after school availability for piano, guitar or drum lessons locally. If you would like to find out more please get in touch with Glyn at [grcourses@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:grcourses@hotmail.co.uk).

## The School Shield



**Little Gems** – Natan for his great listening skills and for being helpful in class. Great job Natan 😊

**Opal** – Kamilla for her fact file writing on Florence Nightingale. Great use of Capital Letters and Full Stops. Well done Kamilla 😊

**Jade** – Louie for settling into class learning much quicker this week. Well done Louie 😊

**Moonstone** – Harry for his fantastic crew member interview. Well done Harry 😊

## This weeks Maths Master



**Little Gems**- Alex for showing us the different ways to make 7.

**Opal** – Ruby for dividing by 5 using counters.

**Jade** – For furthering his Maths skills at every opportunity.

**Moonstone** – Connor for his great work in areas.

**Well done to all our wonderful mathematicians this week**



## This Week's ask me about??

### **Little Gems –**

**Opal** – Our Boats and planting the tomato seeds.

**Jade** – The Fun Run.

**Moonstone** – The Fun Run.

## Attendance This Week

**Little Gems – 91.62%**

**Opal – 97.50%**

**Jade – 93.98%**

**Moonstone – 89.25%**

## From The FOWS

### Spring Disco



**THIS EVENING!** Thank you to everyone who has brought tickets to support us and/or volunteered to help, we hope everyone has a fabulous time.

### Easter Teashop & Uniform Giveaway

**Friday 28th March @ 3pm in the School Hall-** We know that by Easter most children have started to outgrow their uniform. In these challenging economic times and thanks to the generosity of parents donating clothes, we will be offering pre-loved uniform for free. So please come along and grab a tasty Easter treat and grab a free uniform to see the children through the summer! If you are able to bake or donate some tasty treats please do let Claire or Angela know or drop us a line ([friends.wootton.school@gmail.com](mailto:friends.wootton.school@gmail.com))

**Marketing Lead vacancy-**We are looking for someone who is able to volunteer some time to help us help us with marketing events and sharing news of how your valuable contributions make a difference to the school. If you are interested please contact us at: [friends.wootton.school@gmail.com](mailto:friends.wootton.school@gmail.com). No experience necessary, just enthusiasm

**Volunteers-** Events can only happen with the help of volunteers. If you'd like to help on a one-off or ongoing basis please do drop us a line: [friends.wootton.school@gmail.com](mailto:friends.wootton.school@gmail.com). The more help we have the more we can do!

### School Bank Details

Please see the Bank details below to make direct credit payments for your child/ren. School dinners, school trips, Before and after school club etc can all be paid this way.

**Bank- Lloyds TSB**

**Account No- 19341368**

**Sort code- 30.80.12**

**Reference- Childs Name Lunch Or Childs Name Care or Childs Name Trip.**

**Separate Payments should be set up for each child and service i.e. Lunch, Care or Trip.**

### Spring Craft Fayre at W&DSCC Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> March

