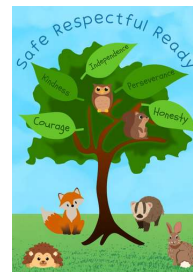


CAM WOODFIELD INFANT SCHOOL

GROW – EXPLORE – DISCOVER



Newsletter 9 - 31st March 2025

Year One are delighted to report that their bake sale last week raised £100 which they plan to put towards the cost of their forthcoming trip to Gloucester. We also raised £100 to go to Comic Relief. Thank you for all your kind donations.

Staffing

We are very sad to inform you that Mrs Bezance will be leaving school at the end of this term. She will be greatly missed by us all and we wish her well. However we have some exciting news, Mrs Dessi is expecting another baby!



We have appointed a new Deputy Head, Miss Emma Brown, who will be teaching Badger Class. Miss Brown has already been to visit Badger Class a couple of times and the children are enjoying getting to know her.



Mr Lance Boston has spent some time getting to know all the children at school. He will be teaching full time in Owl Class after Easter. Mrs Dessi will be covering PPA until she goes on maternity leave.

Parents Evening

Parents Evenings will take place on Wednesday 30th April and Thursday 1st May between 3:40pm - 6:30pm. From Tuesday 1st April to Friday 4th April, please sign up for your appointment outside your child's classroom at drop off times. If you are unable to sign up in person please email: admin@woodfield.gloucs.sch.uk to arrange an appointment.

Mrs Bezance will be holding two Parents Evenings in the final week of this term. Monday 7th April (3:40pm -6:00pm) and Wednesday 9th April (3:40pm - 4:50pm). Miss Brown will be holding 'Meet the Teacher' meetings at the normal Parents Evening slots so Badger Class parents will have the opportunity to sign up for two meetings.

Mrs Dessi and Mr Boston will both be present for Owl Class Parents Evenings.

Easter Celebration

On Thursday 10th April parents and carers are invited to our Easter celebrations in the hall. Years One and Two will be performing at 9:10am and Reception will be performing at 1:25pm.



Attendance

It is very important that children attend school on time and regularly. Nationally Headteachers are not permitted to approve term time holidays except in genuinely exceptional circumstances. Please remember our leave of absence form can be found on [our website](#). If your child has a medical appointment please can you share the appointment email or message with school.

When a child's absence is becoming a concern we will contact you to see how we can support you to improve it. Mrs Dummelow, our Family Support Advisor, has lots of experience in supporting families and will always try to help remove barriers.



Should the attendance not improve following this support, we will ask you to attend a meeting where actions and targets will be agreed with the intention of improving attendance. If the attendance does not improve at this point, we may issue a 'Notice to Improve' and if the situation still doesn't improve, a Fixed Penalty Notice could be levied. We would prefer not to do this, but it is your legal responsibility to ensure your child attends school regularly.

Dates 2024/2025

Thursday 3 rd April	Y1 Trip to Gloucester	All day
Thursday 10 th April	Easter celebrations in the hall	KS1 9:10am Reception 1:25pm
Thursday 10 th April	End of Term	2pm
Friday 11 th April	Inset day	
Monday 14 th April until Friday 25 th April Easter Holiday		
Monday 28 th April	Term starts	8:55 am
Wednesday 30 th April	Pre- School Fun in the hall	1:30pm - 2:30pm
Wednesday 30 th April	Parents Evening- in school	3:40pm - 6:30pm
Thursday 1 st May	Parents Evening- in school	3:40pm - 6:30pm
Monday 5 th May SCHOOL CLOSED BANK HOLIDAY		
Monday 19 th May	Pre- School Fun in the hall	1:30pm - 2:30pm
Friday 23 rd May	Sports Day with Junior School	Details to follow
	End of term	3:25pm
Monday 26 th May Friday 30 th May Half Term		
Monday 2 nd June	Term starts	8:55 am
Wb Monday 9 th June	Phonics Screening Check	
Monday 10 th June	Induction Meeting New Reception Intake	6:00pm
Thursday 3 rd July	YR Bake Sale (contributions gratefully received)	3:10pm
Wednesday 9 th July	Meet the new teacher meeting	3:40pm - 5:00pm