

SOUTH WOOTTON INFANT SCHOOL

Newsletter - 2nd February 2024

Headteacher Update

Finally, we have come to the end of January and are entering a new month with Spring hopefully around the corner! Children and staff have been suffering from a variety of illnesses since Christmas. Please check with the NHS guidance if you are concerned about whether to send your child to school or not. You can find further information here: http://www.justonenorfolk.nhs.uk/attendance

Next week the teachers are holding virtual Parent Consultations. These are a chance to discuss your child's progress and targets. If you have not booked an appointment, you still can book until Sunday evening. Please visit https://swis.schoolcloud.co.uk to book your appointments. You log in with your child's name and date of birth. We will be holding Friday afternoon Book Looks in March where your child can show you the work in their books. (see below for dates)

We are pleased to announce that we have appointed Mrs Katherine Pratt to cover Mrs Fuller's maternity leave. She is a very experienced teacher and we know she will make a great addition to the SWIS team.

Don't Forget the Valentine's Discos on Wednesday 14th February – places still available!

World Book Day - 7th March 2024

On Thursday 7th March we will be celebrating World Book Day. The children can come into school dressed as their favourite book character. Please do not feel that you need to buy a ready-made costume as using and adapting things you already have reinforces our Reduce, Re-use, Recycle message!

The children will bring home their World Book Day £1 token on Friday 16th February. World Book Day £1 books will be available in shops from that date or you can put the token towards any book.

Hopefully, all the children will keep reading over half term!

Local News

The police have been into school today as they are investigating two burglaries that have happened on Church Lane this week. They are asking whether anyone has seen unknown vehicles or people in the area. Please let us know if you have seen anything suspicious and we will let CID know.

Attendance Matters

The class with the best attendance in January was

HEDGEHOGS CLASS

with a total attendance of 96.63%.

The current whole school attendance for the school year since September is 95% which is below our target of 96%.

January Birthdays

In Reception, Isla B, Jenson and George are now 5 years old.

In Year 1, Arthur B, Isabella, James, Ted and Arthur F are now 6 years old.

In Year 2, Noah, Orla, Harriet, Henry, and Emme are now 7 years old.



February

5th and 7th Online Parent Consultations

14th - Valentine's Discos

3.15 - 4pm Year R

4.15 - 5pm Year 1

5.15 – 6pm Year 2

16th – Break up for half term

26th – Back to school

March

8th **and 15**th – Book Look 3.15 – 3.45pm

27th – Break up for Easter

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