

High Academic Standards: Sporting Opportunities: Caring Relationships: Musical Excellence: Christian Values

Dates for the Diary

1 st April	Non uniform day and last day of term
19 th April	Summer term starts (remember summer uniform)
11 May (TBC)	3.50pm - 5.50pm Parent child and teacher meeting on teams
Thursday 13 May (TBC)	3.50pm - 7pm Parent child and teacher meeting
Friday 14 May	Pyjamarama
Friday 23 rd July	Last day of term for children
26 – 28 July	INSET days

Headteacher citizenship award

Self managers	Effective participators	Resourceful thinkers	Reflective learners	Independent enquirers	Team workers
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R	Maisie	Throughout this week, Maisie has shown what an amazing young lady she is by getting on with activities independently. And yet, she is also a great team member, showing care for her class mates and being always willing and reliable in keeping the classroom tidy. She is an absolute treasure.
1	James	James has come back into school with such a brilliant positive mindset. He has obviously worked really hard during lock down and has brought the great attitude to learning that he had at home into school as well. Keep it up James, I am super proud of you!
2	Madison	Class 2 are learning about famous explorers and this week we pretended to be Christopher Columbus stuck in one of the many storms he encountered. Madison's message in a bottle really conveys the danger and how scared Columbus would have been feeling. Well Done!
3	Matilda	Matilda has been extremely positive, kind and supportive towards others on their return to school following the lockdown period. She's grown in confidence with her learning and this is shining through. Well done!
4	Class 4	Class 4 have been amazing this week. Miss Hislop, Mrs Joseph and Mrs Bloomfield are really pleased with how they have handled coming back to school and getting on with everything they have been asked. They have worked together really well and tried their best at all the challenges they have been set.
5	Lilly	Lilly has worked so hard on improving her handwriting and it is beautifully presented. We are really proud of her efforts.
6	Class 6	Class 6 have been real super stars this week. We are really pleased with how they have handled coming back to school and getting on with everything they have been asked to do whilst Mr Litchfield was on paternity. They have worked together exceptionally well and gone above and beyond to prove they can be responsible, particularly earning the chance to play football.

Contact tracing over the Easter holidays

Staff, parents and carers only need to inform the school of a positive case where they developed symptoms within 48 hours of being in their education setting. We are asked to assist in identifying close contacts and advising self-isolation, as the individual may have been infectious whilst in their education setting. If you believe this describes your situation, please email: office@woodsfoundation.notts.sch.uk. Where pupils, students or staff test positive for coronavirus (COVID-19) during the holidays, having developed symptoms more than 48 hours since being in an education setting, we are not required to take any action. Staff, students, parents and carers should follow contact tracing instructions provided by NHS Test and Trace.

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Reading Books from School

If you have any reading books sent home from school (possibly from before the first lockdown), please send them back to school next week, in the plastic wallet you received. This will enable us to have more books in stock to give out, once they have been quarantined.

Newsletter from Annie and All at St Swithuns

Hello Everyone, how has your week been so far? I do hope it has been ok and you have settled into your lessons again and things are feeling familiar. I am sure you are looking after each other really well and your Teachers too. I wonder if it has felt a bit like being on a journey with stages along the way. A little bit like our journey through Lent. We only have 2 more weeks left now, and the last week is a very special one it leads up to Easter Sunday. I wonder if you remember when we wondered through Godly Play what Easter was all about. I remember you drew some amazing Crosses and shared your thoughts. The last week of Lent is called Holy Week and it is when we remember about Jesus final Journey to the Cross, starting on Palm Sunday when, with his followers, he rode on a donkey into Jerusalem. I am sure you will be looking at that journey soon in your lessons and assemblies.

Normally we would spend time in Church each day of that week, thinking about what Jesus helped his disciples with during this time. It was a time of wondering for his disciples as to what was going to happen and what it would mean for them, I am sure they felt anxious and worried. We are very lucky in that we know what happened we can read all about it in our Bibles, but the disciples didn't, it must have been a tough time for them.

As we have journeyed through this past year, we have not known what has been going to happen and it has been a tough time but because of everyone helping and looking after each other and taking care we are moving forward to brighter times. I wonder how you are feeling. I know I am very excited but also making sure I am being sensible and keeping safe and making sure I do my best to help others stay safe too, just like your acts of random kindness in caring and looking after each other. As we move on in our journey through this time and towards Easter although it is a difficult time it is one of hope and excitement.

Our prayers surround you as always and all who make up Woods School. You are amazing. Take care. God Bless. Speak soon.

Annie <:)))><... 

Prayer

If you would like to make this prayer your own, then please say the Amen at the end.

Loving God, as we continue on our journey thinking and wondering about Jesus during this time of Lent and leading up to Easter, help us to keep on working together, sharing, and caring for each other.

Help us to hold on to the hope we have for the future.

When our friends are feeling anxious or worried help us to be kind to them and help them feel better.

Help us to build a better future where each of us can become the best person we can be.

Thank you, Jesus, for loving and caring for us, in your name we pray **Amen.**

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