



Woodbury C of E Primary School

12th January 2018

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Dear Parents

This term we are focussing upon the value of love. I explored this with the children in Collective Worship on Monday, where we looked at the poem below about compassion. We concluded that our school resolution should be for all of us to be as compassionate as we could be and that this would make the school a fantastic place to be with so many people looking after and caring for each other. I really do have the best job in the world, sharing such positive and genuine thoughts with such lovely children.

Compassion is.....

- Costly caring
- Offering help
- Making a difference
- Putting others first
- Always listening
- Sensitive to suffering
- Service in action
- Interest in others
- Offering care and concern
- Noticing a need

Census day

The Spring census is on Thursday 18th January 2018. Please could we ask that as many children as possible have school dinners and if your child has Free School Meals or Universal Infant Free School Meals that they have a school meal on this day as it will help to increase the funding the school receives in the forthcoming year. The menu for the day is Westcountry Sausages or Potato and Courgette Rosti followed by Chocolate Rice Pudding.

Chairs!

If you would like one/some of our old school chairs, they are free to take away. Please contact the school office if you are interested.

Driving and Parking around School

Please could I ask everyone who brings their child to school by car that they make sure that they drive and park safely around school. A parent has already expressed their concerns to me about this and I am concerned for the safety of children crossing the road as well as causing inconvenience to our neighbours.

Team Point Challenge

Congratulations to the red team who earned the most team points in the Autumn term. Amelia and Toby, the red team captains, have been given the responsibility of planning the red team prize afternoon.

Consultations

The Government is asking people for their views on a green paper setting out measures to improve mental health support for children and young people. Visit <https://engage.dh.gov.uk/youngmentalhealth/> to find out more and express your opinions

They are also consulting on Sex and Relationship Education and PSHE. To find out more and express your views visit <https://consult.education.gov.uk/life-skills/pshe-rse-call-forevidence/>

PTFA Beetle Drive – Saturday 27th January

Ticket application forms have been put into the children's book bags today. Please could you return your completed slip with payment to the school office by Monday 22nd January in order for the PTFA to issue entry tickets. These will be sent home via book bags by Wednesday 24th January.

Class Curriculum Letters

The Spring term class curriculum letters will be sent home early next week.

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Sparks
Head Teacher