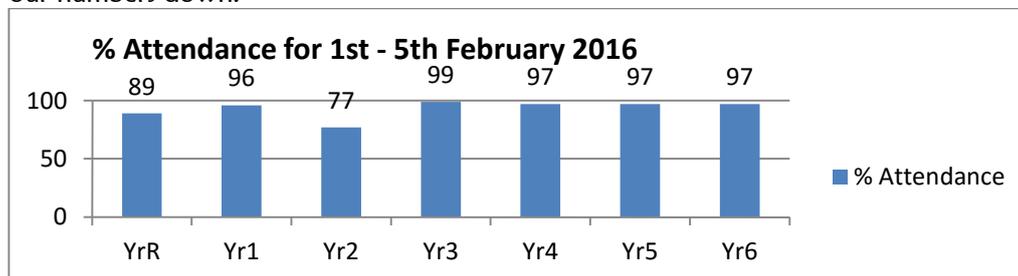




NEWSLETTER – Monday 8th February 2016

Attendance

Yr3 came top last week on 99%, followed by Yr4, Yr5, & Yr6 on 97%. Yr 1 are next on 96% and bringing up the rear last week were Rec on 89% and finally Yr 2 on 77%. There is still some chicken pox going round so this has brought our numbers down.



General Reminders

- **Parent Governor** – Voting is still open so please post your voting slips in the box in Reception. Voting closes **TODAY Monday 8th Feb at 5pm.**
- **Parent Questionnaire** – There is still time to complete the survey about this school at <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/woodfordgreen>

Upcoming events

- **Safer Internet Day – 9th February**
- **World Wildlife Fund – 12th February** – Yr2 are having a toy sale 3.15-3.30pm to raise funds. Please note there will be no tuck shop this day.
- **Chinese New Year** – A special school dinner menu has been arranged for lunchtime on Thurs 11th Feb.
- **World Book Day – 3rd March** - Further details will be sent out to parents on 22nd February.
- **INSET DAY 11th March** - School will be closed for pupils as staff have an INSET day.
- **Parent Consultation Meetings** – These will be held on 20th & 21st April – details to follow.

<p>February 2016 10th Feb – YR4 Madame Tussauds 12th Feb – Break up for half term – normal school collection time Half Term 15-19 February</p>	 <p>Good Friday Bank Holiday 25th March Easter Sunday Bank Holiday 28th March Easter Holidays until Sunday 10th April Children Return to school on Monday 11th April</p>
<p>March 2016 1st Mar – Yr 5 Trip to Natural History Museum 2nd Mar – Y4 Class Assembly 3rd Mar – World Book Day 4th Mar – Nursery Assembly 10th Mar – Y3 Class Assembly 11th Mar – School closed for Pupils (INSET DAY) w/c 14th March is Science week at school 17th Mar – Y2 Class Assembly 24th Mar – Y5 Class Assembly Break Up for Easter on 24th March</p>	

We will be having another Uniform Sale from 9.15am to 10am tomorrow (Tues 9th February) & also on Wed 10th February.

All Uniform we have left in stock will be sold at a discounted price!

**Please come along to make your final purchases direct from school.
After half term uniform will only be available from www.Speedstitch.co.uk**



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Quotations – School Council

As part of future newsletters we will be including quotations from children. We have started with the School Council and this is what they had to say.

Gilbert	Y3	“Our maths test was fun. I got 10 out of 12!”
Archie	Y5	“I like when we did co-ordinates in maths because we got to work with other people and help each other”.
Roisin	Y5	“I enjoyed making rocket ships in class with my partner for our space theme.”
Ava	Y2	“I really liked giving out the green week cards to all the children it made them really happy.”

In future School Council will be interviewing their friends in class to gather more quotations.

Writer of the week

The School Council have asked for a child in each class to be awarded a certificate each week for being ‘Writer of the Week’. This will start after half term.

School Nursing Service

A reminder that the School Nursing Service are holding Drop-In sessions at school at school drop off times in the morning on the following dates:

Friday 12th February
Tuesday 10th May

Tuesday 15th March
Friday 10th June

Friday 8th April

Sainsbury’s Vouchers



School will again be collecting these vouchers this year. The promotion has started in stores so please start collecting vouchers and ask family members to do the same. They can be posted in the collecting box in the Reception Area.



Our stars of the week for last week!

Well done!





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Nursery

This is Finley's shape picture of a train. We were really "chuffed" with it! Well done.

Governors Update



Hello my name is Claire Keefe, I am newly appointed community Governor for your school. I have worked in Education for the last 20 years, prior to this I was a journalist. I have been a governor at two primary schools previously and enjoy both supporting and challenging schools to be the best they can be.

Since joining the Governing Body at the end of November I've attended 3 Governors meetings and have really enjoyed learning about your school. I have been particularly impressed in hearing about the School Councils' Green Card System, 'Good to be Green', and look forward to hearing about all the wonderful achievements of the pupils when they receive their prizes at the end of the year.

At our last Governors' meeting we received a presentation on the new SEND regulations and how the school is implementing new strategies, policies and procedures to ensure compliance and the very best outcomes for all pupils. We will, along with the schools leadership team, continue to review and monitor effectiveness.

In my role as Governor, I am a member of the finance and resources committee and am link Governor for Safeguarding. After Half term I will be visiting the School to meet with pupils and staff and learn more about how the school are keeping pupils safe and secure.

The Governing body members will be attending many of the schools community and parent pupil events over the coming months and we look forward to meeting you then.