

Woodside Matters

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This term's school value is tolerance

Welcome back to the new Spring term, we hope you all had an enjoyable Christmas break. We already have lots of exciting things planned for this term, please check the website and the APP as these are updated regularly with information for you.

Celebrations

Congratulations to Lexie, Sophie, Oliver, Ellyn, Tabitha and Harry who were drawn out of the hat as our reading winners for last term. We hope you enjoy reading your book prize.

Lanyards

The governors have asked us to adopt a new identification system for staff and visitors to the school. Staff will have a green lanyard, visiting professionals to the school will have a yellow lanyard and any other visitors will have a red lanyard. This is part of our safeguarding work in teaching children about stranger-danger and the awareness of who we can trust.

Uniform

Thank you for your support with our uniform. As a reminder, children are allowed one pair of stud earrings, hair should be tied back and we do not approve of shaved designs or colouring, in line with the expectations at secondary schools. Children should wear the correct PE kit on the days their class have PE, please check with the class teacher if you are unsure. We are grateful for your help in maintaining standards and as it helps prepare children for secondary school.

Term Dates:

Term 3

3rd Jan to 17th Feb

Term 4

27th Feb to 31st March

Term 5

17th April to 26th May

Term 6

5th June to 25th July

Inset Days:

3rd Jan

24th and 25th July

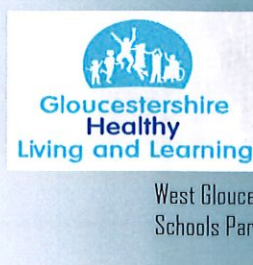
Swimming reminder

Year 2 and 6 children will be swimming on Thursday afternoons from 5th January. They will need swimming kit—costume and towel.

Children in Year 1 and 5 will have PE that afternoon so will need to come to school dressed in their PE kit please.

100 Club

For all children wishing to take part in our school's fundraising 100 Club **please contact the school office.** A weekly number will be drawn out with the winner receiving £5.00. If you are already on the list this term's payment of £3.50 is now due through ParentPay. Thank you.



Class news

Our new knowledge organisers and curriculum maps are being put onto the website so you can see what we all be learning about this term. Please make sure you check the website and the APP regularly for updated information, children will have short quizzes in class to see what facts they can recall.



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Cricket sessions

We are fortunate to have Mr Gooding coming in to school to help teach us some cricket skills. He will be working with children on Tuesday January 31st. Weather appropriate PE kit will need to be worn on this day please.

Other Dates:

5th January: Year 2 and Year 6 swimming

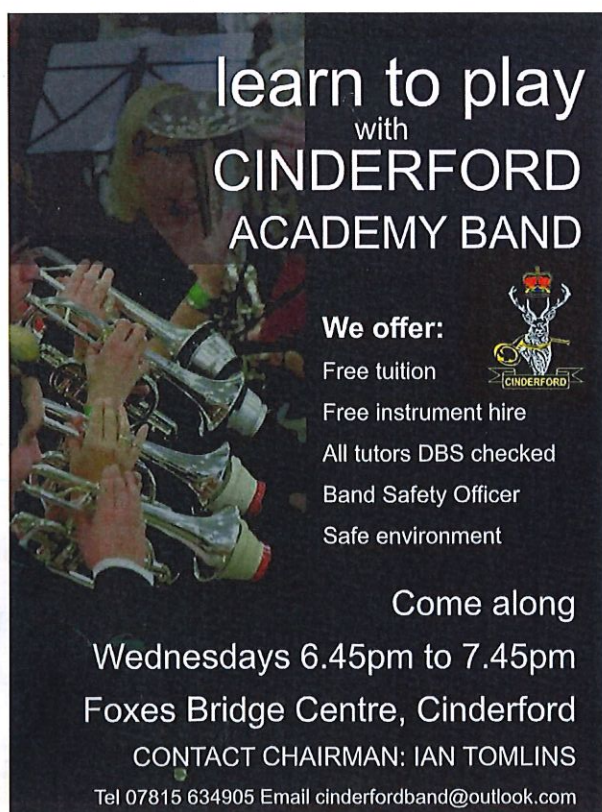
10th January: Hindu workshops for Fallow Deer, Woodpecker and Red Squirrel children

23rd January: PTFA meeting 2pm. All welcome

25th January – Young Voices Concert, Birmingham.

31st January - cricket sessions. PE kit required.

20th February: Half term holidays



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