

Woodside Matters

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This term's school value is tolerance

Congratulations to our certificate winners this week:

Dojos: Cai, Clay, Maeve, Jasmine, Lucy, Florrie, Lily & Miri

Reading: Sierra, Clara, Sabrina, Jasmine, Demaris, Corey, Sienna, Jaicob, Joe & Max

Achievement: Eva, Izabelle, Ella, Ellie, Callie, Gregory, Scarlet & Elena

Pro-Star: Archie, Bartie, Zeta

Well done to Clara for her Stage 1 swimming badge and certificate, to Ruby for her 10m swimming badge and certificate and to Lucy who shared that lots of her Brownie group has been awarded their baking badge recently. On Saturday Kayden travelled down to Exeter football academy for a tournament against Exeter, Southampton and Yeovil. This was his first time officially representing Cheltenham Town Academy. They won their first 5 games unfortunately missing out on bringing the trophy home by 1 goal! Congratulations to you all.



Beat the Street

Thank you to everyone who took part in this earlier on in the year. This week we received a certificate for our participation and we have been awarded a £50 Waterstones voucher for us to spend on books for the library. Children in Year 5 and 6 have helped to select some books which are available for children to borrow.

Caterlink

On Thursday the whole school were able to take part in an assembly run by Caterlink staff. We heard from a chef who helps devise the menus we have and from a nutritionist who works with Caterlink to make sure our meals provide a balanced diet. We hope more of our children enjoy some of the lovely meals now they have a better understanding of how they support a good diet for learning and growing.



Term Dates 2025

Spring term 2025
6th January—11th April
Half Term: 17th—21st Feb

Summer Term 2025
28th April—21st July
Half Term: May 26th—30th

INSET days:
April 11th,
July 21st

Term dates for 2025-2026 will be available on our website soon if you would like to see them.

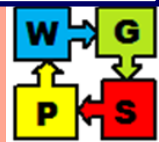
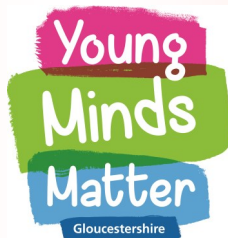
100 Club

For all children wishing to take part in our school's fundraising 100 Club please contact the school office.

Well done to Archie who is our winner this week.



We promote British Values and uphold our own school values of **friendship, determination, respect, tolerance, courage** and **self-belief**. As a reminder our Safeguarding, Behaviour, Complaints and other policies are on the website should you wish to view them.



West Gloucestershire Schools Partnership

Upcoming dates

29th January—Height/weight check for Reception & Year 6 children

3rd February—National Story Telling Week

4th February—Chance to Shine Cricket Sessions—see posters opposite

5th February—Year 5 and 6 federation afternoon

7th February—In the Net play for Year 4 children

26th February—Young Voices concert

5th March—poetry workshops with Charlotte L Taylor

11th April—INSET day

28th April—Class photos

12th-15th May Year 6 SATs week

2nd June—Year 4 multiplication check two week timeframe start

19th June—Year 5/6 Federation sports event

3rd July—Porthcawl seaside trip Year 1 and 2



Big Moments of summer fun!

ALL STARS CRICKET

For all 5 – 8 year-old boys and girls

Give your little star a summer of big moments, making new friends, learning new skills and creating new memories.

Every participant receives their very own personalised kit bag including bat, ball, cap and t-shirt!

Sign up today at
allstarscricket.co.uk or at the centre

The poster features a group of children in blue cricket kits on a green field. In the background, there are trees and a clear blue sky. A logo in the top right corner says 'ALL STARS CRICKET' with a cricket ball and bat icon. The text 'Big Moments of summer fun!' is written in large, bold letters. Below the photo, there is a blue box with white text and an orange box with white text.

Children will be accessing a taster session (Chance to Shine) for cricket on February 4th.

PE kit will be required for all classes please.

Parking

Please could we remind all parents that the bus stop parking needs to be **kept clear at all times.**

This is so that we can get children on and off a bus safely without needing to use the busy road. Thank you for your help with this.



DYNAMOS CRICKET

This is our game.

Calling all 8-11 year-olds!
Sign up today, at
dynamicscricket.co.uk

The poster features two children in yellow cricket kits. One child is holding a cricket ball, and the other is holding a cricket bat. The background is a vibrant mix of blue, pink, and yellow. The text 'DYNAMOS CRICKET' is written in a stylized font at the top right. The main text 'This is our game.' is in large, bold letters. At the bottom, there is a yellow box with black text.