



# Wootton St. Peters C of E Primary School

Our children become the rocks upon which a better world can be built.

Our Vision: Our children become the rocks upon which a better world can be built. We explore the values of *perseverance, compassion, and courage* to open up horizons of hope and aspiration.

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## SCHOOL NEWS

**23.01.26**

**Monday 12th January and every Monday after that until Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March-** Swimming- Jade Class.

**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> January-** Fire Service visiting Opal Class 9.30am.

**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> January-** Tennis Coach in- All classes. Please make sure children have their PE kit in school.

**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb-Friday 6<sup>th</sup> Feb-** Children's Mental Health Week.

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> Feb-** PC Ben visiting YR1&2 and YR 3&4.

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February-** NSPCC Maths Number Day.

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February-** Open Classrooms 2.45pm.

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February-** Non-Uniform Day £1 donation.

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> Feb-Friday 20<sup>th</sup> Feb-** Half Term- School Closed.

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February-** School Starts 8.30am.

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March-** World Book Day.

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> Mar- Friday 27<sup>th</sup> Mar-** Science Week- Curiosity What's your question.

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March-** Reception & Yr6 Heights and Weights.

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March-** Reception Vision Screening.

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March-** Moonstone Planetarium workshop at Abingdon School 9-11am.

**Monday March 16<sup>th</sup>-** Parents Evening 3.10-6pm **ONLINE.**

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March-** Parents Evening 3.10-6pm **IN PERSON.**

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March-** Reception - Yr 6 Children school trip to The Oxford Science Centre.

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March-** Non-Uniform Day. £1 Donation.

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March-** Easter Service 9.30am.

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March-** End of Term. School Finishes at 1.15pm.

**Monday 30<sup>th</sup> Mar- Friday 10<sup>th</sup> April-** Easter Holidays- School Closed.

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April-** School Starts 8.30am.

### Dear parents/carers,

The children have all been enjoying delving deeper into their topics this week. There have been so many wonderful creative projects happening this week, throughout the school. In PE this week, the children have continued to explore different inclusive sports and they enjoyed learning how to play boccea.

**Moonstone –** The children are really starting to enjoy their science topic about the solar system. This week they had a great science lesson about planetary sizes, where the children had to sort the planets in order or size. Next they created a 3D diagram of the planets in the solar system. We also enjoyed reading the book "Curiosity of a Mars Rover", where they were inspired to create their own Mars Rover models.



### Our Mars Rovers





**Jade –** The children are doing really well at swimming , and it's been positive the progress they have made from the first to the second week. The children are showing great confidence in their skills. In Design Technology, the children really enjoyed tasting some different soups, in preparation for designing and making their own soups this term. I think cream of tomato was the most popular!

#### **Jade-**

The children used wax resist and paint wash to replicate the Kent garments.



**Opal Class –** The children have been working on using some tricky adjectives and thinking of synonyms for 'big'. They use thesauruses to help them up-level their writing. Opal class have had a really successful PE lesson. It was great to see how they could do a squat jump and bunny hop onto the bench.

**Little Gems –** The children have been competing some great Kandinsky art this week. In drawing club, they have been learning the story of Hansel and Gretel and they have been writing their own full sentences, punctuated correctly. They have also enjoyed baking and constructing some gingerbread house this week.

#### **Road Safety**

Please try and use the car park near the church, where possible as I have noticed an increase in cars outside the school recently. I know the inclement weather makes it less desirable, but it does help to keep all of our children safe. Thank you for your support.

#### **School Swimming**

Please remember to bring your swimming kit for Mondays swimming lesson 😊

#### **After School Club Supervisor**

Would you like to join our wonderful team? We are looking for someone to run our After School club from 3-5pm. Please have a look at the job advert online. You will also be able to bring your own children along for free. We are looking for someone Monday-Friday but are happy to be flexible and split the role between more than one person.

<https://oxfordshire.education-jobs.org.uk/jobs/job/After-School-Care-Supervisor/9148>

Kindest Regards,  
Carina Phillips  
Acting Headteacher

#### **The School Shield**



**Little Gems – Oscar** for working really hard to sound out his words independently. Great Job Oscar 😊

**Opal – Lucas** for his excellent independent writing describing what it is like to come face to face with a Polar Bear using strong adjectives. Fantastic Lucas 😊

**Jade – Louie** for his amazing swimming this week. You were fantastic Louie 😊

**Moonstone – Zameisa** for a brilliant explanation about the planets and their different sizes. Great work Zameisa 😊



## This weeks Maths Master

**Little Gems – Natan for explaining well the relationship between 5 and other numbers up to 10. Well done Natan**



**Opal – Joni for recognising and ordering coins. Well done Joni** 😊

**Jade – Ambrose for his excellent Multiplication. Well done Ambrose** 😊

**Moonstone – Larsson for excellent work calculating fractions of numbers. Well done Larsson** 😊

## This Week's

Ask Me!

**Little Gems – How to make a Ginger Bread House (Our Hansel and Gretel topic)**

**Opal – Our Polar Bear Suncatchers and what we have learnt about money this term.**

**Jade – Injunctions.**

**Moonstone – our Mars Rover models.**

## 5 Stars For Tracy



We would like to congratulate our school cook 'Tracy' for receiving a 5 Star Food Hygiene rating this morning. EHO came in to score the following :

- The kind of food being handled
- Physical condition of the premises
- Ventilation, cleanliness, pest control and facilities
- All processes carried out before food is processed or sold to customers
- If and how hygiene standards are being upheld

We are so pleased to say that Tracy passed with flying colours! Well done Tracy... We all knew you would 😊

## EASY FUNDRAISING FOR WOOTTON ST PETERS SCHOOL.

A big thank you to our amazing supporters who raise free funds for us on #easyfundraising.

If you're not signed up yet, please join today and you can raise free donations for Friends of Wootton School - Oxford every time you shop online this year. All the big retailers are ready to make a free donation at no extra cost to you.

Please sign up before midnight 29th January and we could win a £500 donation:

<https://join.easyfundraising.org.uk/fowsoxford/emwqtc/c2s/KIKNhASV/CE941/facebook/>

**77** supporters have signed up to support:

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2 chances to WIN **£500**

Jumpstart your January

C, you have 77 supporters signed up to raise free donations for Friends of Wootton School - Oxford - keep going in 2020!

Invite others to join you this month, and we'll enter you into a prize draw to win one of two £500 donations.

Every time you share one of the messages below, you'll get an entry.

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## Bank Details

Trips, Meals and Before and after school club etc can all be paid this way.

**Bank- Lloyds TSB**

**Account No- 19341368**

**Sort code- 30.80.12.**

**Reference- Childs Name Lunch or Childs Name Care or Childs Name Trip.**

**Separate Payments should be set up for each child and service i.e. Lunch, Care or Trip.**