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

Week ending 6th November 2026

Monday 9th November - School Flu immunisations (Nasal Spray) R-Yr6 Children. *Please note that the consent portal closes **one working day before the vaccination session**, and consent forms must be submitted before this deadline to ensure children can be included.*

Tuesday 10th November - Parents evening in person- 3.10-6pm. Please book your slot.

Wednesday 18th November - Tempest Photos, Siblings and Individuals 8.30am start.

Thursday 19th November - Parents Evening in person 3.10-6pm. Please book your slot.

Friday 20th November – 9.30am Open Morning for prospective parents.

Tuesday 24th November - Six Yr 6 children going to Abingdon School for- Primary Business Challenge. 10am-3pm.

Wednesday 25th November - YR1 & Yr2 Multisport and cricket at John mason School.

Friday 27th November - Phoenix Class Greek Café 2.30pm.

Friday 4th December - Christmas Bazar.

Tuesday 8th December - EYFS & KS1 Nativity 5pm.

Thursday 10th December - EYFS & KS1 Nativity 9.30am.

Monday 14th December - Rock Steady Xmas Performance to parents (of children who attend Rock Steady) at 2.30pm

Tuesday 15th December - Carols by Candlelight 2pm. All parents welcome.

Wednesday 16th December - Christmas Dinner Day.

Wednesday 16th December - Christmas Cinema.

Thursday 17th December - Class Christmas Parties.

Thursday 17th December - Non uniform Day/ Party clothes.

Friday 18th December - End of Term, school finishes at 1.15pm.

Monday 4th January - Inset Day.

Tuesday 5th January - School starts 8.30am.

Dear parents/carers,

Welcome back from the half term break, I hope you all had a restful time. School has been very busy this week, please look below to see to fantastic work the children have produced this week.

Next **Friday, 13th November**, the school will be supporting Children in Need. Children can come dressed in yellow / spots / Pudsey ears for a donation of £1 please.

The School Choir will be singing at the WW2 themed tea dance at the Community Centre next Wednesday, 12th November.

Is your child due to start school in reception class in September 2027? Applications are now open on the Admissions page of Oxfordshire County Council's website. Applications close on 27th January 2027.

I am writing to gently remind you that payment for Before/After School Club and school meals must be made in advance. As a small school, our budget is extremely limited. Each class has only £100 per year to purchase essential learning resources such as books, pencils, paints, and stationery. When fees remain unpaid, it directly impacts the resources available to your child and their peers. We are already undertaking additional fundraising to support creative and enriching projects for the children, and unpaid fees make this increasingly challenging.



The School Shield

Robin Class – Isabelle for her great drawing club this week working on Owl Babies.

Falcon Class – Aryan for always trying his best, being a kind member of the class and always following the High 5 promise.

Phoenix Class – Elise for a fantastic description of Percy Jackson.

This weeks Maths Master



Robin Class – Joshua for his understanding of numbers to five and being able to match objects to those numbers.

Falcon Class – Nina for her perseverance and hard work on column subtraction with multiple exchanges.

Phoenix Class - Kai, excellent resilience and improvement in Maths.



Ask me About

Robin Class – Our Road Safety training with Ride on Time.

Falcon Class – The class campfire.

Phoenix Class - Charles Darwin.

The Children's Highlights of the week

Robin class had a visit from the Early Years Road Safety Team.



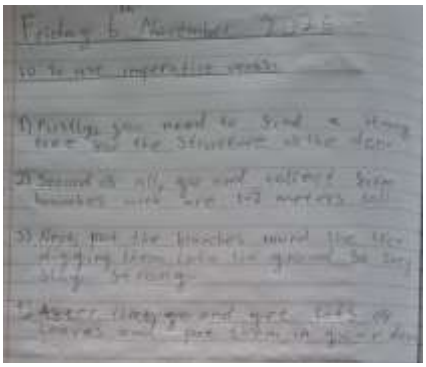




Falcon class being stone age people to kick-start their new topic.









Phoenix class their final pots and vases inspired by Ancient Greek pottery









Payment Details

Please see schools' payment details below. This is the easiest way to pay for your children's school meals, trips and wrap around care. All school dinners and wrap around care needs to be pin advance. You can pay weekly or termly, which ever suits you best. All school trip payments and slips must be returned by the date on the trip letters. Many thanks.

Bank- **Lloyds**

Account number- **19341368**

Sort code- **30-80-12**

Reference- Childs name/care, child's name/ dinners or child's name trip.

FOWS News

We're delighted to announce that our FOWS Christmas Fundraising raffle is now live. We've managed to secure a wide range of fantastic prizes including a Miele vacuum cleaner, vouchers for a variety of local family days out, Blenheim Palace Family Annual Pass, Pegasus Theatre tickets, Loose Cannon Open evening tickets, a stay at the Hilton Garden Inn in Abingdon, toys, crafting and loads more (they are still coming in!)

The link to the raffle is:

https://go.rallyup.com/fowschristmasraffle2026

Please do share with family and friends - the raffle is open to everyone!

Additionally, if any of you have any unwanted items that would be suitable for our Christmas Fayre tombola or Michaela's incredibly popular "Elfridge's", where children can buy and wrap presents for their parents, we'd be very grateful of any donations - please just pop them into the FOWS donation box in the school reception.

We're really excited about making this year's Christmas fundraising as fun and successful as last year. Thank you for all your ongoing support. Please see the attachments.

Oxford Brookes University

My name is Dina Sikorska, and I work at Oxford Brookes University, where I founded **Re**connect, our Parents and Carers Support Network.

I'm getting in touch to share an upcoming Oxford Brookes Open Lecture that I thought might be of interest to your school.

Navigating SEND Reform, Together brings together SEND professionals, researchers and parent/carer advocates to discuss the current reforms and what they could mean for children and young people, families and schools.

With changes to SEND provision and support on the horizon, the discussion will offer an opportunity to hear different perspectives and consider what the reforms could mean in practice for education professionals, school leaders and the families they support.

Event details

- Date: Wednesday 11 November 2026
- Time: 6:00pm
- Location: Oxford Brookes University, Headington Campus
- Cost: Free to attend
- Parking: Free campus parking is available.

You can find more information and register here: https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/navigating-send-reform-together-tickets-1996070018157

I'd be grateful if you could share the event with any colleagues who might be interested. If you have any questions, please feel free to get in touch.

Best wishes,
Dina