



Woodcroft Primary School/ Newsletter



Friday 27th February 2026

Welcome

We would like to warmly welcome Miss Melissa Smith our new Year 4 Teacher. Welcome to Woodcroft!

Parents Evenings

Parents Evening for all year groups will be on **Tuesday 17th March** 3:30 – 7:00pm and **Wednesday 18th March** 3:30 – 5:30pm.

How to Book an Appointment

If you haven't done so already, appointments are live and ready to book on Arbor. Parents evening appointments are only 10 minutes long, however if you have a significant concern or worry about your child, you can make an additional appointment to discuss this with their class teacher.

Time slots are available on a first come first served basis.

If you have not logged into Arbor yet or have not received a log in (into your junk email folder from Arbor) please email: admin@woodcroft.hants.sch.uk.

World Book day

This Year we will be celebrating World Book Day on **Thursday 5th March**. On this day, children are welcome to come to school dressed as their favourite book character. We will be designing and creating World Book Day inspired t-shirts in school. Children are welcome to wear these t-shirts if they do not want to dress up. There will also be a themed lunch menu (see picture).



Non uniform day

On Friday 20th March we are having a non-school uniform day in exchange for donations of chocolate or Easter eggs for our Easter Raffle. The raffle will be drawn on Thursday 26th March.



Dates to remember!

- * Monday 2nd March - Thursday 5th March - Year R Bikeability
- * Thursday 5th March - World Book Day and change of lunch menu
- * Friday 6th March - Year 6 Swimming
- * Tuesday 10th March - Year 2 Fort Nelson Trip
- * Wednesday 11th March - Whole School Author Visit
- * Friday 13th March - Year 6 Swimming
- * Tuesday 17th March - Year 5 Portsmouth Magistrates Court Trip
- * Friday 20th March - Year 6 Swimming
- * Friday 20th March - Non uniform day for donations of chocolate/Easter eggs
- * Friday 27th March - Year 6 Swimming
- * Friday 27th March - End of Term - 3.15pm finish
- * Monday 13th April - Back to School - 8.35am start



Inset days 2026

Thursday 7th May

Friday 22nd May

Friday 26th June



Sponsors of
Munchie & Maisie the guinea
pigs

Please ensure your child has no nut products in their lunch box, this includes all chocolate spreads



This is really important as we have children with severe nut allergies in school.



Safeguarding at Woodcroft

Safeguarding the pupils of Woodcroft is our number one priority. It is the legal responsibility of individuals that work in schools to safeguard pupils. If a child makes a disclosure that may mean they are at risk of harm or have suffered harm, we must report this to Children's Services. As a school, we do not decide what steps are then taken, this responsibility sits with Children's Services or the Police.

Our Designated Safeguarding leads are:

Mr Fanning

Mrs Pink

Mrs Sherwell

Mrs Wilkinson

Mrs Hawkins

What should you do if you suspect a child may be at risk of harm?

Although school staff have a legal responsibility to protect children, we should all raise concerns if we suspect a child may be at risk. Anyone can do this and it can be anonymous. ***If you believe a child is in immediate danger then you should call the police.*** If you have concerns that a child is at risk, but not in an immediate danger then you can make a referral to children's services directly.

To report a concern about a child in Hampshire, you can contact Hampshire Children's Services by:

- **Phone: 0300 555 1384, Monday to Thursday 8:30 AM–5 PM, Friday 8:30 AM–4:30 PM**
- **Out of hours: 0300 555 1373**
- **Email: childrens.services@hants.gov.uk**



Stars of the Week!



Year R Hedgehogs

Tommy

Year 1 Owls

Macey

Year 2 Lizards

Danielle

Year 3 Dolphins

Jonnie

Year 4 Lions

Austin

Year 5 Pandas

Aina

Year 6 Gorillas

Bella



Headteacher awards!

Izzy

Bowie

Kai

Lola-Belle

Danielle

Hunter

Amelia

Archie

Tommy

Freya

Arthur

Tommie-Bleu

Lauren

Dexter

Shay

Paisley

Logan

Tegan

Alfie

Breakfast Club Award!

This weeks' winners

Hunter



Well done to this weeks attendance winners



Lizards
97%



They get to have Magnum the attendance alpaca in class this week!

HOME START

Hampshire

NEW FAMILY MATTERS GROUP

IN HAVANT STARTING 3RD MARCH 2026

📍 Venue: The Spring,
Havant PO9 1BS
🕒 Time: Tuesdays,
10:15am – 11:45am



BABIES AND PRE-SCHOOLERS WELCOME

Join our friendly support group,
and meet other local families.

- Make new friends
- Connect with other parents
- Share experiences
- Increase parent confidence
- Try out new activities

Contact us today to find out more:

✉ familysupport@hshants.org.uk

☎ 0330 124 2095

Charity number: 1144661



Skills for Life Experiences for Life Friends for Life

Uniformed youth organisation based in
the South of England, **open to young
people aged 8+** with an aim to develop
and nurture important life skills while
also having a great time....

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Adventure
Archery
Rifle Shooting
Sailing
Powerboating
Kayaking
Marching Bands
Leadership Communication
Teamwork
Self Confidence



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Springwood Community Centre
recruitment@ntc.org.uk
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