



Wootton Bassett Infants' School Newsletter

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Our School Value for this term is:

We listen

With the Christmas holidays fast approaching, we just wanted to say what a great start to the year we have had. The new Reception children have settled in brilliantly, and it was lovely to watch them singing confidently at the Nativity this week.

We have enjoyed some wonderful events this term including our Yr2 trips to the Reme Museum and The Watermill Theatre, the Yr1 trip to the cinema, a whole school pantomime of Sleeping Beauty, cooking, Balance ability, outdoor learning, Rocksteady (more information to follow about this in the New Year!) and great topics that the children have really enjoyed. We look forward to welcoming you back in January when we start all over again!

Just to confirm, we are returning to school on Thursday 4th January.

We have reviewed the dates for your diary for Terms 3 to 6 to give you plenty of notice for events. Click here: [Dates for your diary 2024](#).

We have highlighted when there might be a small charge or donation and hope this helps with budgeting. Details of all events in school will follow nearer the time.

It just remains for us to say we hope you have a wonderful Christmas and a very Happy New Year.

Thank you for your continued support and we look forward to seeing you all back in school on 4th January. Happy Christmas!

Dates for your Diary

- 18-12 Christmas Parties
- 18-12 Carol Concert 5.30pm
- 19-12 Christmas Lunch
- 20-12 Break up at 1pm

2024

- 04-01 Return to School
- 08-01 Storytime for Pre-schoolers
- 17-01 PTA Disco
- 17-01 Yoga starts for Yr1
- 31-01 SEN Coffee Morning 9.15am
- 02-02 NSPCC Number Day (non-uniform)
- 06-02 Safer Internet Day
- 07-02 Reception to the Chinese
- 08-02 Break up at 3pm
- 09-02 TD Day
- 19-02 Return to School (Term 4)
- 04-03 Library Visits
- 05-03 Chicks arrive in school
- 06-03 West End in Schools
- 07-03 World Book Day
- 08-03 Book Swap
- 13-03 Maths Workshop for Parents

All enquiries or to report an absence please contact the school office

Tel: 01793 852254

Email: admin@woottonbassett-inf.wilts.sch.uk

Outdoor Carol Concert - Monday 18th December

We have been busy practising our Christmas songs and can't wait to share them with you.

Could all children be in school for 5pm, with the concert starting at 5.30pm. We expect it to last around 30 minutes.

Our PTA will be selling a selection of hot & cold drinks and yummy treats.

Children do not need to wear uniform but as it is held outside, please dress them warmly - Christmas hats and hair bands encouraged..

We can't wait to see you all there!



Christmas Parties - Monday 18th December

As an end of term treat, our children will be having a Christmas Party. This will take place during the school day and they can wear non-uniform but please ensure it is suitable for a normal school day.

We'd like to say a huge thank you to George Scarrott and family for their kind donation of our lovely Christmas Tree.



We hope the children enjoyed last weeks performance of Sleeping Beauty. Thank you to the PTA for funding this entertainment for the children.

For the attention of all parents

Will your child be seven years old before September 2024?

You must apply for a junior school place

Apply online at wiltshire.gov.uk or complete an application form, available at all Wiltshire Council offices.

The deadline for applications is
12 midnight, 15 January 2024

All forms must be returned to the school admissions team at County Hall, Trowbridge, Wiltshire.

Contact customer services on **01225 713010**

For more information or to request our guide to finding a primary school place in Wiltshire.

Wiltshire Council

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We will be collecting & recycling trees from 6th to 7th January 2024. Scan the QR code or visit our URL and enter your post code to register.

