



Woodlawn News

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Dates for your diary



Friday May 27th - Jubilee Celebrations
Friday May 27th - Last day of term
Tuesday 7th June - Training day - Team Building
Wednesday 8th June - First day of term

Thank you to those parents and carers who recently completed our homework survey. We had 63 responses and the results were as follows,

In response to how much homework your child receives:

- 15.9% Too little
 - 71.5% Just right
 - 3.1% Too much
 - 9.5% No response

60% would be interested in further sessions to help with homework and 30% would be interested in sessions to help with the use of See Saw.

We will use this information to review and update our homework rationale to create a bespoke model to meet the needs of our pupils.

Class News

Class 5 created plans for our 3D flying model with the Baltic Stars Project.



Learning can happen anywhere not just
in the classroom...



How lovely to see our young people reading for pleasure in the sunshine.

As part of our 'Eco School Plan' the pupils have had lots of fun making bird feeders for the Sensory Garden. We then hung them in the Sensory Garden in a hope that it will bring more birds into our outdoor area.



Special thanks to Jack's Nana
for her very kind contribution
of Art and Craft supplies to
school





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Staff Shout Outs!

We would like to wish Lucy lots of luck as she goes off to start her maternity leave.



Class News

Keely and Shauna's classes recently participated in a 'School of Kindness Workshop' delivered by the charity, 52 Lives. They learned about a little girl called Evia, who lives far away and is about to undergo an operation to help with a visual impairment. Grieg from 52 Lives asked our students to show kindness to Evia by making her something to cheer her up. The classes got to work making beautiful pictures, cards, poems and even bird feeders, so that Evia could hear bird song. All of the pieces were delivered to London, and the people at 52 Lives sent them on to Evia. Evia's Mum contacted us, via the charity, to say that they were so excited to receive the parcel and told us that it had made their day to know that other children were so kind and thoughtful. Well done, Keely and Shauna's classes!



"Evia would like to say thank you to everyone for her birthday cards - we keep them all in a box and she goes through them every day."

We are very proud of Cameron who was recently presented with his Seamanship specialism award.

During the last 12 months, he has completed modules to rank up to first cadet, completed and passed a first aid course and a catering course. He received his 1 year good conduct award and was on parade on Remembrance Sunday



Mary and Phoebe's classes visited the Centre for Life and took part in lots of activities such as:

- * Matching animals to the 7 continents
- * Investigating space through sensory exploration
- * An animal talent show!



Our community café, All Stars, based at our upper site on Marden Estate is now able to welcome all parents and carers, open each Friday morning 9.30am -10.30am (excluding May 27th). The café is an enterprise project run by our Group B Sixth Form students, they serve a selection of light snacks and drinks at exceptional value with service to match!



Pupil Comedy Corner

Is there a Mr Wall waiting for you at home?.... NO
Is there a Mrs Wall waiting for you at home?... NO
So what's holding up your roof?
By Robyn Group B



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