

New Values

In celebration assembly today, we launched our new-look school values – kindness, trust, resilience, excellence and pride. Feedback from children on the previous values were that six were too many, some of the values were similar and some a bit wordy. We hope these 5 values are more representative of our school and values which we can all share. A new board in the centre of the hall will display the values and provide an explanation of each one. Our next inter-house competition is an art competition and will focus on our five values. Details are attached to the newsletter.

Earth and Space

This term, Otters class are beginning to learn about Earth and space in Science and English. To prepare for their learning they have created some amazing models, stories and reports around the topic at home. We're really impressed with how many pupils have gone above and beyond to engage with this task.



Photo: One of the space models

Celebrating Diwali

This week Robins have been celebrating Diwali, as part of their topic on Hindu Worship at Home and in the Mandir, by making diva lamps. We hope the children have enjoyed their learning in R.E. and the opportunity to get creative.

Sports

We have a sports coach (Cameron) working with our Hedgehogs and Wolves class this term. Both classes will be undertaking a programme of invasion games over the next six weeks. We hope the children enjoy the sessions and they improve their sports skills throughout the term.



Photo: Wolves class playing rugby

The Lion's Talent Show

We would like to wish Shyla (Wolves class) the best of luck this weekend. Shyla is representing Woodlands Park School in the The Lion's Club Talent Show. Shyla will be performing a number from the musical Matilda. Shyla was our Woody P Has Talent winner in 2023. Good luck, Shyla!

Lower School Parent / Carer Meetings

Thank you to all the parents/ carers that attended parent/ carer meetings this week. We hope you found the feedback useful and that you are aware of what your child needs to work on for the remainder of this term.

Social Media

We have joined the social media revolution and we now have a school X account. Our X handle is **@woodyparksch**. Please follow us if you wish to stay updated with school news. We will endeavour to post 2 or 3 times a week. Please ensure that any posts are appropriate and supportive.

Dogs on The School Site

Please may we remind all our community that dogs are not permitted on our school site. We would appreciate your support in following this rule.

Fencing Around Our Forest School

You may have noticed that we have some temporary fencing around our forest school. We will still be using the space for outdoor learning but we need to improve the fencing around its perimeter. We hope to have this completed by the end of term.