

NEWSLETTER



5th March 2021

How to get in touch



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www.woodhouse.priacademy.co.uk



enquiries@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk



07950368561 – Families mobile to call or text with any queries. Monitored by the Inclusion Team



families@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk

- Use this for any queries. Monitored by the Inclusion Team



sensupport@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk

- Use this for any queries about any additional learning needs or concerns.



homelearning@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk

- During this period of home learning teachers are providing work using Google Classroom.



Covid19care@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk

- Use this to discuss our Emergency Care provision



Newsletter@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk

- Use this to send us anything you'd like put in the newsletter. This can be photos, learning, resources and any good news stories you may have.

Useful links

<https://homelearning.woodhouse.academy>

Additional learning resources and activities.

<https://www.woodhouse.priacademy.co.uk/news-and-events/parental-assistance>

Our parental assistance page with plenty of avenues of support.

<https://www.woodhouse.priacademy.co.uk/news-and-events/school-news>

Up to date school news.

We look forward to welcoming you all back to school on Monday. Please familiarise yourselves with the procedures. These are largely unchanged from the Autumn term. You can read the letter explaining everything from Mr Wilson on the main page of our website: <https://www.woodhouse.priacademy.co.uk/>

Some Google forms for you to fill out please where appropriate.

As you will be aware, we loaned out over 100 devices during the previous year to enable children to learn remotely.

With everyone back at school from Monday 8th March, children will be back to learning inside the classroom.

We will not be asking for the devices back at present as they are still of value to children to use for homework and so on.

If your circumstances have changed and you no longer require the loaned device then please return it to school. These can be re-allocated to those who may need them.

If you need any support regarding devices, please fill out this form and we will do what we can to help.

<https://forms.gle/9fwsf6mwmCgvGWVA9>

Photo Consent

Thank you to everyone who has completed this already. If you haven't done so, can you please complete this form.

<https://forms.gle/JG9HYxdhShp3qtBg8>

Complete the form to give information about mobile internet access, which, school can support with

<https://forms.gle/smk53aJqzdNEgeZ49>

Stars of the Week

The following children are Stars of the Week for the week ending 5th March.

Nursery

Logan
Gabriel

Reception

Ariyan
Sophie
Fatima
Emmanuel

Year One

Ethan
Wafaa
Ibrahim
Ali

Year Two

Rae'y
Rayhanah
Myrtle
Samara

Year Three

Ella
Hussain
Ma-Hawa
Maryam

Year Four

Ariana
Lacey
Ahmed
Heidi

Year Five

Zain
Kaiya
Ayham
Oumou

Year Six

Taya
Anzoer
Jamaine
Lilli
Riad
Jelani

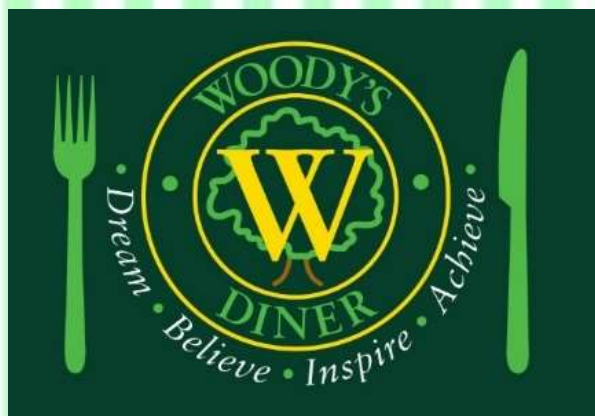
If you can and would like to, send us a photo with your certificate so we can share it on next week's newsletter.



Congratulations to all of these children who have put in a fantastic effort this week. They have been nominated by their teachers. We are really impressed with the level of learning from all children. What can you do to be Star of the Week next week?

Celebrating Success





School Dinner

Menu

8th – 12th

March

NB: We are currently running a limited menu to meet the restrictions necessary to combat coronavirus.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Chicken Nuggets	Beef Burger in a Bun	Pork Hot Dog in a Roll	Fish Fingers	Cheese and Tomato Pizza
Vegetable Nuggets	Vegetable Burger	Cheese and Onion Roll	Vegetable Sticks	
Hash Browns	Curly Fries	Herby Diced Potatoes	Mini Waffles	Chips
Fresh Vegetables or Salad	Fresh Vegetables or Salad	Fresh Vegetables or Salad	Fresh Vegetables or Salad	Fresh Vegetables or Salad
Mousse	Chocolate Cracknel	Fruit Salad	Pancakes	Fruit

Food Allergies

In order to keep our dietary records up to date, please inform the main office of any changes to your child's dietary requirements, allergies and intolerances. We are able to cater for most requirements but must know in advance.

If your child only eats Halal meats but can eat fish, please also let the main office know. We do not serve Halal meats.

Please either contact the main office on 0121 464 1769 or email the Inclusion Team on families@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk

Please also remember that we are a NUT FREE school.

Book some time to Read



The total word count on Accelerated Reader for school this half term is 33,385,453 overall with A total of 3487 quizzes been passed.

Gurraj, 5H has reached 5 million words read.

Taran, 5H has reached his 500,000-word milestone and Decarey, 5WS has reached his 250,000-word milestone. Well done everyone.

If you haven't already, pick up a book or logon to Myon or EPIC and enjoy reading! There are now over 5000 books on Myon ready to start reading.

<https://www.myon.co.uk/login/>



Epic! Is a free online library where children can read lots of very popular books – 40,000 books to be precise! If children are on accelerate reader they can search their level and finds lots of well-known favourites and if they aren't on AR then they can listen to lots of the read aloud stories. It is accessible between the hours of 7-4 (schooltime) and all children need to do is head

to <https://www.getepic.com/students> and pop in the class code which has been given to them by their teachers. They then need to click on their icon and they can read away!

Teachers will also assign books for children to read to do with their topic and children will be rewarded as a class depending on how much they collectively read.

Parents can also use their email address to allow the children an extra few hours after 4 o'clock. This is free of charge.



TOP TEN Reading Challenge!

Read a rainbow! Find a book cover which matches each colour of the rainbow and then read them! Can you complete the whole rainbow?

Read in the strangest place you can think of in your home and don't forget to send us some photos of course!

Draw a map of a setting from your favourite story for example you could draw a map of the Hundred Acre Wood.

Listen to an audiobook of your choice - there are lots of fantastic choices on epic!

Build a blanket fort and read in the dark with only a torch! Send pictures please!

Read a book recommended by one of your friends and recommend a book for one of your friends to read.

Turn your favourite story into a comic or a flip book! Who will create the most interesting comic and send it to their teacher?

Read about your favourite character and then pretend to be them for an hour. Can you film yourself in role and walk and even talk as if you are them?

Make a quick fire quiz on a story you have read recently! You could even ask someone in your house to read the story and then take your quiz!

Make your own bookmark themed on a story you love. Could you write the first line of your book on it?



Join us online for our second quiz night:

<https://www.woodhouse.priacademy.co.uk/news-and-events/woodhouse-online-quiz-night---thursday-18th-march>

After registering, you will receive a link to the email address you signed up with to sign on to the quiz between 6pm and 6:10pm on the night - then we have 100 questions to complete. Depending on how fast you are, this should be finished by 6:45pm. There will be questions for all ages and for all family. The quiz is open to anyone with any connection to Woodhouse, so feel free to share with your families, friends and colleagues.

To sign up, follow the link above.

If you register with LetsLocalise, you can also help support our academy in the future and take part in future events which we have planned.

(We will also be running another quiz night on Thursday 1st April. To sign up for this quiz, follow the link above.

Here are last time's winners, the Martin family, with their prizes.



As you may know, as a school we are working towards achieving our Silver Rights Respecting Schools Award. This means we are putting Children's Rights at the centre of everything we do. To raise awareness of children's rights, each month we choose a different right (there are 54 articles altogether!) and for March we have chosen Article 31: The right to rest and play.



This is a hugely important right for children, and it is our job as adults to ensure all children are given ample time to rest, relax and play. Play enriches children's lives and helps them to develop emotionally, socially, physically and so much more.

During March, perhaps you could spend some time playing with your child(ren), discussing their favourite games to play or maybe creating some new games together as a family!

This week Mr Wilson celebrated his 40th birthday. The Woodhouse community came together in style to wish him a happy birthday. He was fairly overwhelmed by all of the kind messages he received. Children in school made cards and gifts for him and wished him a happy birthday throughout the day.

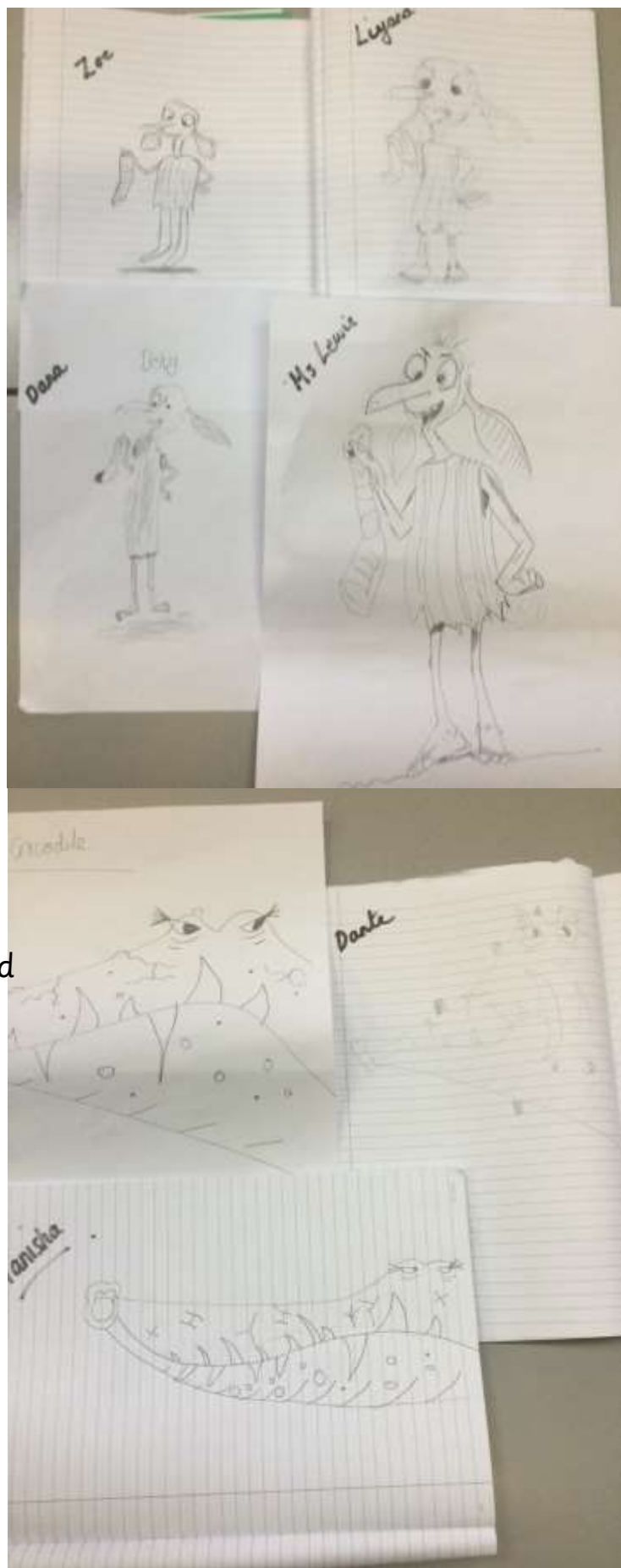


Thursday this week was World Book Day. Miss Wynne had organised a virtual book fayre and children took part in various book related activities both in school and at home.

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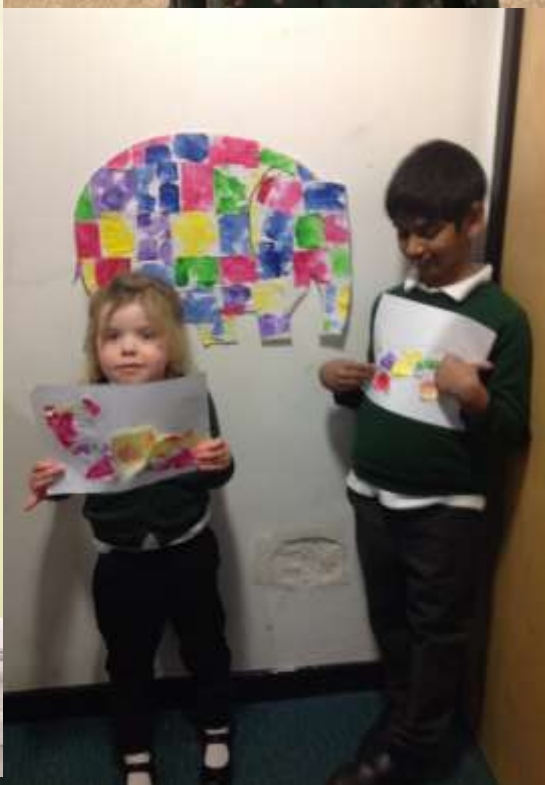
Rainbow Room have been making their own recipes for their witches caldrons and Year 5 have been sketching Dobby and crocodiles.

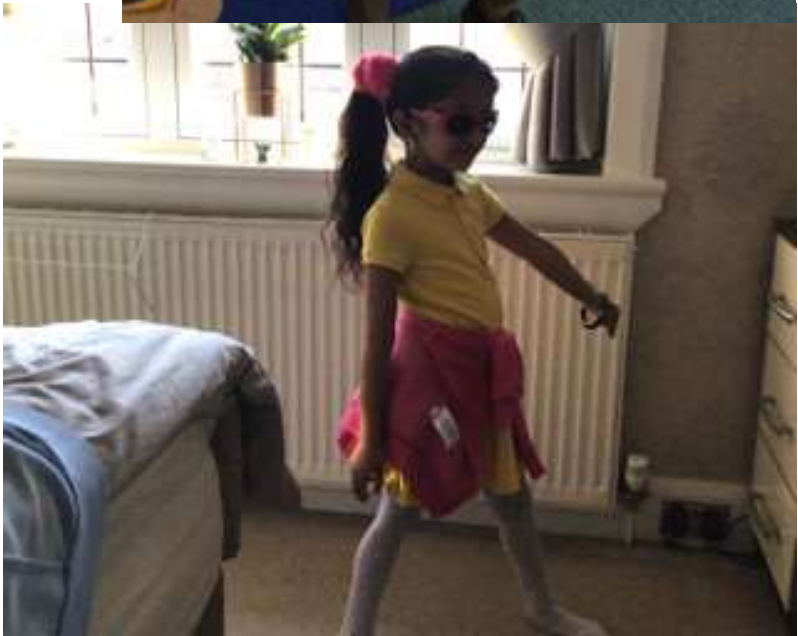




Ameen, 4W made a dream jar inspired by the BFG and recreated the cover of Ratburger. Lacey 4SO, Isabelle 1O, Layla and Fraser 4SO all dressed up for the day and Dilraj, 4W turned a potato into Horrid Henry and made two awesome giraffes.

Reception has been reading and learning all about Elmer this week. They have done lots of fun activities relating to the story. They have dressed up in bright colourful outfits, made junk model Elmers and made lovely Elmer pictures and masks.



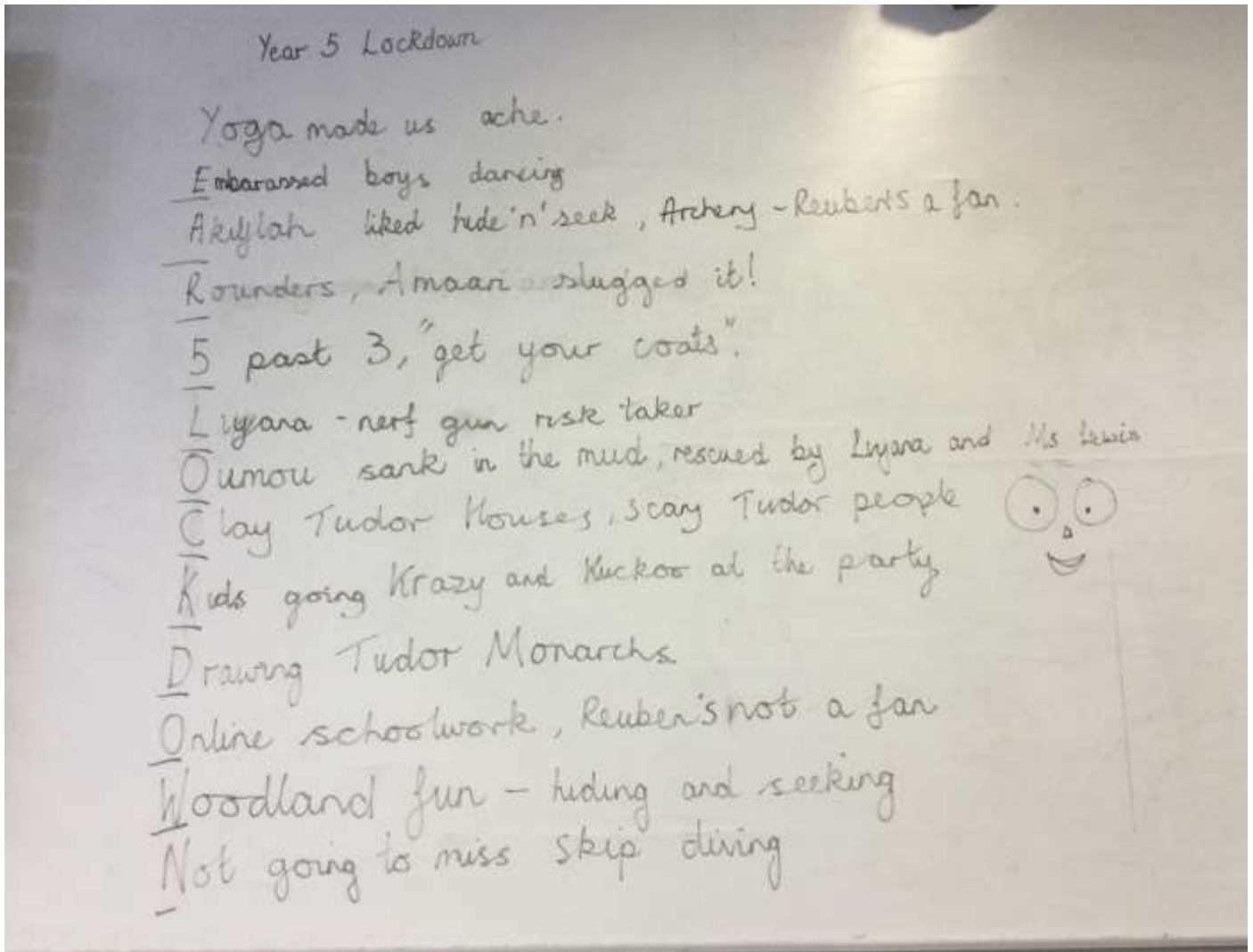


Year 1 have been junk modelling in school this week.





Year 5 worked together to create this wonderful acrostic poem about their lockdown experiences.



Rory, 4W and Margot, RM have been baking together this week and made some tasty looking cakes.





Anna Freud
National Centre for
Children and Families

shout
85258
here for you 24/7

Feeling overwhelmed? Struggling to cope?



Text AFC to 85258

Text the free, confidential textline

All texts are answered by trained volunteers,
with support from experienced clinical specialists



We have a partnership with Cicada Sports to supply Woodhouse uniform. Cicada Sports have made the hoodies you may have seen some of the staff wearing around school. The uniform can be ordered directly from their website.
<https://www.cicadasports.co.uk/club-zone/schools/woodhouse-primary-academy>

Items will be embroidered with the Woodhouse logo.

Prices are as follows:

Sweatshirt - £11.95 (Junior Sizes) / £12.95 (Adult Sizes)
Cardigan - £13.95 (Junior Sizes) / £14.95 (Adult Sizes)
Fleece - £14.95 (Junior Sizes) / £15.95 (Adult Sizes)
Reversible Jacket - £29.95 (Junior Sizes) / £31.95 (Adult Sizes)
Polo Shirt - £8.95 (Junior Sizes) / £10.95 (Adult Sizes)
Book Bag - £5.50

Orders will be delivered to school. Please note that bookbags can be purchased but cannot be brought to school at the moment.

