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(Sara Walker – Head teacher)

Friday News!

DATE: 7.11..25

If you have any concerns about Child Protection or Health and Safety, please contact school.

Designated Child Protection Officer – Sara Walker/Angela Lamb

School Website: westwoodpark.org.uk

SCHOOL VALUES: Friendship, Kindness, Respect, Integrity and Resilience.

Is your child a Young Carer? 8% of children are. School and the LA can help if you let us know.

Our School Development Plan priorities are: Maths, English, Computing and Curriculum.

We have additional focus areas: Forest Schools, EYFS Outdoors and Pupil Responsibilities.

<i>Attendance</i>	<i>Lates</i>	<i>Attendance</i>	<i>Lates</i>	<i>Attendance</i>	<i>Lates</i>
Blue – 91.9%	7	Yellow – 87.8%	8	Green – 87.4%	4
Blossom – 90.7%	6	Cedar – 95.7%	2	Juniper - 94.8%	8
Rowan – 95.7%	7	Beech – 91.2%	4	Oak – 89.3%	5
Willow – 90.7%	11	Ash – 90.7%	6	Total: 92.2% 52 lates this week	
Y6 – 94.5% since school return.			School attendance and reading make the most difference to the outcome of your school life. Be in school every day.		

Replacements	Book bag £4.75, Water bottle £1.65, Reading record £4. Swimming hat £1.50. Reading books - various. Bring correct change please.
Meals	Inform by Friday to change on Monday! Thank you. The cook needs to order or cancel the food.
Property	We can take no responsibility for items left overnight, especially in the bike shed. Thank you.

<u>Pupil Collection</u>	It is really important that your child knows who is picking them up every day. Not knowing causes anxiety.
<u>Drinks</u>	<u>School policy is ONLY water or milk during lesson time. Thank you.</u>
<u>Wraparound Care</u>	Our new Wraparound Care provision opened this week. £5 for a morning session (7.30-8.45), £8 for the afternoon session (3.15 – 6) – food included. Staffed by our existing staff. Places available. Contact Mrs Rouse, the office, Mrs Lamb or Mrs Walker. ☺ (Toilet trained Nursery pupils are welcome).
<u>Disability</u>	Do you or your child have a disability that we don't know about? Let us know. We'd like to help if we can?

Nursing Team

The nursing team came into school this week to catch up with some missed flu vaccinations. They had to make sure they were giving the spray to the right children. They asked the children what their parents full names were and where they lived. Lots of children couldn't answer! Ask your child(ren) to see if yours do!

Children in Need

The school council have asked if we can dress up in yellow clothes and/or spotty clothes in aid of Children in Need on Friday 14th November. Please don't buy anything new! Following our poverty proofing audit, we don't want to ask for a specific amount of money for your donation, just bring spare change and give what you can.

Writer of the week

Harmonie in Willow has done some great writing this week; well done!

Governors/LA

Governors met this week to discuss the appointment of a new Deputy Head teacher. Exciting times!

Pupil Comment

This school is my safe place.

Behaviour and Manners

I have seen some lovely manners this week where children accidentally hurt someone and they were very sorry and kept apologising to their friend. It's good to say sorry even when it is an accident!

Parenting Tip/Internet Safety

Singing Assembly Theme – The Farewell Tour!

24.10.25 - Oak	14.11.25 – Cedar and Rowan
7.11.25 – Rowan	21.11.25 - EYFS
	5.12.25 - Juniper

Facebook

We have a school Facebook page. Search for us using WestwoodCPS and look in the people section.

NITS!

The best treatment is weekly washing, lots of conditioner and use a great nit comb – ‘The Nitty Gritty’ is the best!

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/head-lice-and-nits/>

<i>Every day</i>	<i>Pupils in KS2 are welcome to attend from 8.30 for quiet reading and work in class.</i>
<i>Monday</i>	<i>ICT Club – Oak/Rowan/Beech– 3.15-4pm – ICT Suite – Miss Oldbury Musical Theatre – Juniper Room – Miss Walker, Miss Rouse, Miss Fairhurst, Mrs Guite</i>
<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Girls’ Football – hall – 3.15-4pm – Mrs Foster Maths Club – Miss Tunnicliff and Miss Rathbone</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Football Club – 3.15 – meet in the hall. Jack from Commando Joe’s ICT Club - Juniper/Ash/Willow – 3.15-4pm – Miss Oldbury Family Club – Tracey Berry</i>
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Netball – meet in the hall – 3.15-4pm – Mrs Foster</i>
<i>Friday</i>	<i>Dance Club – meet in the hall – 3.15-4pm – Mrs Foster</i>

AUTUMN TERM	
Half Term	
11.11.25	10.45 – Act of Remembrance
14.11.25	Children in Need- wear yellow and/or spots!
17-21.11.25	FRIENDSHIP WEEK
21.11.25	Pride Morning Non-uniform – Bring a bottle – Xmas Fair
28.11.25	XMAS FAIR
3.12.25	Parents’ Evening
4.12.25	KS1 Church visits 2.30 – Xmas Tree Service
5.12.25	Beauty and the Beast - whole school
10.12.25	EYFS – Xmas Show – 9.45/2.15
11.12.25	KS1 - Xmas Show – 9.30/2.15
12.12.25	KS2 – Xmas Show – 9.30/1.30
15.12.25	No Warnings Park Trip KS1 Party
16.12.25	Crib Service – 9am Xmas Dinner from 11.30 4pm – KS2 Disco
18.12.25	Xmas Walk – Xmas Jumpers 2.30 – Carol Service

School Talk Topic of the Week

When you know someone has a terrible home life, do you get jealous of their extra treats?

Y6 SATs – Beginning 11th May - 2026

Y6 Prom – 21st July 2026 – 6.30pm at Winton Social Club

Robinwood – 4-6th September 2026

Would you like our weekly newsletter emailing? If so, please let us have your email address. Best wishes

Sara Walker – Head teacher and for this week only, Mrs Knipe, Deputy Headteacher

Starting from the bottom of the pyramid, this is what we all need to be happy and successful – especially our children for their future lives.



Maslow's hierarchy of needs