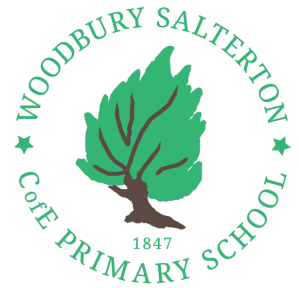




# Woodbury Salterton CE Primary School



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## **Christmas is coming!**

With the end of term approaching fast, we thought it'd be useful to share the events in detail.

### **Non-uniform Day**

The Christmas Fayre is on Friday 1st December and we are having a non-uniform day for items for the tombola. Please can parents supply the following items for the Christmas Hamper prize:

Class 1 - Chocolate/biscuits

Class 2 - Bottles

Class 3 - Toiletries

The Christmas Fayre Friday 8th December in the village hall from 3:30pm - 5:30pm and we look forward to seeing you all there!

### **Christmas Dinner**

The children will be having their Christmas dinner in school on the 13th December where they will be enjoying a high quality, festive lunch together.

### **Christingle Service in Church**

The school's Christingle service will take place in church on Wednesday 13th December at 2:30pm. The children will be required to bring a large orange to school with them on this day to make their Christingle. We hope that you can join us for this wonderful service.

### **Christmas Jumper Day**

On the last day of term we would like to invite the children to wear Christmas jumpers in exchange for a suggested donation of £1 to support the work of *Save the Children*.



### **Forest School**

With so much Forest School happening in school this year, why not visit the school website and see our gallery of learning this term.

### **School Places**

If your child was born between the 1 September 2013 and 31 August 2014, you will be able to apply for your child's school place from 15 November 2017 until 15th January. Devon County Council will not assume that you want a place at a particular school – even if you have an older child who already attends or you live nearby. The Admissions Team can be contacted at [primaryschooladmissions@devon.gov.uk](mailto:primaryschooladmissions@devon.gov.uk)

### **Open Morning**

Before you apply we encourage you to join us for our *Open Morning* where you can see what happens in school and meet staff. We also take 2, 3 and 4 year olds at school and offer 30 hours and golden ticket admissions.

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## Whole School Panto trip

We are all very excited about our whole school visit to Exeter's Corn Exchange to watch a performance of Cinderella. A separate letter has been sent out but the children will be allowed to take a small packet of sweets and a non-fizzy drink. Please note, the children will also require a packed lunch to eat when they return to school.

## Thank you!

A big thank you to our PTA and Trustees who recently provided the children with 16 ipads! We're all really grateful for this valuable resource. Pictured are Class 3 enjoying using the new ipads to research information about dolphins for their story writing.



## Musical Performance

As you may have heard, the children in class 2 and 3 have been taking part in specialised music lessons this half term learning about the Melodica and learning some carols. We would like to give a short performance to you on Monday 11th December at 9:30am, so that you can hear what we have been up to. It's a great opportunity for the children to perform in a familiar and friendly environment.



## Anti-bullying Week 2017

We already know that we have a friendly school with well-behaved children, however from time to time we can all benefit from reminders about what to do when things go wrong.

During Anti-bullying Week 2017, it was really worthwhile for everyone to review the various forms of bullying can take and what we need to do if we experience bullying.

At school, it's simple: If behaviour happens **Several Times On Purpose**, it needs to **STOP**. Our strategy is simple: **TELL** someone!

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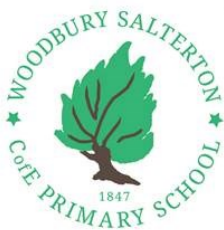
### Open Morning

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December 9.15am-10.30am

Is your child starting Reception in September 2018?

We also take 2, 3 and 4 year olds within our Nursery. 30 hours offer available and golden ticket admissions.

For more information please contact our school on 01395 232649.



"The school sustains a caring atmosphere where pupils' ideas are nurtured. This enhances pupils' learning, as well as their spiritual and personal development. Pupils appreciate the way staff value their efforts. Pupils new to the school settle quickly because of the wholehearted nature of the welcome they receive. As a result, pupils behave extremely well and show very positive attitudes. "

*Ofsted 2017*



*Well done to last week's Star of the Week and Values in Action children - what role models you all are!*

## *Dates for your diary*

<b>When</b>	<b>When</b>	<b>What</b>	<b>Who</b>
28th Nov	AM	Primary Music with CI2 and 3	
1st Dec	All day	PTFA Non-uniform tombola day	All
4th Dec	AM	ICE Assembly	All
5th Dec	AM	Primary Music with CI2 and 3	
7th Dec	6.00pm	Carol Service in church	All
8th Dec	9.15am	Open Morning in School	New parents
8th Dec	3.30-5.30pm	PTFA Christmas Fayre	All
11th Dec	9.30am	Primary Music Carol and mince pies	
12th Dec	All day	School Panto Trip	All
13th Dec		Christmas Lunch in school	All
13th Dec	2.30pm	Christingle service in church	All
15th Dec		Last day of autumn term	All
15th Dec		Christmas Jumper Day	All
3rd Jan		Children back to school	All

*For up-to-date term dates visit the school website: [www.woodbury-salterton.devon.sch.uk](http://www.woodbury-salterton.devon.sch.uk)*



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