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Dear Parents and Friends,

Friday 27th January 2017

It's been a busy and exciting week at Wootton! The week began with a really good performance of Cinderella from M and M Theatre Company—all of the children gained a lot from the show and have used the experience to enrich their work in various ways across the week. Very many thanks to the PTA who have funded this visit, giving the children a relatively rare chance to see live acting/singing/dancing/magic/comedy, rather than watching it on a screen!

The children from Year One had a really good day with Mrs Blake at Beaulieu House—the home of the National Motor Museum—they saw some amazing cars—Chitty Chitty Bang Bang, the car from Harry Potter and lots of historically important vehicles—as well as experiencing several different types of transport, from ferries and coaches to monorails! I've rarely heard such excitement as when they were telling me about their memories. The staff received lots of compliments from members of the public about the excellent, polite behaviour of the children and were proud to be in their company. Again, the children have used these experiences in their work this week—a very worthwhile trip!



Today, the Reception class had a super day—super heroes were all over the place after the children planned and led a dressing up day. They learned a lot about the skills and abilities that they have and can develop into super powers with practice and perseverance.

There will be an opportunity for us all to dress up for World Book Day which is on Thursday, March 2nd. On that day, we're planning to focus on books and reading even more than usual, and to celebrate the rich variety of stories and non-fiction books by asking every child and adult working at Wootton to dress as their favourite book character. It's a little way off yet, but I thought you'd appreciate the early warning!

Meanwhile, in amongst all of the excitement of golden slippers, talking mice and flying cars, the children have continued to work hard—as have the staff, who have begun to review the way that children's work is marked and planned for—especially in English and Maths. Many thanks for the valuable feedback that has been sent in by parents of the first few Golden Ticket children—your views and ideas are really useful for us, particularly as we have a term with the staff and children to make sure that everything is in place for the school to continue its journey towards being Good.

Speaking of everything being in place, can I remind you that the school is a nut-free environment? We have children and staff with significant nut allergies and I would hate for them to inadvertently be at risk of a reaction. Many thanks for your support with this.

Have a good weekend.

Yours sincerely,

Richard May and Jane Wilford

Menu for the week commencing 30th January
PLEASE NOTE CHILDREN'S SCHOOL DINNERS ARE £2.15



Monday

All day breakfast, sausage, egg, bacon, beans, tomato, hash brown or bean and vegetable bake, peas or roasted vegetables. Fruit yoghurt with melon and peaches.

Tuesday

Tomato pasta bake or BBQ bean wrap in a flour tortilla, broccoli or carrots. Oaty fruit crumble with custard.

Wednesday

Roast chicken with gravy or shortcrust topped pie filled with caramelised onion and vegetables, seasonal cabbage or cauliflower. Ice cream pot.

Thursday

Mild mexican chilli with rice or Quorn chow mein with noodles, tomato salsa or sweetcorn. Banana and sticky toffee pudding with custard.

Friday

Crispy battered pollock or cheese and onion herby whirl with chips, baked beans and coleslaw. Chocolate crispy.

Salad, bread, fresh fruit yoghurt and water & milk available daily.

Please note jacket potato and baguette/sandwiches also available. Please order daily by 9am with the kitchen.
Parents are welcome to come into school to have lunch with their children.

These cost £2.90

Attendance for week ending 20th January 2017

Year R 97% Year 1 99% Year 2 100%
 Year 3 98% Year 4 99% Year 5 100%
 Year 6 98%



Total School weekly attendance – 99%

Total of 12 lates

Our school target is 96.25%

Rolling Programme Report of attendance from 05.09.16 to 20.1.17 is 96.12%.



Each week the school will be focusing on different aspects of the school community. This will be discussed during a school day. This week we are looking out for people in the school who:

Have a positive attitude

Star Pupils



- ★ Year R Ethan Pye
- ★ Year 1 Jack McLean
- ★ Year 2 Ellie Shales
- ★ Year 3 Alexander Alkhatib
- ★ Year 4 Lucia Spinnelli
- ★ Year 5 Ben Speirs
- ★ Year 6 Rebecca Wall

HOUSE POINTS

	This week	Running total
Dragon	82	1634
Phoenix	67	1181
Griffin	85	1345
Unicorn	70	1375

DATA COLLECTION SHEETS

Please return the Data Sheets as soon as possible so that we have an up to date record.

Late children

Year Group	R	1	2	3	4	5	6
No. of lates	0	1	3	5	2	1	0

Week ending 20.1.17