

Happy New Year

Welcome back to the start of our spring term. Life is as busy as ever at Woodcroft, and I have included a list of diary dates along with this Newsletter. As always, I will keep you informed about up and coming events through this weekly newsletter, and also on our website.

Year Group Curriculum Newsletters

Each year group has written a curriculum newsletter for parents. This outlines key information that will help you support your child at home. Please remember, if you have any questions about your child in school, teachers are happy to speak with you after dismissing their class at the end of the day. Don't forget, copies of all year group newsletters can be found on the website.

Ofsted Report Published

Ofsted have now published our excellent report on their official website: <http://reports.ofsted.gov.uk/>

A direct link to Woodcroft's Ofsted inspection information is available on the home page of our website. This is what they said:

- ★ The quality of teaching is good.
- ★ Governors are actively involved ... and know the school well.
- ★ Pupils feel safe, are happy and enjoy coming to school. They are keen to learn and behave well
- ★ Aspirational programmes of study inspire pupils to do their very best.
- ★ Pupils are extremely proud to belong to the school ... they work and play together harmoniously.

We all should be proud of this inspection report!

Reception Applications for 2015: Deadline Next week!

Children born between 1st September 2010 and 31st August 2011 are due to start reception class in September 2015. Applications must be completed by the 15th January 2015. Visit our school website for more information. If you require any help please speak with a member of our Nursery staff.



ESOL English Course - Starts Next week



Woodcroft's ESOL course for mothers begins next week and will run every Monday and Friday for 15 weeks. Please come along to the Oak Suite at 9.00am if you have registered. A few spaces are still available. Please speak with the Office if you would like to attend.

Meal Time Supervisor Vacancies

We have vacancies for new Meal Time Supervisors. If you are interested in enquiring about a position please submit your name to the office or speak with Mr Russell. More information is available in the 'Current Vacancies' section of our school website.

Attendance Awards: for week beginning 15th December

- ★ KS1 Class of the week: 2L (96% ) - Good Attendance!
- ★ KS2 Class of the week: 6G (97.6%) - Excellent!
- ➔ Whole school attendance remains at 95% ◀ (this is still below our target)
- ☹ We must be punctual, 74 late tickets were issued last week. ☹



