

Weekly Newsletter

Dream big, fly high

Online Safety Techosaurus

Children are growing up in a time where screens are everywhere and the internet plays a big part in their lives, even from a very young age. This can be beneficial, they can learn new things, connect with family and friends, and have fun! But it's important that we have conversations on how to explore the online world safely. We understand that talking about online safety can seem daunting, but it doesn't have to be. The NSPCC have worked with experts within the field to create a platform that supports families with these conversations at home.

Techosaurus is aimed at little ones who are starting to use technology and the internet, and keeps the conversation around online safety positive. The Techosaurus website will help your child to form healthy online habits, routines and behaviours from a young age, and build basic knowledge and skills related to online safety. Click on the link below to find out more:

[Help keep children safe online with Techosaurus! | NSPCC](#)



VE Day Celebrations



Today, we came together as a school to learn about VE Day and join in with a moment of silence to remember and thank those who fought in the Second World War. In class, the children have learnt about why we celebrate VE Day and what life was like in England during 1945.

Sun Safety



We kindly ask for your support in ensuring that your child is well-prepared for the summer weather. Please ensure that your child has the following items:

A **sun hat/sunglasses** to provide protection from direct sunlight during outdoor activities.

A refillable Woodford Primary School **water bottle** to stay hydrated throughout the day.

If you wish to send **sunscreen** with your child, please ensure it is clearly labelled with their name, and they can apply this themselves. We recommend applying a long-lasting sun cream before school on hotter days.

PTA Raffle Update

The PTA have raised an amazing £1,526.00 in the Spring Raffle. A huge thank you to all the local businesses for donating such generous prizes and a big thank you to all parents/carers and the local community for supporting the raffle.

Woodford Garden Village Mini Park Run

The PTA are holding their first Woodford Garden Village Mini Park Run this **Sunday 11th May** between **10.00am-12.00pm**. This is a **FREE** event for children to take part in and parents, family and friends can sponsor their child as part of the £20.25 Fundraiser.



Bikes and Scooters



If you need to leave a bike/scooter at the front of school and it is full, please feel free to leave it in the shelter at the front of school. Please remember to use a lock as this area is not behind the locked gate.

Height, Weight & Hearing checks for children in Reception

Children in Reception will have their height, weight and hearing checked as part of the National Child Measurement Programme (NCMP) on **15th May**. The checks will be carried out by healthcare staff from Stockport Foundation Trust.



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Important Dates

14th May	Class photographs
15th May	Reception height, weight and hearing screening
16th May	14.40 Reception Class Assembly
23rd May	14.40 Pre-School Class Assembly
23rd May	Last day of half term
9th June	School re-opens for pupils
20th June	INSET - School closed for pupils

For a full summary of dates over the year, our Annual Planner can be viewed here

