The Friday Post

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	PE	PE	Woodland
			School
Dormouse	Monday	Friday	Thursday
			(morning)
Red	Tuesday	Thursday	Friday
Squirrel			(morning)
Hedgehog	Tuesday (swimming)		Monday
Badger	Monday	Thursday	Tuesday

Woodland School - please send children with long sleeved tops, long trousers (<u>preferably **not**</u> jeans as these stay wet and cold), waterproofs and wellies.

REPORTING CONCERNS ABOUT A CHILD

To report a concern call Shropshire Council's First Point of Contact (FPOC) - **0345** 678 9021

MENU

w/c 20th January 2025: Week TWO

Please ensure that your child's catering purse is kept in credit. Squid have altered terms and conditions that mean the school will be charged for arrears. Consequently, we are unable to allow debts to build up to be worth more than 1 day of meals. You can set your Squid account to 'auto top-up' which will mean avoiding accruing debts.

DIARY DATES

Tues 21st Jan - Dormouse vist to Shrewsbury Museum Wed 5th Feb - PACC parent forum (ALL WELCOME)
Thur 6th Feb - Badger Class to Liverpool
Wed 5th & Thu 6th Feb - Parent/carer meetings
Fri 14th Feb - End of half term
Thur 6th Mar - World Book Day
Tues 18th Mar - Red Squirrels to Chirk Castle
Sat 22nd Mar - Small Schools' Cross Country event
Fri 11th Apr - End of term

ASC - TEA

Last minute cancellations for those who have booked tea may still incur a charge for the tea. There will be no charge for non-attendance but if a tea has been catered for there will be a charge.

PRAYER GROUP

Mrs Woolham and Mrs Lockett attend school on Mondays at about 9am to pray for the school community. If you would like to join her you would be most welcome. If you have any prayer requests,



please let the office know and these can be passed on.

WRAP AROUND CARE

It is <u>essential</u> that children are booked in through the online form. Due to numbers of children present (and staff:children ratio) we may not be able to accept additional children who turn up without having been booked in. Click on the links below:

<u>Breakfast Club</u> (7.30-8.40) <u>After School Club</u> (3.20-6PM)

MILK

Children under 5 are entitled to a daily free portion of milk. Once they reach 5 years old, parents can order and pay for a portion of milk. Click here to find out more: Parents - Cool Milk

Our school is proud to offer fresh, chilled milk to our children.
Click here to find out more!

PE KIT

Whilst we don't rigorously enforce a particular kit, we would prefer jogging bottoms/leggings or shorts (summer), plain t-shirt (or house colour) and school sweatshirt (with name inside) please. The children may come to school in their kit. PE kit may be worn on swimming days.

STAR PUPILS

Eliza is growing her hair in readiness for it to be cut in support of Little Princess Trust who provide real hair wigs for children and teenagers who have



lost their hair through cancer treatments or other conditions. She is also raising money for the Trust. If you would like to support Eliza, do have a word with her mum. Alice, or contact the office.

Well done to Eliza, Hector, Isla, Julia, Darcie and Bardy who represented the school so well at a Netball event yesterday. They were a credit to the school and to their parents!

WEBSITE UPDATES - WHAT'S NEW?!

There is lots of useful information on the <u>Safeguarding</u> tab of the website. A sub page also holds an archive of all the Online Safety newsletters that we send out monthly.



Sign up to receive alerts from your local policing teams www.neighbourhoodmatters.co.uk



RECYCLING

We now have a collection box in school for used inkjet cartridges and photocopier toner cartridges that will be sent away for recycling.

You can still send your old tech (phones, laptops, tablets) away (collected from school) to be recycled. In the UK, the average

person apparently has 3 old mobile phones tucked away gathering dust. These old devices will be recycled and will raise some money for school funds at the same time!

We had a visit from Mrs James from Veolia this week to talk to the children about recycling. She gave lots of information and ideas and has left some links that you can follow to find out more:

https://www.veolia.co.uk/shropshire/ https://shropshire.gov.uk/recycling-and-rubbish/



ILLNESS

The UK Health Security Agency has issued updated guidance around illness (flu and sickness) in children and keeping them off school. View the guidance here.

If your child is off school, for any reason, please inform the office as soon as possible either by email or via the website/ school spider reporting system.

WEBSITE UPDATES

We have been working to ensure parents are informed of the work the children will be undertaking in all subjects and all years. The <u>curriculum section</u> of the website has long term plans for all the subjects. Shorter term plans are available on the <u>class blogs</u>.

PARENT/CARER MEETINGS

The booking forms will be published soon for this term's parent/carer meetings. We have had a rethink and to try and save any complication and confusion with start times, the meetings will take place on Wednesday 19^{th} (3.30 - 5pm) and Thursday 20^{th} (3.30 - 7pm) March.

