

Woodhouse Primary School

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Activities for week commencing - 28 June 21

Monday

pm

Utopia Gymnastics – Year 6

Ofsted

As you will probably be aware the school was inspected at the end of last week. Thank you to the parents and carers who took the time to complete the Parent View online questionnaire or speak with the Inspectors during their visit. The lead inspector will write the report but we are unable to share the outcomes until the official document is published which should be within 30 working days.



Year 5 Parents

Parents are now able to apply for their child's Secondary School place.

Parents with children resident in Calderdale will need to apply for a school place online at www.calderdale.gov.uk/admissions. **Parents of children resident outside of Calderdale** will need to submit their application to their home local authority.

Offers of school places will be made on National Offer Day, which is **Tuesday 1 March 2022**.

The Secondary School 2022 booklet will be available very soon, online at www.calderdale.gov.uk/admissions this provides information to parents about all the schools' oversubscription criteria and details of this years' allocations.



Think Gr8 Feel GR8 Week commencing 12 July (previously Healthy Living week)

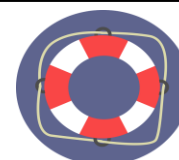
Please see the attached information about our plans for the week regarding a range of activities linking to health and well-being. Pupils are invited to wear relaxed comfortable clothing (eg PE kits) each day along with pumps/trainers. We will also be offering after school clubs for each year group which follow the current control measures.



Drowning Prevention Week 19-26 June 2021

This campaign aims to reduce the number of incidents by showing people how to be safe and have fun near water. This week, pupils in each of the Key Stage 2 classes have taken part in Water Safety activities – the key message is to stay **SAFE (Stay Away From the Edge)**.

For further information about water safety visit: <https://www.rlss.org.uk/pages/category/drowning-prevention-week-2021> or <https://canalrivertrust.org.uk/explorers/resources?subjects=Water%20Safety>



Competitions

Don't forget about our fabulous art and photo competitions. Full details are on last week's newsletter.





Think GR8 Feel GR8 Week - week commencing Mon July 12th.

From Monday 12 Jul throughout the week, all pupils will be taking part in a range of health and well-being activities. Pupils are invited to wear sporting clothing daily instead of school uniform, along with pumps/trainers.

Please ensure that your child/ren have their water bottles and also inhalers if they suffer from asthma.

We are also offering pupils the opportunity to participate in some extra-curricular activities which are detailed below:

	Before school – Start 8.15am	After school – Finish 4.15pm
Mon 12 Jul	Year 2 - Zumba - Daisy Rd drop off Year 3 – 1km challenge Ashlea Ave drop off	Year 1 – Team Games Daisy Rd collection
Tue 13 Jul	Year 6 - Zumba – Daisy Rd drop off Year 4 – 1km challenge Ashlea Ave drop off	YR – Pirates & Parachutes Daisy Rd collection Year 4 – Football Rounders Ashlea Ave collection
Wed 14 Jul	Year 1 - Zumba – Daisy Rd drop off Year 5 – 1km challenge Ashlea Ave drop off	Year 3 – Zumba Daisy Rd collection Year 6 – Rounders Ashlea Ave collection
Thu 15 Jul		Year 5 – Cricket Ashlea Ave collection Year 2 – Yoga Daisy Rd collection

If your child/ren would like to take part in any of the above clubs, please send an email by Thursday 8 July to: newsletters@woodhouse.calderdale.sch.uk

Please remember to include the relevant club, your child's name and class.





*****Classroom News*****

Year 3 - We have been focusing on spelling, punctuation and grammar activities with an emphasis on the use of the present perfect tense and choosing the correct determiners in sentences. In Maths, we learnt about horizontal, vertical, parallel and perpendicular lines. We explored and compared different creation stories in RE and learnt about Viking runes in History. Keep an eye on Twitter to see our authentic pieces!

Year 4 - We have been making our own electrical circuits to try and light up a bulb using batteries. In computing, we have been using coding to create different shapes using 2logo. In Maths, we have been looking at 3D shapes and their properties and identifying regular and irregular polygons. In English, we have been reading the story 'Goodnight Mister Tom' and we have written a diary entry and a letter from some of the character's perspectives.

Year 5 - In preparation for Sport Event Week, we have been practising the correct technique for the javelin throw and learning how to jump hurdles in PE. In DT, we have been busy sawing the pieces of wood needed to create the buildings for our village. In English, we have been using our acting skills to create 'show me but don't tell me' sentences which have improved the quality of our writing.

Year 6 - In our DT lessons, we have used a range of equipment to correctly measure and saw the dowel pieces that are needed for our maquette design. We will now begin to construct the designs using a mixture of wire, mod-roc and the glue gun. We are excited for how our designs are developing. In English, we have used power of 3 sentences to advance the action within a fight scene and have written our own fight scene for Romeo and Juliet. In Science, we have researched the nutrients found in food and have presented our work in a way of our choosing.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Lynn Daveney - Headteacher