



8th December 2017

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## CHRISTMAS IS IN FULL SWING!

Christmas has definitely started. With Christmas Fairs this week at both Wimboldsley and William Stockton we have started getting in the festive spirit. We are very much looking forward to the Christmas Plays, Pantomimes, Parties and Jumpers over the next two weeks. If you are joining us for a Christmas performance ...don't forget your tickets!



**Friday 15th**  
Come to school wearing your Christmas Jumper and if you can bring a small donation for Save the Children.

## Joint working

Mrs Axon-Milburn enjoyed working with the team at William Stockton last week. Our Federation links continue to be developed with the sharing of knowledge, skills and good practice. Mrs S Davies, Mrs Gowing, Miss Kaufmann and Mr Walters have been sharing the work of Years 5 and 6 too. We are looking forward to the children joining up in the Spring Term for some visits and events.



## Teaching and Learning

### Online learning

Enhancing our learning we have ....Spellodrome, Mathletics and Purple Mash to name just a few.

### **Spotlight on Purple Mash**

Purple Mash is an award-winning website for Nursery and Primary school children. It enables children to explore and enhance their knowledge in a fun and creative way. Purple Mash contains lots of activities and educational games for all topics that can be accessed both in school and at home. The children are encouraged to use Purple Mash at home using their unique username and password and are able to complete activities and homework challenges which can be commented on by the class teacher. The Purple Mash program is compatible with both PCs and iPads and is easily accessible for all ages with 'Mini Mash' for our EYFS and KS1 children. *Ask you child to show you some of the features of Purple Mash with their login.*

## HOLIDAY DATES

Don't forget ....We break up on Wednesday 20th December at 1.15pm. We return on Monday 8th January 2018. **Holiday dates for this year and next are on our school website.**

## ATTENDANCE

|                |        |
|----------------|--------|
| ACORN          | 96%    |
| HAZEL          | 97.20% |
| HORSE CHESTNUT | 91.82% |
| WILLOW         | 98.24% |
| OAK            | 96.11% |



## December

Evie Wyatt was 7 on 4th  
 Almasa Diab was 7 on 4th  
 Arin Sezer was 6 on 6th  
 William Oakes is 8 on 10th  
 Elliott Evers is 7 on 11th  
 Katy Drain is 11 on 13th  
 Ben Burns is 10 on 17th  
 Emily Bacon is 8 on 18th  
 William Oakes is 5 on 18th  
 James Lightfoot is 11 on 18th  
 Mimi Freedman is 7 on 20th  
 Lily Brant is 7 on 24th  
 McKenzie McEvoy is 9 on 27th  
 Erin Megson is 7 on 29th  
 Angel Banks-Scott is 7 on 30th



# Your Views

**Capturing the views of the Children and Parents is very important to us.**

**Periodically we collate these results and like to share them with you.**

We asked key Ofsted questions and the results below show how many of those who responded agreed or strongly agreed with the statements shared.

*We are always responsive to feedback and your responses help us to reflect and review our practice.*

## **PUPILS**

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| I like coming to school and am happy.   | <b>98%</b>  |
| I am proud to be a pupil at this school.  | <b>99%</b>  |
| I feel safe at this school.   | <b>99%</b>  |
| I am making good progress at school.  | <b>98%</b>  |
| I think behaviour is good in this school.   | <b>90%</b>  |
| The behaviour of children in my class and in the school is managed well.  | <b>100%</b> |
| The school deals with any cases of bullying effectively (bullying includes persistent name-calling, cyber, racist and homophobic bullying). | <b>100%</b> |
| I know who to ask if I need help or someone to talk to.   | <b>99%</b>  |
| Those leading the school do all they can to improve teaching.   | <b>100%</b> |
| I get the right amount of homework and it supports my learning.   | <b>92%</b>  |
| The school understands my needs and helps me.   | <b>99%</b>  |
| I would recommend this school to my friends.  | <b>100%</b> |

***'I love this school. I learn a new thing every day. I make progress and I make friends.'***

***'I like the activities at this school, and I strongly agree that I am learning lots!'***

***'I like that our lesson are fun, interactive and educational. We learn lots in our class.'***

***'I feel that this school is protective and makes sure that if people need help then someone will come and help them.'***

An overwhelmingly positive response was received from parents.

## **Parents**

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| My child is happy at this school.   | <b>98%</b>  |
| My child feels safe at this school.                                       | <b>98%</b>  |
| My child makes good progress at this school.                              | <b>100%</b> |
| My child is well looked after at this school.                             | <b>98%</b>  |
| My child is taught well at this school.                                   | <b>98%</b>  |
| My child receives appropriate homework for their age.                     | <b>95%</b>  |
| This school makes sure its pupils are well behaved.                       | <b>100%</b> |
| This school deals effectively with bullying.                              | <b>96%</b>  |
| This school is well led and managed.                                      | <b>96%</b>  |
| This school responds well to any concerns I raise.                        | <b>95%</b>  |
| I receive valuable information from the school about my child's progress. | <b>100%</b> |
| Would you recommend this school to another parent?                        | <b>96%</b>  |

***We will continue to work with you to address homework and respond to concerns raised.***