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**SUPERSTAR CERTIFICATES – Friday 10 June** – Ben Saxby, Evie Adcock, Milena Wright, Archie Collings, Maci Tomlin, Lenny Quadling, Alez Dziadulewicz, Jack Coker, Mya-Maria George, Scarlett Thomason, Alex Wood, Aylah Lawrenson, Emily Swift, Lily Tippet, Darcie Davidson, Holly Colton, Ruben Taylor, Zara Mitchell, Xenia Bowden, Kallum Doherty, Victoria Calheiros, Coby Toogood, Rebecca Hubbard, Felicity Lyall.

**HEADTEACHER UPDATE** – Firstly, thank you for joining us for our Jubilee celebrations before the half term break. It has been so long since we have been able to celebrate with you and we look forward to opening our door to you again in the future.



At Woodlands, we use a range of approaches to develop learning behaviour. For us, this is just as important as the knowledge we acquire. In assemblies and in class, we have been focusing on our learning zones this term.

## Our Learning Zones



*It's great to be out of our comfort zone.*

**Green zone** – This is our **comfort zone** where we feel calm and comfortable. Sometimes it is OK to be in our comfort zone in school, for example, when an adult is reading a class story. However, we don't want to spend too much time in our comfort zone.

**Learning zone** – The learning zone can be a little daunting at times as it means taking risks and not knowing if we are going to get everything correct.

In writing, being in our learning zone might mean using adventurous vocabulary or new punctuation. In Maths, this might mean we have a go at sharing our ideas or exploring a problem in a range of ways. On the playground, this might involve a child asking to join in a game with a different group that they would not normally play with.

We talk to the children that being out of our comfort zone and in our learning zone is how we learn best at school. Sometimes it leads to us making mistakes, however, it also means that we make great progress and feel proud when we achieve.

It would be great if you could find opportunities to use this language at home too. Please catch me at the gate if you have any questions/successes or struggles. For example, to show that adults find things tricky too and spend lots of time outside our comfort zones, or to reassure your child when they are finding homework challenging.



**ATTENDANCE/HOLIDAYS IN TERM TIME** – Children's regular attendance at school is essential to ensure that they maximise their learning opportunities to achieve their full potential. If your child is unwell please leave a message on the absence line before 8.50 am on the first day of absence. If your child is off school poorly for more than one day could you please send in a letter on their return covering them for the whole period detailing their absence. As you are no doubt aware holidays in term time are strongly discouraged and the school will continue to follow Government guidelines which do not allow for authorisation of holidays in term time.

**UNIFORM** - When we return to school in September, we will be expecting all children to be wearing the correct school uniform. If you need to order any, please do so via ParentPay as usual and the office will send the items home with your child. Please place all orders by **Friday 8 July**. If you have a child who will be starting in September but already have an account for an older child, you can use that one to place an order and the uniform will be given to them to take home.



**ACTIVE TRAVEL FRIDAYS** - Over the final term of the academic year, we would like to encourage everyone to get active and stay healthy! What better way than to get active on your way to school?

Every Friday through the final summer half term, we would like you to cycle, scooter, run and walk or take any other active form of transport you can to school. During register time, we will collect an active travel register to see how people came to school that day. Each week, we will see which class has been the most active and they will win the active travel class certificate for that week!

At the end of term, Mr Clutterbuck will look at all the active travel points for the whole half term and declare the overall winners, who will receive a special prize for being the most active class when travelling to school. We look forward to seeing you all arrive energetically!



**BUDE 2022** – Our Year 6 children had a fantastic week at Adventure Bude for their school residential. Everyone settled into their accommodation brilliantly and enjoyed 6 fun activity-filled days. The children took part in climbing, high-ropes, surfing, beach games, caving, dragon boats, body-boarding, team trail, canoeing and mountain boarding!



**NATIONAL ONLINE SAFETY** – You can download free online guides on what parents need to know about cross-platform sharing of inappropriate content, what parents need to know about the Metaverse and what parents need to know about Virtual Reality. Click the links below to download your free guides:



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## DIARY DATES

### June 2022

Monday 13 June	Year 4 Eden Project trip
Tuesday 14 June	Foundation September 2022 Intake Parent Meeting – 4-5 pm in school hall
Thursday 16 June	Year 2 Dartmoor Zoo trip
Monday 20 June	Year 1 Long Timber Woods trip
Tuesday 21 June	Sports Day – KS2 9.30 am & FS/KS1 1.30 pm
	Year 3 Swimming Lesson – last one
Wednesday 22 June	Year 5 to ICC – Open Morning
Monday 27 June	Year 6 Wembury Walk ( <b>New date</b> )
Tuesday 28 June	Year 6 Swimming Lesson – Barn Owls
Wednesday 29 June	Year 3 Wembury Walk ( <b>New date</b> )
	KS2 Athletics Event @ Brickfields – details to follow
Thursday 30 June	Year 6 Engineering Day – details to follow
	KS2 Commonwealth Games @ Morley Meadow – details to follow



### July 2022

Monday 4 July	Year 5 Moorland Walk ( <b>New date</b> )
Tuesday 5 July	Reserve Sports Day
	Year 6 last swimming session – Eagle Owls
Wednesday 6 July	Year 5/6 Choir Transition Singing Project @ ICC – details to follow
Thursday 7 July	Year 4 Moorland Walk ( <b>New date</b> )
Friday 8 July	KS1 Commonwealth Games – details to follow
Monday 11 July	WPFA Summer Fair – 3.15 – 5.15 pm
Tuesday 12 July	Year 6 parents to meet Tutors @ ICC
Wednesday 13 July	Year 6 pupils at ICC all day
Friday 22 July	Last Day of Summer Term/Academic Year

### September 2022

Monday 5 September	First day of Autumn Term
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