

Witley C of E Infant School

Newsletter no. 15 Autumn Term

Thursday, 18th December 2025



Learn, love and flourish together
Our value this term is respect



The Wise Men saw the child with Mary his mother, and they fell down and worshiped him. Then, opening their treasures, they offered him gifts, gold and frankincense and myrrh. Matthew 2:11

Dear Parents/Carers and children

Christmas Lunch

Christmas Jumper Day was a real hit and the children enjoyed a delicious roast at lunchtime! Money raised will be split between Save the Children and our chosen charity 'Child of Hope' in Uganda.

Merry Christmas

Christmas Service

Our Year 2 School Councillors lit our candle in Church to mark the start of our Christmas service.



The children played an important part in the service this year by bringing up the knitted characters from the Nativity story.



Dolphin Class

As many of you have heard Mrs Willgoose hasn't been very well and Mrs Stanton and I have been covering the class in her absence. We wish Mrs Willgoose a speedy recovery. Thank you to all of our staff who have stepped in to help over the past two weeks.

Dolphin Class have taken the change of routine all in their stride and this week we have been thinking about how to work as a team in class so that everyone gets a chance to flourish. We also talked about how our actions affect others. We read the story of the Selfish Crocodile and talked about how mean that horrible crocodile was not sharing the river with the other wild animals!

Cake Raffle

Thank you to the Botsford family for the delightful Christmas Cake.

Congratulations to Sylvie who won!

Allergies: Please note some cakes are shop bought and some are homemade and therefore we cannot guarantee that they are nut free.



Thank you to Godalming Printing Works

What a surprise to receive a pile of paper and card for the children. Richard Hackett of Godalming Printing Works donated the resources to Mrs Wales for our school.



Bits and bobs!

Don't forget to save all of your ribbon, small gift boxes after Christmas for the junk modelling table in EYFS. Dolphin class are always happy to receive stationery items, paper, old birthday cards etc, for cutting up.

Finally, well done to Zoe, Aidan and Iris who held an original art sale in their road and raised over £20 for our school. A great example of entrepreneurship!

Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Mrs Szczepanski and everyone at Witley School.

Well done to the following children who are in our Gold Book this week!

Year R – Barnaby and Nina

Year 1 – Freya, Grace and Emma

Year 2 – Maddox and Rex

Headteacher Awards

Year R – Margo Year 1 – Aidan Year 2 – Harry, Zoe and Iris



DAY	DATE	ACADEMIC YEAR 2025 -26
Fri	19.12	Last Day of term – early finish at 1.05 pm.
Mon	05.01.26	INSET DAY NO. 3 – SCHOOL CLOSED
Tues	06.01.26	Start of term
Fri	09.01.26	Prospective Parent 2026 tour no 9 at 9.40 am
Tues	27.01	Year 1 trip to Brooklands Museum – Details have been sent out. Please remember to provide consent for your child to attend.
Th	12.02	Last day of term – finish at 3.15 pm
Fri	13.02	INSET DAY NO. 4 – SCHOOL CLOSED
		HALF TERM – 16 February to 20 February
Mon	23.02	First day of term
Fri	06.03	Year 2 trip to Marwell Zoo – <i>details to follow</i>
Wed	11.03	Year R trip to Haslemere Museum – <i>details to follow</i>
Fri	27.03	Last day of term – early finish at 1.05 pm
Mon	13.04	First day of term
Fri	22.05	INSET DAY no. 5 – SCHOOL CLOSED
		HALF TERM – 25 May to 29 May
Fri	05.06	Years 1 and 2 to Rodborough Olympic Games 9.30-11 am. – there is no charge for this trip.
Mon	08.06	All week - Year 1 Phonics Screening Check including Year 2 retakes
Fri	03.07	Year 2 trip to Sayers Croft – <i>details to follow</i>
Tues	07.07	Year 1 trip to Chichester Harbour – <i>details to follow</i>
Wed	22.07	Last day of term – early finish at 1.05 pm



