Head of School Newsletter December 2024

Half-termly update - Autumn 2

Each term always feels busier that the one before and this one is no exception - as you'll see from our enhanced curriculum offer below! I am so proud of the fact that all areas of the school were graded 'good' by Ofsted and would like to thank you for the continued support that you give our school. Many exciting plans are in place for next term, enjoy the Christmas break and we look forward to welcoming your young people back on Tuesday 7th January!



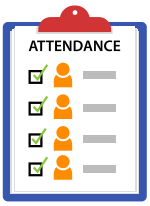
Autumn 2
Enhanced Curriculum Highlights in the spotlight!

Interhouse Cross Country event
Y4 Hautbois Residential trip
NSPCC Speak Out to Stay Safe Assembly
Y5 Hate Crime Awareness led by the Police
Y6 Anti-Social Behaviour Awareness led by the police
Y6 Crucial Crew Trip
Outdoor and Adventurous PE Activities
Christmas Performances
Class Sharing of interests - In the Spotlight
Clubs: Cross country, football, LEGO, choir, Christmas decorations



Reminder

Please park considerately to keep our children safe.
All children should have their own, named, water bottle.
Please name all your child's items!
Our schools are nut-free zones. Please do not include any items containing nuts in packed lunches.
Special diets can be catered for by the kitchen.
Break time snacks should be healthy snacks!



Attendance Matters!

Our whole school attendance is 96.25%
Congratulations to Azalea class for an impressive 97.87%
Our target is 96% or more!
https://www.woodlandview.norfolk.sch.uk/our-school/attendance/

THANK YOU

Friends of Spixworth Schools

A very big thank you to the Friends of Spixworth Schools for organising the Christmas Colour Raffle and to our amazing community for your support!

Community Adventure Respect Excellence

Christmas can be an amazing time of year. It can also be a stressful or lonely time of year. If you, or someone you know is struggling, please reach out.

Mind: Christmas and mental health - Mind (this site includes tips, support, contacts and emergency advice)
The Samaritans: 116 123
National Domestic Abuse helpline: 0808 2000 247
Report a concern about a child: 0344 800 8020

House Points

House points are awarded for many reasons and they are always linked to our school values. As the year is progressing the amount of house points that have been awarded is amazing!

Please do not drop off or park on the yellow zigzag lines outside of school.

Long hair should be tied back and stud earrings must be taped for PE lessons.



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Big Norfolk Holiday Fun

Bookings are open for the Festive Big Norfolk Holiday Activity Scheme. https://www.norfolk.gov.uk/bignorfolkholidayfun

Key Dates

This term ends at 3:10 pm on Friday 20th Dec
10th Jan - Y4 swimming starts
14th Jan - Karate Taster Day
16th Jan - Cross Country event at Taverham
27th, 28th, 29th Jan - Book Looks
28th Jan - Neurodiversity Cafe - WVJS
29th Jan - Neurodiversity Cafe - Sparhawk
3rd Feb - Children's Mental Health Awareness Week
3rd Feb - Parent/carer meetings
7th Feb - Cross Country event at Horsford
11th Feb - Safer Internet Day
14th Feb - Last day of the Half Term

Welcome

A warm welcome to Mr Jordan who has joined our Y6 team as a maths tutor.



It was lovely to see so many members of our school community attending this term's Neurodiversity Cafe, over the next term we will continue to work closely with the Norfolk School and Community Team.

