



## Woolgrove School – Newsletter No. 3

10<sup>th</sup> November 2022

### **Parent / Carer Consultation Evenings**

This week saw the return of 'face to face' parent and carer consultations within school. It was lovely to see so many of you here to look at the children's work and talk to the teachers about how the children have settled in and are progressing. I hope you found the meetings useful and I would urge any of you that were unable to attend to contact your child's class teacher for an appointment. School – home communication is really important to allow us to work together to maximise the children's learning and development.

### **Bag2school collection**

The Bag2school collection is taking place on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> November. Please bring in any good condition second-hand clothing you may have on the day. The more we collect the more money is raised for the school, so please have a look in the wardrobes this weekend and see if there is anything that you are able to donate. The transport team have been spoken to and are aware that there may be extra bags to bring into school on Tuesday.

### **Friends of Woolgrove / Uniform**

The Friends of Woolgrove have recently begun to sell pre-loved Woolgrove uniform items at very reasonable prices ranging from 50p - £5.00. If you have any uniform requirements please contact the FoW on [F-O-W@woolgrove.herts.sch.uk](mailto:F-O-W@woolgrove.herts.sch.uk) The Friends

are holding a meeting on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November at 9.30 a.m. at the school. This is a busy time of year for events and fundraising so if you would like to help in any capacity you will be very welcome to come along.

### **Reading and phonics parents meeting**

A reminder, that we have invited parents and carers to attend a reading and phonics meeting at school on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November from 1.30 p.m. until 2.30 p.m. We have had a really good response so far so please do join us and learn how we teach these areas in school and how you can support your child at home. If you do wish to come and haven't already let us know, please either return the appropriate slip or call the office. Please arrive in good time to allow for a prompt start.

### **Snow White**

On Monday of this week the Formal and Semi Formal2 classes were treated to a fabulous production of Snow White. The performance was by the travelling theatre company M&M. This was fully funded by a grant from the Happy Days charity for which we are very grateful. The children were really engaged and thoroughly enjoyed the experience... so much so that we have already booked M&M to return with their Jack and the Beanstalk production next year!



Lisa Hall,  
Head Teacher

### **Dressed for the weather**

Although we have yet to have any really cold weather it has been really wet and windy so please ensure that your children have suitable clothing at school.



We endeavour to take advantage of our wonderful environment area and outside spaces all year round so it is really important that the children are warm and comfortable. Please also ensure that you label all your child's items so that we can ensure things don't get lost!

### **Additional Bank Holiday**

The Government have recently announced that there will be an additional Bank Holiday in May 2023 to celebrate the King's Coronation. This will be on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2023. This is in addition to the usual early May Bank Holiday which will be on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2023. School will be closed on both of these days. The full term dates for this year and next academic year are attached and also available on the school website.