



# Woodland Newsletter: Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have reached the end of another very busy week in school. As the end of term approaches, we are looking forward to celebrating 'Autism Awareness Week', culminating in a colourful day of celebrations next **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> April**. Children are invited to come to school wearing as many colours as possible to mark this special day.

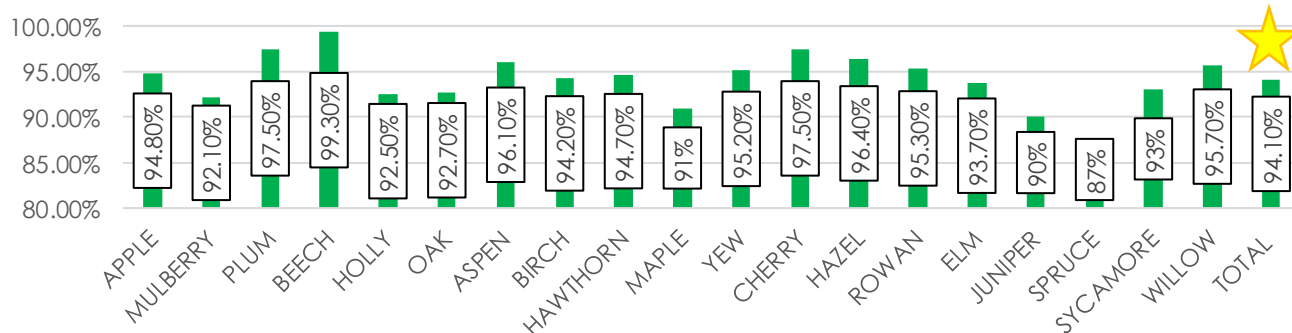
As ever, should any of you have any questions or queries or need any support or help, please just get in touch on 01706 620305 or at [head@woodland.rochdale.sch.uk](mailto:head@woodland.rochdale.sch.uk)

Thank you for your continuing support and have a lovely weekend everyone!

The Woodland Team

Attendance and Punctuality	Parents Evening	Year 6 Transition
Following the full re-opening of school, our attendance and punctuality got off to an excellent start, but over the last two weeks we have seen a decline in our whole school figures. We understand that families are being highly vigilant and following the Public Health England guidelines linked to Covid19 and as a result, children and families are isolating which we understand completely. However, we have had an increase in non-Covid related absence and as such, our attendance figures this week have dropped well below our whole school satisfactory target of <b>96.5%</b> . We recognise that there are a number of classes listed below who have met or exceeded this target and they as a class have been rewarded in our Attendanceopoly game with a roll of the dice.	Our Summer term Parents Evening will be held on <b>Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> April</b> . To ensure the safety of all, this will be a virtual meeting with specific information to follow about how this will work coming out in a letter to parents next week. <b>It is vital that you provide us with your email address</b> on the letter that we send home and we will allocate a 5 minute appointment with your child's class teacher.	Our feeder high schools are sending information through about transition to high school for our Year 6 children. Information is being posted on our Facebook page so please be sure to check in regularly. Newhouse Academy have a dedicated ' <b>Year 6 Zone</b> ' on their website which can be found here: <a href="https://newhouseacademy.co.uk/year-6-zone/">https://newhouseacademy.co.uk/year-6-zone/</a>
	Comic Relief	Reading Merits
	Thank you all for your kindness and efforts last week. The children looked incredible in their superhero costumes. As a school we raised £296.37 for Comic Relief and we know this will significantly help to benefit the lives of others in need.	On behalf of everyone at school, we would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our parents for your help and support with listening to your child read at home. Children have been collecting merits for their reading efforts and we have seen a good increase in the frequency of reading at home. Our merit shop will be fully stocked and ready for the children to start spending in May. Keep up the great work!

### Woodland attendance 19.03.21 - 25.03.21



## WOW Work Winners

**Apple** - Leighton  
**Mulberry** - Sofia  
**Plum** - Obed  
**Beech** - Jessica  
**Holly** - Willow  
**Oak** - Lucy  
**Aspen** - Ollie  
**Birch** - Bianca  
**Hawthorn** - Echo  
**Maple** - Madison  
**Yew** - Florence  
**Cherry** - Poppy  
**Hazel** - Daisy  
**Rowan** - Ruby-Mae  
**Elm** - Harvey  
**Juniper** - Class award  
**Spruce** - Alfie  
**Sycamore** - Phoebe  
**Willow** - Tyler

## Shining Stars

**Apple** - Kaielle-  
Cassidy  
**Mulberry** - Charlie  
**Plum** - Shaniya  
**Beech** - Roman  
**Holly** - Aaron  
**Oak** - Tiffany  
**Aspen** - Xsara-Rose  
**Birch** - Bailey  
**Hawthorn** - Maddie  
**Maple** - Matylda  
**Yew** - Bradley  
**Cherry** - Krissie-Leigh  
**Hazel** - Summer  
**Rowan** - Awais  
**Elm** - Ashleigh  
**Juniper** - Dylan  
**Spruce** - Riley  
**Sycamore** - Skye  
**Willow** - Marie

## Always Children

**Apple** - Jacob  
**Mulberry** - Michael  
**Plum** - Roxanne  
**Beech** - Elisia  
**Holly** - Susan  
**Oak** - Robyn  
**Aspen** - Franki-Anne  
**Birch** - Shay  
**Hawthorn** - Michael  
**Maple** - Karolina  
**Yew** - Lola  
**Cherry** - Jessica  
**Hazel** - Patryk  
**Rowan** - Mia  
**Elm** - Lilly  
**Juniper** - Emmi  
**Spruce** - Skye  
**Sycamore** - Melissa  
**Willow** - Ellie-Sue

### School Uniform

Can we ask for Parents and Carers support in ensuring that children attend school wearing full school uniform? Our school uniform consists of a white shirt or t-shirt, grey trousers/skirt/dress, black shoes and a green cardigan, fleece or jumper. Jumpers or cardigans do not need to have the school logo, but if parents and carers wish to purchase items with logos, this can be done at the school office. The following items are not permitted: trainers, hooded tops and jewellery (small plain studs only and a wrist watch are allowed).

For PE, all children need a plain white t-shirt, black shorts and black pumps. Children can bring a plain, dark coloured tracksuit for outdoor PE whilst the weather is still very cold.

We thank you for your continued support with this matter.

### Diary Dates:

**School Closes for Easter** - Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2021  
**School Re-opens** - Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2021  
**Parents Evening** - Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2021  
**Bank Holiday** - Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2021  
**School Closes for May Half Term** - Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2021