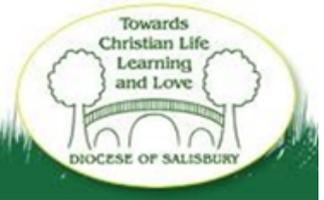


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And now I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. If you have love for one another, then everyone will know that you are my disciples.' John 13:34-35

Dear All,

Well, we have come to the end of another term!

Despite it being a wet one, the children have been working hard, playing with their friends and learning new skills.

It is so lovely to see the children talking and listening in their lessons-this was picked up recently by members of Pickwick trust who visited us and looked at the curriculum we teach. 'Children enjoy their learning – enthusiasm was clear and they wanted to talk about their learning.'

Thank you for all your support this term, I hope you have a restful half-term.

Best wishes Donna Young



Worship Value

This term we have had a focus on creativity during our worship time. Different groups of children have helped lead worship on subjects such as Eco-schools, Mental health and Online safety. The children love the chance to lead worship-they engage their peers and share great thoughts and ideas.

Dear Lord,

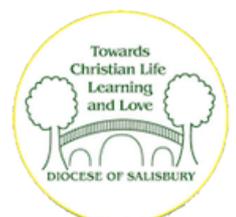
Thank you for the beautiful world you have made. Help us to love it and care for it as you did when you made it. Let us not spoil it by dropping litter and help us to care for one another. In your name, Amen.



Attendance

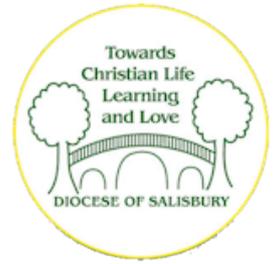
Thank you for continuing to support us with attendance in school-children should be in by 8.40 am each day. We have started using a new system for registration so it is even more important that the children are in school on time as teachers will mark children down as late. Thank you for supporting us with this.

Attendance Matters



PTA

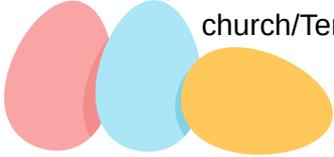
There is a regular coffee morning on a Friday morning that you are welcome to attend. New members are very welcome.



**Thank you to the PTA
for organising the Valentine Disco-
we all had fun!**



Dates for your diary....Term 4 begins-
Monday 23rd February
Friday 6th March- Hockey festival Yr 5 and
6
Monday 9th March- PTA meeting in school
2.15pm
Monday 16th March- Yr 1 trip to Hawk
Conservancy and Yr 4 trip to Paultons Park
Parents Evenings- Tuesday 17th and
Thursday 19th March 3.30-6pm
Friday 20th March- Yr 2 trip to Salisbury
Museum
Monday 23rd March- Whole School Easter
walk/Yr 6 to Braeside
Tuesday 24th March- Yr R trip to Salisbury
library
Thursday 26th March-Easter workshop day
Friday 27th March- Easter service in
church/Term 4 ends

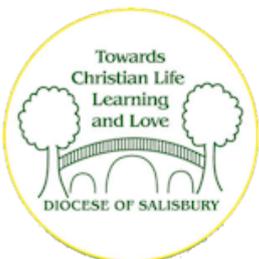


Staffing News

After over ten years of working at Woodford Valley, Jo Cuff (Miss Jo Jo) our gymnastic teacher will be leaving us next term. She has inspired so many children in their gymnastics over the years- we are going to miss her. We would like to say a huge thank you !



This week in school to celebrate Children's Mental Health week- we have focused on the theme "This is My Place" to encourage a sense of belonging in schools, homes, and communities. Our Mental health ambassadors started the week by leading whole school worship. We had a great sing song to 'We are Family' and 'This is Me'



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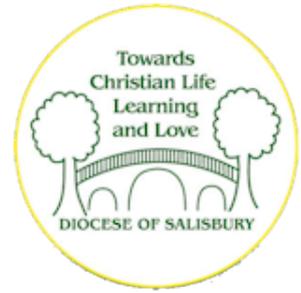


Some Useful Websites to support children's mental health...

<https://charliewaller.org/mental-health-resources/supporting-a-child-with-anxiety>

<https://www.youngminds.org.uk/parent/how-to-talk-to-your-child-about-mental-health/>

<https://charliewaller.org/mental-health-resources/five-ways-to-wellbeing-bookmark>



Inside Year 1...

This term Year 1 have enjoyed learning about how our school has changed. This week we have been finding out about games children might have played when the school was gifted a much larger playground in 1935.



Elves and Fairies club

enjoyed an end of term party this week. They all had a fantastic time!



Worships led by Mental Health ambassadors and House Captains

