

Important Notice

Wordsworth Pinboard - Messages/Dates for your Calendar

World Book Day

World Book Day will be celebrated at Wordsworth Primary on Monday 9th and Tuesday 10th March.

Our World Book Day is Jungle Book/Animal themed. We actively encourage all children to participate. This doesn't have to be shop bought, it can be made. Dress up will be over both of these days. If you prefer, your child can dress in one colour (eg Grey) and we can make a matching headband/mask in school (eg Elephant).

All children in KS1 and Nursery will be taking part in an online Jungle Book themed drama and dance workshop. All children in KS2 will be taking part in a Jungle Book drama workshop in the school hall on one of the two days. Please also feel free to bring in any books from home that you want to share on these days

It is the expectation that children come to school in their uniform the rest of the week.



For those children attending the Home Farm residential, a reminder that the payment deadline is Friday 27th February.

They will need a packed lunch for Monday 16th only.

HOME FARM RESIDENTIAL

Manor Adventure Residential

Letters were emailed out to all year 5 parents introducing our residential over the IOW in October 2026. There are 18 spaces left overall and deposits are due on 16th February to secure your child's place.

Year 2_Minstead Day Visit

Year 2 are heading to Minstead Study Centre. Minstead is a great opportunity for the children to experience the outdoors and work together as a team, and this also feeds into our Geography and Science learning. There are loads of fun activities for them to take part in and the children have a full itinerary for the day.

Because we are leaving the school early in order to beat the traffic and ensure our children have their full programme of activities, which starts from 9.30am, we are requesting that the Year 2 children arrive at the school via the main gate, from 8.15am please.

We will invite the children in and up to class as normal for registration and we aim to leave the school by 8.30am.

All children unless already pre-ordered must bring a lunch box and drink with them.

Monday 23rd February 2026

Spare Clothes Please

Please could you ensure with the weather as wet as it is, and has been, that you send your child in with a change of clothes, including underwear, socks and some wellies if they have them.



A reminder that the school gates open at 8.40am. Children should be in classes ready for registration and to start their learning at 8.55am. If your child arrives after 9am, they will be given a late mark. After 9.15am, they will be marked an unauthorised absence for the morning session.

Parental Consents

Today you have been emailed a link to click on and complete. This form will be a list of consents we require for your child. Up until now we have completed paper forms but we have streamlined this into an electronic form which makes completion not only easier and faster, and allows staff to check before photos are taken for our social media pages, website and events taking place in the school such as Forest Schools.

This is compulsory to complete and after half term, we will be checking the list and contacting those that have not completed it. [Wordsworth Primary School Parental Consent - Fill in form](#)

Please check your email inboxes and complete this form only ONCE please.

Attendance Class Award This Week

This weeks winners were:

- Squirrels (98.87%)
- Wolves (98.89%)



The stars and certificate will be on proud display in their classrooms until next week.

Dates for your Diary...

Please click [here](#) for more details about the two workshops below:

- Masking & Sensory Sensitivities Workshop
- Strategies for reducing Demands Workshop

SEND Workshops

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CHINESE NEW YEAR
27/02/2026

On Friday 27th February, Wordsworth Primary and Nursery School will be participating in the following activities to learn about and recognise Chinese New Year...

- Wear Red Day – Children are welcome to come to school dressed in red to symbolise good luck and happiness.
- Chinese-Inspired School Dinner Menu – Our kitchen team will be offering a special menu inspired by traditional Chinese cuisine.
- Traditional Chinese Stories – Classes will be exploring well-known stories and folklore from Chinese culture.
- Paper Lantern Making – Children will have the opportunity to create their own decorative paper lanterns.
- Chinese New Year Assembly – There will be an assembly to learn more about the significance and customs of Chinese New Year.
- Language of the Week: Mandarin – Throughout the week, children will be introduced to simple Mandarin words and phrases.



Year 5

We have Bikeability coming in week commencing Monday 16th March to Friday 20th March for our Year 5 children. Please click on the link below if you would like to sign your child up for Bikeability.

The consent link will expire on Monday 2nd March, so please do sign your child up before that date if you think they would be interested.

Consent: <https://consent.bikeability.org.uk/chest-food-vice>

Thank you,
Year 5 Team

30 Minutes. Big Difference.

School Street volunteers needed

School Streets temporarily limit traffic at drop-off and pick-up, creating a safer, calmer space for children and families.

Our volunteers set out barriers and signs, helping everyone move safely and making a real difference to our school community.

Can you spare just 30 minutes a week? We'd love your help! Speak to the volunteers on duty to get involved.



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Friday

Mains

Jacket Potato & Fillings (choice) (GF)
Stir Fried Vegetables in Black Bean Sauce
Chinese Sweet & Sour Chicken Dippers

Accompaniments

Steamed Rice (VG) (GF)
Broccoli (VG) (GF)
Savoy Cabbage (VG) (GF)
Salad Bar (VG) (GF)

Desserts

Chinese Cinnamon Cookie
Fruit Yoghurt (V) (GF)
Fresh Fruit (VG) (GF)

INSET DAYS
Staff Training Days
Academic Year 2025-2026

School - Closed to all children

- Monday 2nd February 2026
- Friday 6th March 2026
- Friday 26th June 2026

Nursery - Closed to all children

- Monday 2nd February 2026
- Friday 26th June 2026

These dates are for staff training. The school and nursery will be closed on the days listed above.

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From 28th March 2026, Dolce will be having a price increase in their school meals.

The current price for a school meal is £2.67 and it will be increasing to £2.80.

This increase in price is to reflect the annual inflation for food and the increase of the National Living Wage.

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During assembly this morning, our assembly was about how we communicate around the school.

We have Zones of Regulation so if children are very overwhelmed, they can regulate their emotions in these areas.



Respectful

Children will...
 treat everyone with kindness
 use polite words and actions
 value others' opinions
 reflect and repair

'We do not swear in our school'

Ready Respectful Safe



Play is different in Winter at Wordsworth

The ground is wetter and sometimes slippery; we need to be more careful and safe. Children can bring in their wellies but must also bring in their trainers for PE, as wellies are not suitable footwear for that.

Please ensure you send your child in with spare clothes in case they get wet or dirty, as our OPAL ethos is outside play as much as possible except for torrential rain.

Children enjoying the Gutter and Water channels



Yoruba

Every morning, 9 children whose first language is Yoruba walk through the gates of our school. Do you know if anyone in your class can speak Yoruba?

Please click [here](#) to learn more about Yoruba.

