



WOOKEY WEEKLY *update*

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Message from the headteacher It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas...

We are very definitely in full Christmas mode now, with the Bake Off happening across the week culminating in the sale of everyone's bakes at the Christmas Fayre tonight. We hope to see lots of you there, even if the lantern parade has to move indoors!

Christmas jumpers can now be worn instead of school tops until the end of term.



Thank you to the Thompson family for donating the Christmas tree again this year

Stars of the Week

Reception: Jesse

Year 1: Mason

Year 2: Harry

Year 3: Leo

Year 4: Alma

Chestnut: Ada

Zhasmina

Headteacher's

postcard:

Beth



UPCOMING DATES

Christmas Edition

Thurs 27th Nov: Eco Art Day in preparation for The Bishop's Palace Eco Art Exhibition; non-uniform day
(chocolate donation for the tombola, please)

Fri 28th Nov: INSET Day - no children in school

Fri 5th Dec: school Bake Off; WSA Christmas Fayre (all invited to join the festivities, 5-7pm)

Tues 16th Dec: school Christmas Service rehearsal (please drop children at the Church Hall in the morning, 3:20pm pickup from school as usual)

Wed 17th Dec: school Christmas Lunch; Christmas Service, including Rowan Nativity - parents invited to stay (please drop children at the Church Hall in the morning, 3:20pm pickup from school as usual)

Fri 19th Dec: last day of the Autumn Term

Attendance headlines



Rowan
92.8%



Oak ✨ ✨
96.2%



Willow
95.9%



Chestnut
95.8%



Whole School
95.6%



National (primaries)
95.3%

Please put this in your diary! We're very excited to offer you this training at school.

FREE WORKSHOP FOR
PARENTS & CARERS



SUPPORTING YOUR CHILD'S BIG FEELINGS:

AN EMOTION COACHING
APPROACH



In this workshop hosted by Somerset's Mental Health Support Team (MHST), we will explore:

- How to support your child's feelings in the moment and for the future.
- A range of strategies (including emotion coaching) you can use to boost your child's, and your own, emotional resilience.



WHEN?

Friday 23rd of January 2026
9.15 – 10.15



WHERE?

Willow Class @ Wookey Primary
Parents welcome straight after drop-off at 8.50



Refreshments provided by the Wookey School Association

Wookey Primary School

Dates 2025-26

SEPTEMBER 25

Friday 19th – Circus Day and Open Classrooms (timing TBC)

Saturday 20th – OPAL volunteering

Wednesday 24th – Phonics workshop for pre-school-year 2 from 3.20pm

Friday 26th – Chestnut to Puxton Park

Saturday 27th – postponed summer fayre

Tuesday 30th – Cross Country event Y3-6

OCTOBER 25

Friday 10th October – World Mental Health Day (wear yellow)

w/c 13th – Parent Teacher Meetings

Tuesday 21st – Oak Class Harvest Event first thing for parents (9am start)

Tuesday 21st – Wells Literature Festival for Y6

Thursday 23rd – WSA Spooky Disco at Henton Hall

Friday 24th – Last day of half term

NOVEMBER 25

Monday 3rd – First day of autumn 2

w/c 3rd – IEP Parent Meetings

Friday 7th – Oak Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole in-school workshop

Friday 14th – Children in Need – non-school uniform day (wear something spotty)

Friday 28th – INSET Day – No Children in School

DECEMBER 25

Friday 5th – Christmas Fayre

Tuesday 16th – rehearsal in church. Drop children at the village hall normal school time. We will walk them back to school. Pick up from school normal time.

Wednesday 17th – Christmas Lunch and Rowan Class Nativity. Drop off all children at The Church Hall.

Friday 19th – Last day of Autumn term

JANUARY 26

Monday 5th – INSET Day – No Children in School

Tuesday 6th – First Day of spring term

Friday 23rd – MHST workshop

FEBRUARY 26

Friday 6th – Number Day (details TBC)

w/c 9th – Mental Health Week

w/c 9th – Parent Teacher Meetings

Friday 13th – Last day of half term

Monday 23rd – First day of spring 2

MARCH 26

Thursday 5th – World Book Day (theme TBC)

Friday 13th – Comic Relief

APRIL 26

Thursday 2nd – Willow Class Easter Event and last day of spring term

Monday 20th – First day of summer term

Thursday 30th – Bikeability Day 1

MAY 26

Friday 1st – Bikeability Day 2

w/c 11th – SATS Week

Friday 22nd – Last day of half term

JUNE 26

Monday 1st – First Day of summer 2

Saturday 6th – Summer Fayre

w/c 8th – Chestnut Class Play

Thursday 18th – Sports Day

Wednesday 24th – Wookey Fest

Friday 26th – INSET Day – No Children in School

Monday 29th – INSET Days

JULY 26

Thursday 2nd – Sports Day Back up day

Friday 3rd – Sunday 5th – Chestnut Residential PGL Barton Hall

Wednesday 8th – Teddy Bears Picnic

Tuesday 14th – Enterprise Afternoon

Tuesday 21st – Leaver's lunch and rounders from 1pm

Wednesday 22nd – Last day of school year

*Corrections/changes in purple



WSA

Christmas Fair

FRIDAY 5TH DECEMBER
5 - 7PM

Join us for an evening of Festive fun!

Activities include:

- Lantern Parade and competition (prize for each year group)
- Decorate your own gingerbread man
- Chocolate Tombola
- Christmas hook-a-duck
- Christmas eve bags (pre-ordered)
- Children's stalls (cash only please)
- Mulled wine and hot chocolate
- Slow cooked gammon rolls and sausage rolls (veggie option available)
- Raffle

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TWIGLET'S CHRISTMAS CIRCUS SHOW

Including Santa's Grotto And gift!

JOIN TWIGLET & FRIENDS IN A MAGICAL, FESTIVE ADVENTURE FILLED WITH LAUGHTER, SPELLBINDING CIRCUS ACTS, CHRISTMAS FUN & SO MUCH MORE!
WILL TWIGLET FALL ASLEEP IN TIME FOR SANTA TO ARRIVE?!

STREET
VICTORIA CLUB | LEIGH ROAD BA16 0HB

FROM **19 DEC** UNTIL **20 DEC**

SHOW TIMES:
FRIDAY: 5PM & 7:30PM
SATURDAY: 10:30AM, 2PM & 4:30PM

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Safeguarding is everybody's business

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Children's Social Care on 0300 123 2224 or at childrens@somerset.gov.uk
Or call the police on 101 who will discuss with Children's Social Care what action should be taken.
In an emergency contact the police by dialling 999.

Designated Safeguarding Lead - Mrs Laurie Davies
Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads - Miss Jess Main and Miss Ellie Furner
Safeguarding governor - Mrs Alyson Mair