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### DATES

**Tue 21st**—Y4, Y5 and Y6 Swimming

**Fri 24th**—FOWS Break The Dress Code Day (suggested 50p per breach)

#### December

**Thurs 14th**—2pm & 6pm, Whole School Christmas Production

**Fri 15th**—PM: whole School Theatre Visit

**Mon 18th**—3.15-5pm FOWS Christmas Movie Night

**Thurs 21st**—Christmas Dinner, break up for Christmas!

**Friday 22nd**—Inset Day - School closed to Pupils

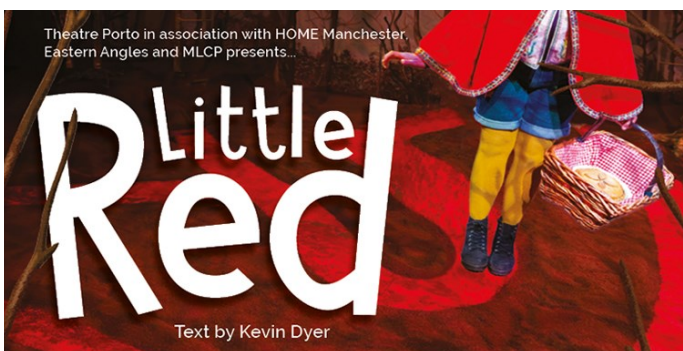
Christmas Holiday Monday 25th—Friday 5th January

#### January

**Mon 8th**—School opens for the Spring Term

**Fri 15th**—Reception 2024 application deadline

### Children In Need Cake Sale

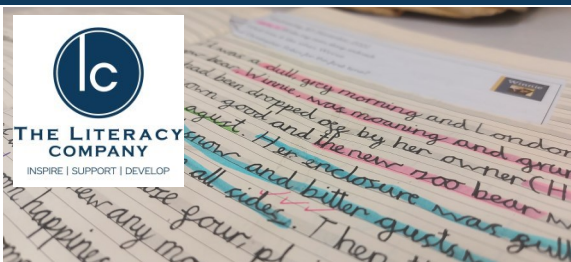


### Whole School Theatre Visit

We are delighted to once again be able to take the whole school to the theatre this Christmas. This year we will be going to Theatre Porto in Ellesmere Port to watch their production of Little Red on **December 15th** at 12.20pm. You have received a letter providing more details of this event. The visit will cost £15 per child and FoWs will subsidise the remaining costs. Thank you to those that have already paid!

### External Writing Moderation

During our recent external writing moderation visit conducted by the Literacy Company, we were delighted to receive positive feedback from their lead moderator. The moderator expressed immense satisfaction with the high standards of writing evident throughout the school, commending the dedication and drive exhibited by our staff. The visit, a crucial aspect of our quality assurance process, occurs three times a year, providing invaluable insights into our teaching of writing and assessment methods. The feedback received not only validates our current practices but also allows us to make informed adjustments, ensuring that we remain on track to achieve our end-of-year goals for each child. This ongoing commitment to external moderation fosters a dynamic learning environment, enabling us to tailor our provisions to meet the unique needs of every year group, ultimately enhancing the overall quality of education we provide.



## Break The Dress Code Day



On Friday, November 24th, we're excited to announce the FOWS Break The Dress Code Day at our school! This fun event allows children to temporarily break our typical dress code, adding an element of creativity and individuality to their attire. What makes this day even more special is that breaking the rules comes with a charitable twist. For every dress code rule a pupil chooses to break, they are kindly asked to make a 50p donation to FoVs. It's a unique way to encourage self-expression while also supporting a good cause. So, if a pupil decides to push the fashion boundaries and break two dress code rules, their suggested donation would be £1.00. We're looking forward to a day filled with laughter and creativity, all in the name of supporting our school fundraising through FOWS (Friends of Whitley Village School).

## Mathletics

We would like to thank FOWS for their generous contribution towards enhancing our pupils' learning experience. Thanks to FOWS, we now have another yearly whole school subscription to Mathletics, a valuable educational resource. This subscription not only enriches our maths curriculum but also empowers the children with interactive and engaging tools for mathematical exploration. FOWS continues to be a steadfast supporter of our school's mission, providing resources that significantly impact the quality of education we deliver. The Mathletics subscription is a testament to the incredible ways FOWS regularly support us. Thank you to our parents for making all this possible.

## Bonus Ball Lottery

Results the last few weeks

21/10/2023	6	Dawn Addison	£50
25/10/2023	21	Suzzane Martin	£25
28/10/2023	6	Dawn Addison	£25
01/11/2023	50	Hayley Woodward	£25
04/11/2023	43	Sally Janes	£25
08/11/2023	24	Rob Hughes	£25

11/11/2023 32 ROLLOVER  
15/11/2023 4 ROLLOVER



## COMMUNITY TREE PLANTING FRODSHAM WOODS

Join us at one of our free tree planting events and help create a new woodland for people and wildlife

### Tree planting dates

Sat 11 November 2023 10am-3.45pm  
Sat 2 December 2023 10am-3.35pm  
Sat 27 January 2024 10am-3.45pm  
Sat 9 March 2024 10am-3.45pm



SCAN ME

**Booking Essential** – For details and to book your planting slot visit:  
[woodlandtrust.org.uk/visiting-woods/things-to-do/events](http://woodlandtrust.org.uk/visiting-woods/things-to-do/events)



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# BINGO NIGHT

JOIN US FOR A NIGHT OF FUN AND GAMES

**GAME | PRIZES | FUN**

**FRIDAY 24TH NOVEMBER 2023 6PM**  
WHITLEY VILLAGE HALL  
BRING YOUR OWN BEER  
FUN FOR ALL THE FAMILY  
CONTACT ALEX SWINDEN FOR INFO.



## Whole School Yoga Session

Every child eagerly embraced their half-termly opportunity to participate in a session led by our guest Yoga Teacher, Jen. The chance to engage with this unique form of exercise and well-being has become immensely popular among our children. Jen's sessions not only promote physical activity but also instil a sense of mindfulness and relaxation, contributing to the overall positive well-being of our children. It's a cherished and eagerly awaited experience that resonates positively with everyone.