



Hazelbrook Parent Newsletter

February 2025



Hello and welcome to your Parent Newsletter, we will send out a Newsletter at the start of each month. We hope you find the information useful and interesting. If you have any feedback or suggestions, please email office@selworthy.oak.education. We look forward to hearing from you. Classes also have their own email addresses now. Information has been sent out via email but please contact your class teacher if you need further details.

Class News: Woolacombe Class Edition

Each month a different class will be featuring in the Newsletter. This month it is the turn of Woolacombe Class. This half term Woolacombe class have enjoyed learning about the four countries of the UK. We have learnt to find major cities on the UK map as well as learning some of the traditional aspects and pastimes of each country. A particular highlight was our version of the Highland Games. In Communication, Language and Literacy (CLL) we have been exploring fiction and how characters enter magical worlds. We read extracts from Alice in Wonderland, Harry Potter and Adventures in Narnia before creating our own recounts of entering a magical world of our own creation.

How do I get into the magical world?

what is the magical world like?

what colour?	who is there?	what is the weather like?
What language?	What are the houses like?	what animals?
what do people wear?	what do people look like?	what food do they eat?
what is the landscape like?	how do people travel?	are there any more strange things?

Funding for Leisure Activities for Children with Additional Needs (UK)

The Happy Days Children's Charity is inviting applications for funding towards trips, respite breaks and group activity holidays for disadvantaged children and young people with additional needs. Find out more here:

<https://www.happydayscharity.org/applications>

Funding for Respite Breaks for Disabled Children and their Families (UK)

Families and groups of children, schools, organisations, and other registered charities can apply for financial assistance from the Adamson Trust for the cost of holidays or respite breaks for disabled children with physical, mental, or emotional impairments. Find out more here:

<https://www.theadamsontrust.co.uk/index.html>

Key Dates

Thursday 13th February – Cove Y9- Futures options evening 6 – 7.30pm

**February 17th – 21st – Half term
24.02.25 – Back to school**

Friday 28th February – Year 9 and above parents – Moving on up event. 1.30pm The Grove

**24th March - Futures Week
7th – 21st April – Easter**