

Dear Families,

### Keep the date

We are pleased to announce that we will be hosting a **Back to School Quiz Night** in the school hall on **Thursday October 3**, doors at 7:30 with quiz starting at 8:00. £5 per person

Now that the kids are back in school, it's time for us old folk to brush off the grey matter and test our wits!

Food and refreshments will be on offer, as well as a raffle with some great prizes to be won.

There are also some other great ways you can help the event:

- Donate a prize for the raffle- **MORE NEEDED**
- Offer a service or your time as a silent auction prize (examples from last time included personal training sessions and interior design consultancy) **MORE NEEDED**
- Or if you can't make it but still want to contribute you can donate directly to the PTA by visiting <https://www.gofundme.com/f/woodgrange-infant-school>

Please email [ptaquiz2019@gmail.com](mailto:ptaquiz2019@gmail.com) or text Xander at [+447834037068](tel:+447834037068) if you can offer any time or if you want to reserve a space,



**GRAB A  
TEAM  
ITS  
QUIZ  
NIGHT**

### Attendance

Each year the Governing Board have to look at our attendance and set a target to improve it.

Last year our attendance was 94.5%- a little below our target of 95%.

We know young children do get ill... we see that their attendance gets better as they get older and more resistant BUT we need you to help make sure your children are at school every day that they are well enough to do so. SO Please do not take time off for:

- visiting relatives...
- going to a party...
- sleeping in after a busy weekend or getting back late from a wedding etc...
- airport pick-ups...
- leaving early to beat the traffic

Last year we had 419 days missed through children being on holiday in term time.

If we didn't have so many holidays our attendance would be amazing.

Children who attend school regularly do better than children who do not.



Please remind your children that scooters and bikes MUST not be ridden in the playground until the space has cleared and the gate has been closed.

We say Goodbye to Carol Lawrence this week who has worked at Woodgrange for nearly 20 years. We wish her a very fond farewell.

Have a lovely weekend

Sarah & Staff