



# MUDEFORD COMMUNITY INFANTS SCHOOL

Happy Confident Learners

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# DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>
INSET Days (school closed)	Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> June, Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July, Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July
Start of Spring term	Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> January
Spring half-term	Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> February – Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> February
Parent Consultations with class teacher	Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> , Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> February, Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> February
World Book Day	Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> March
Last day of Spring term	Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March
Start of Summer term	Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> April
Mini Marathon fundraising event	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> April (morning)
Science Fair	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> May
Mufti Days for Summer Fair	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May & Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> June
Summer half-term	Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> May – Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> May
Sports Day	Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> June (morning)      *back up day Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> June
Summer Fair	Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June (after school)
Break the Rules Day	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> July
Last day of Summer term	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July

# MESSAGE FROM MR POPE

Hello everyone

## New Community Rules

On Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January we will be holding an assembly with children and staff to launch our new Community Rules. These will be replacing our Golden Rules. This is so that children understand that the same expectation for behaviour applies whether you are part of our school, local or wider community and that these are underpinned by British Values. We will also be making changes to our behaviour policy and procedures in the coming weeks so we will be writing to you with full details. This is part of our ongoing commitment to ensuring children feel safe, happy and confident and understand what is needed to contribute positively to a community and be a good learner.

Best wishes  
Mr Pope



## Our Community Rules

### **Be kind**

Use kind words, hands and feet.

### **Be helpful**

Help each other.

### **Be lawful**

Make good choices.

### **Be fair**

Be fair with each other.

### **Be honest**

Be honest in all we do.

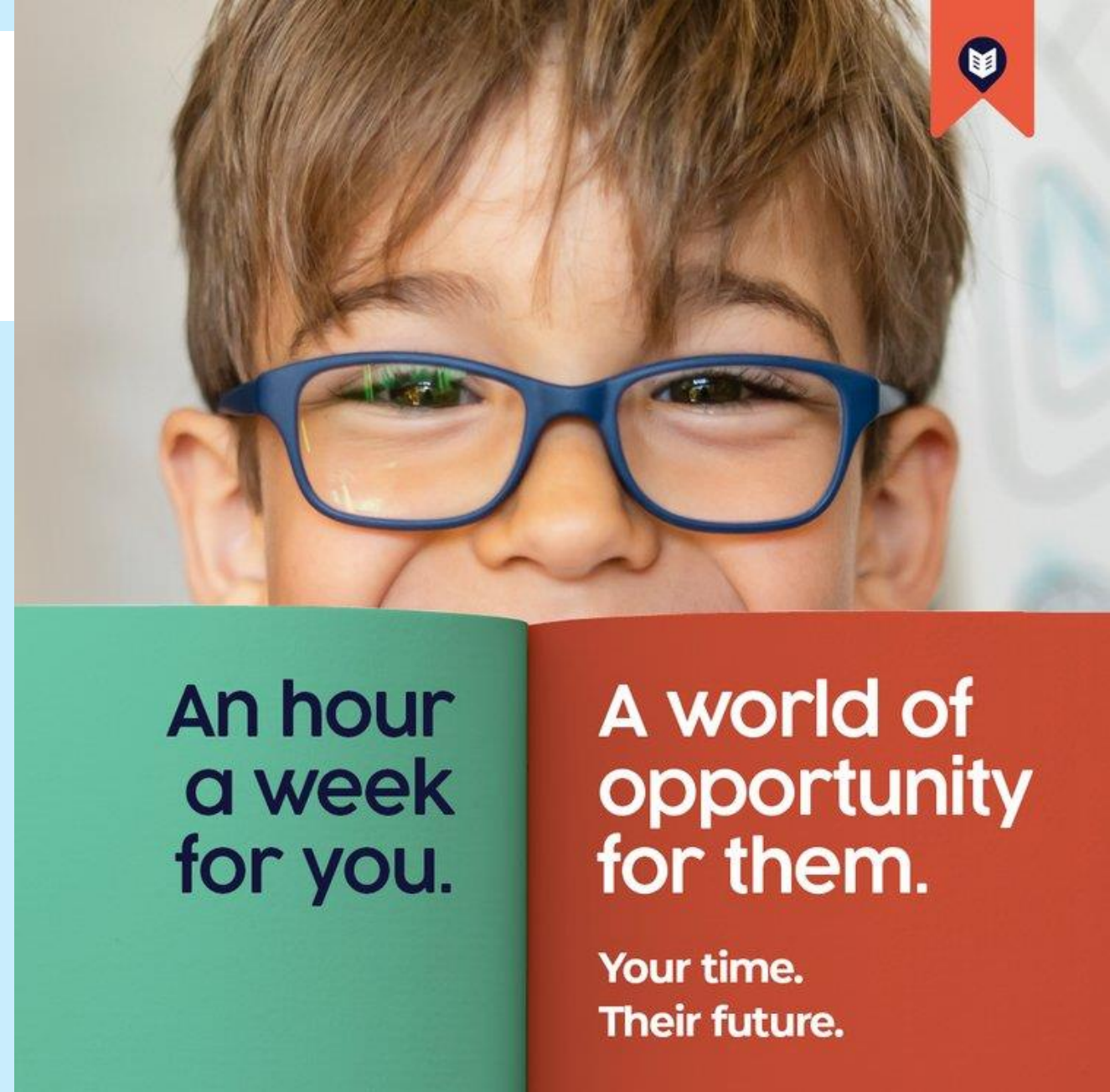
### **Be respectful**

Respect what people say, believe and think.

# VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

If any of you have any spare time to volunteer in the afternoon by listening to children read this would be very much appreciated.

Thirty minutes to an hour once a week can help make a difference and support children's confidence to read. Please contact the school office for more information.



**An hour  
a week  
for you.**

**A world of  
opportunity  
for them.**

**Your time.  
Their future.**

# ATTENDANCE FOR THIS SCHOOL YEAR



**Whole school to date:** 95.9% (national average 94.4%)  
We are in the top 15% of schools nationally for attendance.

Thank you for doing all that you can to bring your child into school. It is important where possible that they do not miss out on their learning.

**Catching up is hard to do!**

Otters 97.1%  
Squirrels 96.1%  
Dormice 95.9%  
Badgers 95.6%  
Owls 95.5%  
Hedgehogs 95.3%