

# Warren Wood Primary School

### **Times Table Rock Stars**



To celebrate the launch of Time Table Rock Stars (TTRS) we are inviting all children in years 3, 4, 5 and 6 to come dressed as a rock or pop star on **Monday 1st December 2025.** There will be a special launch assembly for those year groups and over the coming weeks, classes will hopefully get into the swing of things to help them secure multiplication facts that will help them forever and in many different contexts.

Our younger pupils will have their own event at a later date so watch out on School Spider for any information on that in the new year.

We know that not everyone enjoys dressing up, so please know that if you want to wear uniform as normal or even just a t-shirt from your favourite band or artist, you are welcome to do so.



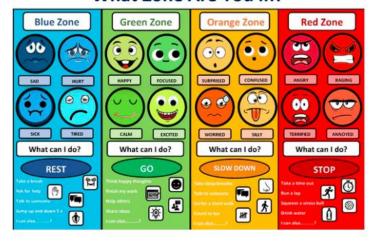
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## **Zones of Regulation**

Over the last few years in school, we have actively used the 'Zones of Regulation' to support pupils Social Emotional Mental Health (SEMH). Every classroom has a chart that allows children to recognise and register their feelings throughout the day. A child may come into school feeling sad or angry – they maybe didn't want to get out of bed or have had an argument with a sibling; During the day they may fall out with a friend or find their work too challenging – All of these things can affect their mood and have an impact on their day. By encouraging the children to name their emotions, we hope to have open communication and be able to support pupils appropriately.

Further to this, we try to encourage pupils to identify strategies to help them to cope dependent on which zone they are in. The poster below is used in all classrooms and in assemblies too. It gives us all a common approach to helping our children. We hope in sharing it with parents and carers, it will help you at home on those tricky days too.

### What Zone Are You In?







# **A Message from the Headteacher**

**Dear Parents and Carers** 

Another busy week for our Woodies – preparations are underway for Christmas shows and performances on top of the usual curriculum and learning and everything else in between.

This week, Nursery children have been reading a book called 'Whatever Next?' They pretended to be astronauts and they had a picnic on the moon! There is a picture at the top of the page to show the children flying to the moon in their rocket. It is also exciting for our Reception pupils as they have been practicing for their nativity too!

In Reception, pupils have been learning about space, have been on a space number hunt and have taken part in lots of other space activities!

In Year 1, children have been writing poems in English. They have also taken part in Science investigations to see if people with big hands also have big feet.

In Year 2, children have been finding 'writers knowledge' in an example text. They have also been practicing songs for their nativity.

Year 3 children have been learning about Iron Age forts and how life changed in Britain during the Iron Age. In Music, they have been learning Christmas Carols for the Carol service at St. George's.

Year 4 pupils have been building circuits. They have also been rehearsing for their Christmas carol service. In Maths, they have been working on their 9 times tables. Make sure you test them whenever you can — walking up the stairs or even in the car.

Year 5 children have learned about time zones in Geography. They have also discussed Zones of Regulation in PSHE. In Design Technology, they have started trying out stitches for their designs.

Year 6 pupils have continued doing Bikeability sessions. In Maths, they have been using fractions. In English, they have started reading a new book called 'Story like the Wind'. Ask your child about this book and how it made them feel.

Mr. Cooke has enjoyed sessions on Tag Rugby with pupils over the past few weeks. Next, children will be looking playing basketball and learning skills from this. Our assembly this week was about Alan Turing. We discussed his life story alongside our 'Zones of Regulation' and considering how he must have felt at parts of the story.

Have a great weekend everyone.

Mrs. Reyes

**Boo the Badger** 



Each week, Boo visits a class in the infants and juniors who have good attendance, good attitudes to learning and who demonstrate the positive attributes that make us each a 'Woodie'.

This week, Boo has visited: Miss Schofield's class – Y1 And Mrs. Bowden's class – Y6

His message though is

'Miss school, Miss out' – We love having
you here and so does Boo!



### **Upcoming Diary Dates**

Monday 1st December – Times Tables Rock Stars – Launch Day – Years 3-6\* (More details to follow)

Tuesday 2nd December – Y3/4 Carol Service @ St.George's, Stockport

Friday 5th December – Christmas Jumper Day\*

Monday 8th December – Y3/4 Pantomime – Romiley

Friday 12th December – Christmas Jumper Day\*/Christmas Fair

Further detailed information will be sent via School Spider nearer to the time of each event.