



West Moors Middle School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to take this opportunity to invite you to our Open Evening on **Tuesday 27th September 2022**. The school will be open from 5.45pm, with a **Headteacher and student talk at 6.00pm**, followed by a tour of the school with our students.

We realise that selecting a Middle School for your son or daughter is an important decision and we would therefore like to give you as much information as possible, to allow you to make a fully informed choice. On the evening, you will have a chance to speak to our staff, as well as with some of our current students and of course you will have the opportunity to walk around our school site, where there will be a range of activities from our subject areas to experience.

If you are unable to make the 27th September, or would like to see the school during its normal working day, there will be tours available the following week. May I urge you to take advantage of this opportunity, as the best way to judge a school is to see it in action. We are very proud at West Moors Middle of how well behaved and engaged our students are, and I would love for you to be able to experience this first hand.

Open Evening 27th September 2022	5.45pm to 7.45pm Headteacher's Talk @ 6.00pm
Open Tour Tuesday 4th October 2022	From 9am
Open Tour Thursday 6th October 2022	From 9am
Open Tour Tuesday 11th October 2022	From 9am

Numbers on each of the tours are limited and will be given out on a first-come first-serve basis, so please do email office@westmoorsmid.dorset.sch.uk to book your place. If you are unable to attend those dates and would like to arrange another, more convenient time, then please email this request so an alternative date can be arranged.

Remember that we also have a **virtual tour** on our website <https://westmoorsmid.dorset.sch.uk/> where you will also be able to access a lot more information about the school. You can also join our Twitter ([@west_moors](https://twitter.com/west_moors)) and Facebook pages (<https://www.facebook.com/WestMoorsMiddleSchool/>).



Headteacher: Dr D Craddock PhD MA BSc (Hons) NPQH

To give you a flavour of what West Moors Middle has to offer; we have been judged as good with outstanding features by Ofsted. We offer a broad and balanced curriculum, while being a small village middle school know all of our children.

In fact, our children attained superb results in their recent SATs' tests (July 2022), and we are especially proud of the outstanding progress our children have made in Reading (+0.2), Writing (+2.4) and Maths (+0.2), between the end of KS1 (Year 2) and KS2 (Year 6). This demonstrates how hard they have worked to make this accelerated progress in their learning over this time. Indeed, pupils at West Moors have exceeded expectations with positive progress scores, indicating that they have not only reached their targets in the external SATs' tests, but have also made much more than expected progress in these national assessments.

Warmest Wishes,



Dr Deborah Craddock

Headteacher