



Wood End Primary School

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Summer 5

28th June 2024

Mon 01.07.24	Inset day - school closed to all pupils
Wed 03.07.24	Y1 Assembly - 2pm - parents invited - information sent by text 11.06.24
Thurs 04.07.24	School closed to children - General Election
Mon 08.07.24	Parents' Evening - Nursery, Y4 & Y5
Tues 09.07.24	Parents' Evening - Reception, Y1 & Y3
Wed 10.07.24	Parents' Evening - Y2 & Y6
Thurs 11.07.24	Y5 Guitar Performance - 9am - more information to follow
Tues 16.07.24	Leavers' Lunch - orders should be placed by 28.06.24
Wed 17.07.24	Y3 Recorder Performance - 9am - more information to follow
Wed 17.07.24	Y6 Celebration Evening - letter emailed 23.05.24
Thurs 18.07.24	Y6 visit to Conkers - letter emailed 23.05.24
Mon 22.07.24	Last day of school term
Mon 02.09.24	Return to school - Y1 to Y6
Fri 13.09.24	Inset Day - school closed to all pupils
Mon 18.11.24	Inset Day - school closed to all pupils

Dear Parents,

Thank you to all parents who supported children with homework projects, it was wonderful to see all of the efforts displayed at the showcase this week. We hope that you enjoyed the conversation that these projects will have allowed you to share with your child.

Thank you to families who volunteered themselves or friends to support careers day for our Year 6 children. We wanted to support our Year 6's in believing in their futures and believing in their ability to make it happen. The children enjoyed trying on kit with the police officers, learning about youth justice projects, tasting fruit from around the world, seeing highway agency vehicles and learning about different careers in the fire service.

No smartwatches should be worn in school and from September all watches if worn in school should be analogue only.

Please note the government have set new guidelines for attendance from September 2024. This includes the increase to penalty costs from £60 per child per parent to £80 per child per parent.

We have reviewed our school RSE policy. This can be found on the website. If you would like to make any comments about this please email school by Monday 15th July.

Please remember to complete the form if you would like a parents' evening appointment or use the form to send us a comment about your child's report.

Our Year 6 children will be visiting the secondary school next week, we wish them well.

Miss Sharma



News Items for New academic Year

Milk - Y1 to Y6 pupils - the cost of school milk from September will be £12.00 per term. The payment for milk for the autumn term can be made on the Schoolcomms app. This is will be available to order/pay shortly. You will receive a text message with details.



If you child is in receipt of free school meals, there will be no charge but milk still needs to be ordered via the schoolcomms app, you will not be charged.

Reception pupils will automatically receive milk free of charge for the Autumn Term.

Reminder: all after-school activity clubs have now finished.

There will be new clubs available in September.

School Uniform for September

See below for full uniform and PE list for pupils return in September.

The updated uniform policy is available on the school website:

[e5b70e_a18c8fbef8244d29bc81ecb80622aba7.pdf](https://woodendprimaryschool.co.uk/e5b70e_a18c8fbef8244d29bc81ecb80622aba7.pdf)
(woodendprimaryschool.co.uk)

Please be aware of the limitation of smartwatches being worn to school due to safeguarding.

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE — AS A SCHOOL WE AIM TO HAVE ATTENDANCE ABOVE 95%



YOUR CHILD'S CLASS ATTENDANCE FOR WEEK COMMENCING 3RD JUNE IS BELOW.

YOUR CHILD'S CLASS ATTENDANCE FOR WEEK COMMENCING 10TH JUNE IS BELOW.

NURSERY	89%
RECEPTION	95.7%
YEAR 1	91.5%
YEAR 2	94.8%
YEAR 3	97.6%
YEAR 4	96.7%
YEAR 5	87.9%
YEAR 6	88.8%

NURSERY	82.4%
RECEPTION	95.5%
YEAR 1	95.2%
YEAR 2	94.8%
YEAR 3	95.8%
YEAR 4	97%
YEAR 5	91%
YEAR 6	90.8%

As summer hopefully continues please apply suncream before coming to school and remember your sunhats/caps.

Shoes - as children start to wear their summer uniform, please continue to wear flat black shoes and not open toe sandals. If you have any queries please do not hesitate to ask.

Please ensure that your child brings a named water bottle, containing plain water, to school each day.

YOUR CHILD'S CLASS ATTENDANCE FOR WEEK COMMENCING 17TH JUNE IS BELOW.

YOUR CHILD'S CLASS ATTENDANCE FOR WEEK COMMENCING 24TH JUNE IS BELOW.

NURSERY	82.4%
RECEPTION	95.5%
YEAR 1	95.2%
YEAR 2	94.8%
YEAR 3	95.8%
YEAR 4	97%
YEAR 5	91%
YEAR 6	88.3%

NURSERY	84%
RECEPTION	98.9%
YEAR 1	92.5%
YEAR 2	82.2%
YEAR 3	97.3%
YEAR 4	91.7%
YEAR 5	95.6%
YEAR 6	88.9%



Bookfair

3rd to 10th July

The bookfair will be visiting school on the above dates. Books will

be available to purchase on parents' evening in the hall. Thank you for your support, we can purchase new books for our reading library.

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Bikes can be provided

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Uniform

- Grey full or knee length trousers (not jogging bottoms / leggings)
- Grey knee length skirt or pinafore • Green checked summer dress may be worn in warm weather
- Jade green sweatshirt or cardigan (logo optional)
- Jade green or white polo shirt (logo optional)
- Plain black flat school shoes (not black trainers)
- Plain white / black / grey socks • Plain white / black / grey tights
- Waterproof outdoor coat
- Nursery - Uniform is optional for children. It is recommended that children wear old 'doesn't matter' clothes, so that they are able to enjoy all activities without the worry of dirtying or damaging 'new / best' clothes

PE Kit

- Coloured t-shirt (house colour) Red - Maple / Blue - Birch / Yellow - Laburnum / Black - Poplar
- Plain dark green / black shorts
- Black pumps / trainers (must be plain black – including sole - with no colours/logos)
- Dark green track suit may also be worn (available from Kids Corner)
- If unavailable, plain black may be worn (no logos or colours)

PE kit is not required in EYFS (Nursery / Reception class)

Jewellery, hair accessories, make-up, nail varnish, accessories

In the interests of safety, jewellery should not be worn in school. The exception to this rule are small objects of religious significance. Pupils who have pierced ears may only wear small plain studs (not novelty earrings). All jewellery must be removed during PE and swimming lessons. If earrings are worn on PE days, and your child cannot remove them themselves, they will be covered by tape by a member of staff. Head scarves for religious purposes, hair bands, ribbons (scrunchies) should plain in design with no objects attached to them. They should be either green (to coordinate with school colours), black or brown. Children's hair should not be dyed but kept to their natural hair colour. Make up and nail varnish must not be worn in school. Nail varnish will be removed by a member of school staff. Simple watches may be worn in school by pupils who are able to tell the time or are learning to tell the time. Watches must not be smart watches that have functionality beyond telling the time. If worn, watches will also need to be removed for PE and swimming lessons.

Bags Only school book bags (transparent plastic or green /black nylon) may be brought in to school in addition to a lunch bag. A transparent plastic book bag is provided free of charge at the beginning of each school year if required. A nylon book bag is provided free of charge to all children when they start in Reception class.

Tax-Free Childcare

If you are a family who currently use WoodE's breakfast/after school club, or would like to use the facility, then you may be interested in the following Information.

Wood End Primary School is signed up for the Tax-Free Childcare scheme which is open to all parents of children under 12 (or under 17 if disabled) to help with the cost of childcare.

You can get up to £500 every 3 months (up to £2,000 a year) for each of your children to help with the costs of childcare. This goes up to £1,000 every 3 months if a child is disabled (up to £4,000 a year).

If you've already registered, you can [sign in to your childcare account](#).

If you get Tax-Free Childcare, you'll set up an online childcare account for your child. For every £8 you pay into this account, the government will pay in £2 to use to pay your provider.

You can get Tax-Free Childcare at the same time as 15 or 30 hours free childcare if you're eligible for both.

You can use it to pay for [approved childcare](#), for example:

childminders, nurseries and nannies

after school clubs and play schemes



Please see below link for more information:

<https://www.gov.uk/tax-free-childcare>

If you would like to apply, you must open a Tax-Free Childcare account online. If you want to find out what help you might be entitled to try the government's childcare calculator.