



Attendance

Class attendance since September 2022:

Reception: 94.7% ↑

Year 1: 94.9% ↑

Year 2: 92.4% ↑

Year 3: 94.0% ↓

Year 4: 93.5% ↑

Year 5: 91.7% ↓

Year 6: 93.4% ↓

Whole school attendance: 93.3% ↑

Please make sure children are in school every day unless they are too unwell to be in school or due to an exceptional circumstance such as attending a family funeral.

We need your help...

If you have any of the following items that are nearly new or new that you no longer use at home, we would love them.

- Play equipment such as hula hoops, bats and balls, footballs, basketballs, stilts, etc
- Lego or construction toys e.g. building blocks, Knex, Duplo
- Gardening items
- Unwanted puzzle books
- Good quality children's story books suitable for EYFS and KS1.
- Outdoor cushions or picnic blankets
- Indoor cushions
- Simple musical instruments

Thank you for all of the donations so far... We have been able to launch our quiet space for children at lunchtimes this week using some of your donations.

Thank you

I just want to say a big thank you for your support with teachers striking over the past few months. It is a challenge for you, but we really hope that the government will listen and increase school funding to cover the cost of suggested pay rises moving forwards. School budgets are already tight and making this worse will not be beneficial to your children moving forwards.

Pre-ordering

Please make sure you are still pre-ordering your child's school lunches on Parentmail.

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 7th - Friday 9th June - Y6 camp

Monday 12th June - Friday 23rd June - Y6

swimming

Wednesday 28th June - EYFS Sports day

Friday 30th June - KS1 & KS2 Sports day

Term dates 2022/23

Term 5 - 17th April 2023 - 26th May 2023


Term 6 - 5th June 2023 - 21st July 2023

Inset Days

26th May 2023

21st July 2023

Term dates 2023/24

Our term dates for 2023/2024 can  **TERM DATES** our school website here:

https://www.woodlandsacademybristol.com/web/term_dates_202324/636669

Statutory testing

We are moving into a period of statutory testing, so it is even more essential children are in school during this period and on time.

Year 6 - SATs are next week, so the week beginning the 9th May following the bank holiday

Year 2 - SATs will start at Woodlands from next week and are spread out over the whole of May.

Year 1 - Phonics check is the week starting Monday 12th June. This happens one-to-one with each child at some point that week. This also affects some Y2 children.

Year 4 - Multiplication check will happen at some point between Monday 5th June and Friday 16th June.

If you know your child will be absent for any reason, please let us know as soon as possible.

LoveReading4Kids

We have signed up to this company to get free books for the school. Every time a customer buys a book from them, 25% of the cover price is donated to a school to help them buy more books. At checkout, customers select a school to allocate their funds to. It would be great if the whole school community could become members of LoveReading4Kids and to purchase any books for their children from them by registering here:

<https://www.lovereading4kids.co.uk/register>

Once you register and log into the site via Login in the top right hand corner of the screen, go to My Account and search for Woodlands Academy and add the school to your account.

Please share this with family members to help get more books for our school.

Value for May is Honesty

The school value that the children will be learning about this month is **Honesty**. Honesty is demonstrated by what we say and by what we do. It impacts our entire life; our jobs, our relationships, our own feelings about ourselves and the actions we take.



We hope you all enjoyed the bank holiday last weekend and the upcoming festivities of the coronation bank holiday this weekend.

See you on Tuesday 9th May!

Miss Craig & the Woodlands Team



Woodlands
Academy Nursery



Apply now for April 2023, September 2023, January 2024, April 2024 or September 2024. Your child can start the term after their 3rd birthday



Nursery hours we offer:

- 1st half of the week: Monday & Tuesday 9.00am-3.00pm and Wednesday 8.45am-11.45am
- 2nd half of the week: Wednesday 12.15pm-3.15pm and Thursday & Friday 9.00am-3.00pm
- 30 hours: Monday to Thursday 8.45am-3.15pm and Friday 8.45am-12.45pm Please check your eligibility via the following website: www.gov.uk/30-hours-free-childcare



Contact us by email info@woodlandsacademybristol.com or call 0117 353 3506.

Alternatively, you can apply for a place online via our [website](#).

Address: Woodlands Academy, Whittock Road, Stockwood, Bristol, BS14 8DQ.