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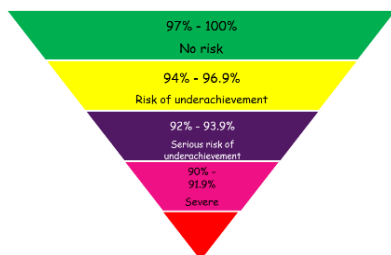
### Attendance

Our school target for attendance is 97%.

Children are expected to be in school and on time every day unless they are too ill to come to school or have medical appointments. If your child has a medical appointment please bring the letter to the office so the absence can be authorised.

The attendance for the year so far is:

YR -	92.9%	↑
Y1 -	95.6%	↑
Y2 -	95.1%	↔
Y3 -	96%	↑
Y4 -	94.1%	↓
Y5 -	95.3%	↓
Y6 -	95.8%	↑



If you are struggling to get your child into school, please make an appointment with our Family Link Worker, Mrs Sheldon, to see how we can help.

The School Council have requested that children get certificates each week if they are in school and on time. These are given out during Monday assembly for the previous week. They would also like family certificates to give to their parents if a child has attendance above 97% for the term.

### Dinner Money



Parent Pay dinner accounts MUST be in credit at all times. Dinners are charged at £2.30.

If you have a debt of over £10 your child will not be able to have a school dinner and you will be asked to bring in a packed lunch.

If you think you may be entitled to free school meals you can apply on the Bristol City Council's website.

<https://efsm.bristol.gov.uk>



Are you entitled?

### Early Years Open Day

On Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November, we will be having an open day for Reception and Nursery. This is for new parents only. If you have a child due to start in Nursery or Reception next year, or know someone who is looking for a Nursery or Reception place, please come along and have a look at what we do. There will be tours at 10am and 2pm. Come along to either one of these.

### Christmas Dinner

We will be having our dinner on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December. On this day, the children can wear a Christmas jumper instead of their school jumper. Normal school uniform must be worn underneath.

A letter will be sent home this week to share the menu and explain how to order a Christmas dinner.



#schooleveryday



## Dates for the Term

- 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov - Reception Learning Lunch
- 27<sup>th</sup> Nov - Early Years Open Day - New parents only
- 6<sup>th</sup> Dec - Y5 class assembly - 9am
- 9<sup>th</sup> Dec - Learning Exhibition
- 13<sup>th</sup> Dec - Y4,5 & 6 Christmas Performance 2pm
- 16<sup>th</sup> Dec - Y1, 2 & 3 Christmas Performance 2pm
- 17<sup>th</sup> Dec - Reception Christmas Performance
- 18<sup>th</sup> Dec - Nursery Christmas Performance
- 20<sup>th</sup> Dec - Christmas dinner
- 20<sup>th</sup> Dec - Break up

## The Sun Books for Schools

We have signed up for The Sun books for schools scheme. We need to collect 3,500 tokens to receive a set of books for the school. Tokens will be published in the paper between Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> November and Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> January. If you know of any colleagues, friends or family who read The Sun place ask them to collect the tokens and pass them on to the school. Thank you



## Values

This month's focus value was **diversity**. The children have been talking about diversity in their PSHE lessons and during assemblies. We have explained that diversity is everyone being different and special, with their own talents, and when we come together we make something great. Next month's focus value is **empathy**. We will launch this in assembly at the beginning of December.

## Dates for 2019/20

- Term 2 Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November to Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2019
- Term 3 Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2020 to Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2020
- Term 4 Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February to Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2020
- Term 5 Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April to Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2020
- Term 6 Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June to Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2020

### INSET DAYS

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July



## Achievements Outside School

If your child receives any awards outside school they are able to share them during Friday assembly. We love to celebrate the achievements of our children. We will make sure any photographs or awards are kept safe during the school day.

## Friends of Woodlands PTA

The Christmas Fair will be held on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December after school. We will be holding a non-uniform day on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December. The children can wear their own clothes in exchange for a donation to the fair. Things like bottles, unused toiletries, make up or Christmas food and drink. The PTA is also now a Co-Op chosen charity. If you shop at the Co-Op and have a Co-Op card a percentage of your transaction will be given to the PTA.

Mrs Morris and the Woodlands Team



At Woodlands Academy we feel passionately about using local suppliers and seasonal produce. All our meals are cooked daily on-site and we use top-quality ingredients to ensure that our meals are balanced and healthy. We use:

- Fresh, 'Red Tractor' Meat
- Free Range Eggs
- Fresh ingredients delivered daily by local suppliers
- Organic Milk
- L&F Jones and Arthur David are our suppliers

Our menu meets current standards for school food and contains at least 2 portions of fruit and vegetables daily.



**JACKET POTATO WITH VARIOUS FILLINGS AVAILABLE DAILY**

**WEEK 2** w/c11/11-2/12-13/1-3/2- 2/3 23/3

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Mild chicken curry	Roast turkey & stuffing		Sausages	Fish fingers (cod or salmon)
Halal chicken curry	Halal turkey		Halal sausages	
Sweet potato curry	Quorn fillet		Quorn sausages	Veggie nuggets
Rice, naan bread, sweetcorn	Potatoes, veg & gravy		Mashed potato, peas, carrots & onion gravy	Chips, peas or beans
Sticky toffee sponge & cream	Apple crumble & custard		Strawberry sprinkle sponge	Waffle & fruit

**WEEK 1** w/c 4/11- 25/11-16/12-7/1-27/1-24/2-16/3

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Burger in a bun	Spaghetti bolognese & garlic bread	Chicken stew	Roast gammon	Fish fingers (salmon or cod)
Halal burger	Halal bolognese	Halal chicken stew	Halal chicken Vegetable parcel	Jacket potato Beans & cheese
Veggie burger	Quorn bolognese	Quorn stew	Cauliflower cheese, peas, mashed potato	Chips, peas or beans
Parmentier potatoes & seasonal veg	Veg or salad	Crusty roll	Jam & coconut sponge & custard	Cookie & fruit
Fruit cheesecake	Lemon drizzle cake	Marbled shortbread & fruit		

**WEEK 3** w/c18/11-9/12-20/1-10/2-9/3-30/3

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Pasta Carbonara	Cottage pie	Chicken goujons	Roast beef & Yorkshire puds	Fish fingers (cod or salmon)
Halal chicken carbonara	Halal cottage pie	Halal chicken goujons	Halal beef	Cheese & tomato pizza
Cheese & broccoli bake	Quorn mince cottage pie	Southern fried quorn burger	Quorn fillet	Chips, peas or beans
Seasonal veg	Broccoli & carrots	Potato wedges & beans	Roast potatoes, veg & gravy	Arctic roll
Chocolate brownie & chocolate sauce	Carrot cake & vanilla sauce	Cornflake tart & custard	Syrup sponge & custard	

**SERVED DAILY**

Freshly baked bread, seasonal vegetables and salad, organic yoghurts, fresh fruit, drinking water or fresh, milk,

