

# Lunch Menu 1st - 5th July

| MONDAY                                                   | TUESDAY                                               | WEDNESDAY                                                                   | THURSDAY                                       | FRIDAY                                                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| Chicken<br>Nuggets with<br>Curly Fries                   | Sausage and<br>Mashed<br>Potatoes with<br>Onion Gravy | Honey<br>Roasted<br>Gammon,<br>Roast<br>Potatoes,<br>Stuffing with<br>Gravy | Pasta Special Spaghetti Bolognese Quorn and    | Pizza Day  Meat Feast Or  Margherita  (Larger slice of |
| Vegetable<br>Samosa with<br>Savory Rice<br>and Raita Dip | Vegetable<br>Curry with<br>Rice and Naan<br>Bread     | Quorn Fillet,<br>Roast<br>Potatoes,<br>Stuffing with<br>Gravy               | Tomato Pasta  Macaroni Cheese  Tuna Pasta Bake | Pizza instead of<br>chips)  Breaded Fish with Chips    |
| Tomato and<br>Basil Pasta                                |                                                       | Ploughmans<br>Lunch                                                         | With Garlic                                    |                                                        |
| Sweetcorn<br>Peas                                        | Broccoli<br>Carrots                                   | Gammon,<br>Baguette &<br>Salad                                              | Bread                                          | Baked Beans<br>Mixed<br>Vegetables                     |
| Selection of<br>Sandwiches                               | Selection of<br>Sandwiches                            | Cabbage<br>Cauliflower                                                      | Green Beans<br>Sweetcorn                       | Selection of<br>Sandwiches                             |
| Jacket Potato<br>with A<br>Selection of<br>Fillings      | Jacket Potato<br>with A<br>Selection of<br>Fillings   | Jacket Potato<br>with A<br>Selection of<br>Fillings                         | Selection of<br>Sandwiches                     | Jacket Potato<br>with A<br>Selection of<br>Fillings    |
| Lemon Drizzle                                            | Muffin<br>Fresh Bread, Fresh                          | Chocolate<br>Crunch and<br>Custard                                          | Fruit<br>Shortbread                            | Ice Cream                                              |

and Salad Bar

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Dear parents and carers,

As we come close to the end of term, we have seen some amazing things at Woodhouse this week.

Last week, 49 of our wonderful Year 5 children took part in an adventurous residential visit to Bushcraft — deep in the wilds of Boughton Woods, Northamptonshire. Along with some brave teachers, the children spent nights under canvas without any of the comforts of home. After the wet weather we have had recently, it was very muddy – but this all added to the experience. The children were fantastic, with a true spirit of adventure, team work and enjoyment from all. The centre staff spoke very highly of the children and were impressed by how well they worked together to overcome challenges during the residential. All those who attended had a wonderful time and hopefully most of the mud has washed off by now! We will aim to repeat this exciting visit for our new Year 5 classes next year, so will share information about this early in the new school year.

On Wednesday this week, we were delighted to welcome royalty to Woodhouse as RO gave a splendid assembly about their learning including a visit from the Queen and the Royal family. The children performed with great confidence and energy. We celebrated many of our Children's University graduates in the afternoon, as we recognised the hard work children undertake outside of school which qualifies for Children's University recognition. It was great to see such a large number of children graduating from across our school. Thank you to Mrs Ali for all the work she does behind the scenes to ensure that this is so successful at our school. We have another graduation for our Gold award winners at the University of Wolverhampton on Thursday 11th July.

The children across the school are working hard to be ready for their assessments during this coming week. These help us to check on the progress and learning for the children and ensure that the work we set for children is to help them build on their knowledge and understanding. Teachers have been hard at work completing the end of year reports for children and these will be coming out on Friday 12th July. The reports which I have seen so far demonstrate the significant progress and achievements of the children of Woodhouse. I am sure you will be proud of your child's success.

On Tuesday next week, the school cabinet will be visiting the Houses of Parliament in Westminster to gain a deeper understanding about law making and democracy. Our school cabinet play a big role in our school – this week they selected the colours, fixtures and fittings for our new toilets which are being put in over the summer and the start of the Autumn term. They have excellent taste and we are all excited about this upgrade to our school. The school cabinet ensure that the children have a voice in how Woodhouse is run and make a positive contribution to the life of our school. I am sure they will gain a great deal from the visit on Tuesday.

I hope you have a wonderful weekend and that the predicted sunshine is pleasant after all the rain of recent weeks! We look forward to another successful week at Woodhouse next week.

Yours sincerely, Mr Oliver Wilson - Head Teacher

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> Jul – School Cabinet visit to Houses of Parliament

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> Jul – 2WP Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited

Thursday 4th Jul – 4W Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited

Thursday 4th Jul – Year 3 visit to Symphony Hall

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> Jul – Arts Assemblies (KS2: 9 – 9:30 & KS1: 2:45 – 3:15)

Tuesday 9th Jul – Year 4 – 6 Guitar and Clarinet Concert (9:30 – 10)

Parents Invited

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> Jul — Year 2 visit to Think Tank

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> Jul – KS2 Summer Concert

(9:30 - 10 & repeated at 2:45 - 3:15)

Monday 15th Jul – EYFS & KS1 Summer Concert (9 – 9:30 & repeated at 2:30 – 3)

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> Jul – Year 6 Performance

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> Jul – Year 6 Graduation & BBQ

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> Jul – Last day of school for Children

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> Jul – School Closed to Children for Staff Training

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> Jul – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> Aug – Summer Break

#### 2019 – 2020 Academic Year Dates

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> Sep – Staff Training Day

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> Sep — Staff Training Day

Wednesday 4th Sep - First Day Back at School

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> Sep – Macmillian Coffee Morning (9 – 10)

#### Monday 28th Oct – Friday 1st Nov – Half Term Break

Monday 4th Nov – First Day Back at School

#### Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> Jan – Christmas Holidays

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> Jan – Staff Training Day

Tuesday 7th Jan - First Day Back at School

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> Jan – Reception Visit to Town Hall to see 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt'

Monday 20th Jan – Choir Visit to Young Voices at Resorts World Arena (1 – 10:30pm)

#### Monday 17<sup>th</sup> - Friday 21<sup>st</sup> Feb - Half Term Break

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> Apr — Last Day of Term

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> Apr – Staff Training Day

#### Monday 6<sup>th</sup> - Friday 17<sup>th</sup> Apr - Easter Holidays

Friday 8th May – May Bank Holiday (Changed from Monday 4th to coincide with VE Day 75th

Anniversary)

#### Monday 25th - Friday 29th May - Half Term

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> Jul — Last Day of Term

Monday 20th Jul – Staff Training Day





### 17th - 21st June 2019

Yearly attendance is currently running at: 95.81% Last Week's attendance was: 96.56%

Our Attendance target for this year is 97%

| Class   | Attendance for the week | Class | Attendance for the week |
|---------|-------------------------|-------|-------------------------|
| Nursery | 95.10%                  | 3A    | 99.33%                  |
| RO      | 92.23%                  | 3N    | 97%                     |
| RW      | 94.14%                  | 4W    | 97.67%                  |
| 1L      | 99.33%                  | 4F    | 99.35%                  |
| 1 R     | 95.33%                  | 5W    | 93.55%                  |
| 2M      | 97.24%                  | 5S    | 98%                     |
| 2WP     | 99.35%                  | 6WO   | 97%                     |
| RR 🔥    | 77.50%                  | 6L    | 99.05%                  |
|         |                         | 6D    | 97%                     |



Congratulations to 2WP & 4F who had the best class attendance for last week. We had 78 lates last week across all year groups. These, no matter how emall are lest learning time

| Weekly<br>Lates | NSY | RO | RW | 1L | 1R | 2M | 2WP | 3A | mall,<br>3N | 4W | 4F | 5W | 5S | 6W0 | 6L | 6D |
|-----------------|-----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|----|-------------|----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|
| Before reg      | 2   | 7  | 3  | 4  | 1  | 3  | 10  | 15 | 3           | 2  | 10 | 6  | 2  | 4   | 2  | 3  |
| After reg       | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0  | 0           | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0  | 0  |

Children with 100% attendance this school year will be going for an afternoon of bowling towards the end of term.

We have booked an hours bowling at Hollywood Bowl with a meal and a drink.

We currently have 77 children with 100% this academic year. If you're not sure if that's you or not, check the attendance board for your name.

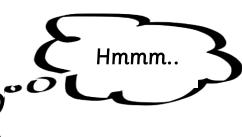
A letter will be coming out soon with full details.

The trip is a reward so there will be no cost to parents.

Keep up the good work!

# Things to make you go

Using only the digits 1-9 (keeping them in this order) and using either + or symbols, how many ways can you find of making 100?





The following children were Star of the Week for the week ending 28th June

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|-------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <u>Nursery</u>                            | <u>Reception</u>                                                   | <u>Year One</u>                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Kyah<br>Shona                             | Charisma<br>Samuel A<br>Harley<br>Shanice                          | Joseph<br>Maya<br>Raphael<br>Alesha                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <u>Year Two</u>                           | <u>Year Three</u>                                                  | <u>Year Four</u>                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Reegan<br>Tahlia<br>Ella<br>Riley         | Naira<br>Adele<br>Marcia<br>Tanisha<br>Oumou<br>Harriet<br>Akiylah | Jamaine<br>Toby<br>Anzoer<br>Dlaal                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Year Five  Renee Augustus Grace F Tamieka | Alice<br>Rhyss<br>Beverley<br>Lucy Rose<br>Sophie                  | Congratulations to all of these children who have gone over and above with their effort in class and around school this week. We are very proud of each and every one of you. Keep up the good work. |

# **Celebrating Success**

Each week we have our praise assemblies where we celebrate success in school. We are well aware that children take part in many different clubs and activities outside school, such as swimming, football, gymnastics and many more.



We want to hear about and share in your successes in extracurricular activities. If you are awarded certificates, medals, trophies etc. please bring them in so we can celebrate your successes in praise assemblies.

# KITCHEN ASSISTANT VACANCY GRI

We have a kitchen assistant vacancy starting September 2019 for 12.5 hours per week.

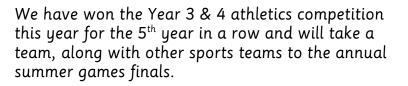
Hours will be 12noon to 2.30pm Monday to Friday.

A hard working, enthusiastic person needed to join a friendly team in our school kitchen. You will be on a rota covering all kitchen duties such as dishwasher, serving, preparing food, stock take etc. Full training will be given. This is a permanent post.

Apply on WM Jobs or see the office for an application form. Closing date 5<sup>th</sup> July.

# Sport at Woodhouse

As many of you know already, we do a lot of sport at Woodhouse. From curriculum PE lessons to after school clubs and competitions.





Our boy's football team soon face Green Meadow Primary in a top of the table clash to see who is crowned league champions.

Our girl's football team are also currently unbeaten heading into their final league games.

We will be attending the Birmingham Athletics Championships again to compete against the best in Birmingham and will also be defending our relay titles.

All of this wouldn't be possible without a number of different people. Our parents, who support the children every step of the way. Staff that support with logistics; driving the minibus to events, helping out with supervision etc. Mr Wilson, who this year has been doing PE with some of our youngest children who are taking their first sporting steps. Mr Milliard, who has long been developing and inspiring a love for sport throughout school. But most of all, it is the children of Woodhouse. Year after year we see so much dedication, enthusiasm and love for sport that without it, competing at such a high level wouldn't be possible. They drive themselves and each other forward, not only wanting to be the best, but wanting to compete in the best manner.

For all of this hard work, we have been awarded with a Platinum School Games Award. Congratulations to everyone at Woodhouse. This is for you!

## Year 5 Bushcraft Residential

Last week Year 5 went on their residential to Boughton Woods with The Bushcraft Company.

They arrived, dropped off their bags and made their way to camp. They were met by a lot of mud. Some were fazed by the mud whereas others jumped (literally) straight in. By the end of the first activity everyone had muddy feet and everyone had become accustomed to the mud and were thoroughly stuck into life on camp.

The three days were filled with various bushcraft company, including survival first aid, shelter building, fire starting and many more. The staff on site facilitated the sessions whereas the Woodhouse staff were there for support. The children were let to roam free in the woods during unstructured time. They played games, built shelters and practised the skills they'd learnt.

All of the food was cooked fresh on site and generally went down very well. Everyone on site was on camp all week so the children built up a very good relationship with them.

Being under canvas was a new experience for most and we have had lots of positive feedback from the children about night times.

Overall, the residential was a huge success. No one asked for a tablet or console or said they missed them. The children thoroughly enjoyed being in the outdoors and entertaining themselves and each other with what was around them. We are in the process of planning the next one and look forward to taking the next year group of children. Information will be shared in due course.



