

# NEWSLETTER



**1<sup>st</sup> July 2022**

## **How to get in touch**



@WoodhousePA



0121 464 1769



[www.woodhouse.priacademy.co.uk](http://www.woodhouse.priacademy.co.uk)



[enquiries@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk)



[families@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk](mailto:families@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk)

- Use this for any queries. Monitored by the Inclusion Team
- You can also send us anything you'd like put in the newsletter. This can be photos, learning, resources and any good news stories you may have.



[sensupport@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk](mailto:sensupport@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk)

- Use this for any queries about any additional learning needs or concerns.



[homelearning@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk](mailto:homelearning@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk)

- Use this for any support with home learning or using Google Classroom.

## **Snacks at Breaktime**

A gentle reminder about what children can and can't bring as a snack for break time.

We are a completely nut free school, this includes snacks that contain peanuts, such as peanut m&ms.

Please do not send snacks such as crisps and sweets as these are not considered a healthy snack.

Ideal snacks include fruit, cereal bars, biscuit bars etc.

If there are any queries, please speak with the class teacher.

## **Note for parents**

Can children with pierced ears please wear studs to school rather than hoops. This is for safety reasons. Especially on PE days.



The following children are Stars of the Week for the week ending 1<sup>st</sup> July.

Nursery

Rosa  
Agnes

Reception

Georgia  
Harrison  
Anaya  
Samina

Year One

Orla  
Daria  
Joanna  
Lara

Year Two

Rhyley-Joe  
Nathan  
Sascha  
T'Kari

Year Three

Khaled  
Madison  
Myrtle  
Lexi  
Helen  
Yaman

Year Four

Saffanah  
Kai  
Lexi  
Joseph

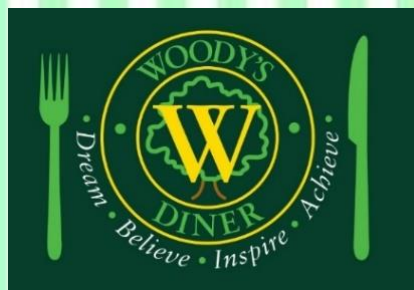
Year Five

Yuvraj  
Ella  
Tahlia  
Divine

Year Six

Adryan  
Adele  
Zain  
Zoe  
Liyana  
Kyle  
Marcia

Congratulations to all of these children who have put in a fantastic effort this week. They have been nominated by their teachers. We are really impressed with the level of learning from all children. What can you do to be Star of the Week next week?



# School Dinner

## Menu

### 4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> July

**NOTE: We operate a 3-week rolling menu. Keep an eye on the menu each week for changes.**

**We are struggling with supplier issues due to the pandemic. Menus are subject to change.**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Beef Burger in a Bun	Picnic Day	Honey Roasted Gammon	Chicken Curry	Pizza Day
	Ham, Cheese or Tuna Sandwich			Cheese and Tomato or Pepperoni Pizza
Vegetable Fingers in a Bun	Vegan Sausage Roll	Honey Roasted Quorn	Vegetable Quorn Curry	
With Chips and Sweetcorn or Baked Beans	With Crisps and Tossed Salad	With Potatoes and Seasonal Vegetables	With Pilau Rice and Naan Bread	With Chips and Fresh Salad or Vegetables
Ice Cream	Ice Lollies	Fruit Jelly	Chocolate Brownie	Selection of Fruit Desserts
Daily fresh salad bar				

## Food Allergies

In order to keep our dietary records up to date, please inform the main office of any changes to your child's dietary requirements, allergies and intolerances. We are able to cater for most requirements but must know in advance.

If your child only eats Halal meats but can eat fish, please also let the main office know. We do not serve Halal meats.

Please either contact the main office on 0121 464 1769 or email the Inclusion Team on [families@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk](mailto:families@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk)

Please also remember that we are a NUT FREE school.

# attendance ~~MATTERS~~


20<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> June

Yearly attendance is currently running at: **92.66%**

Last Week's attendance:

EYFS & KS1: **91.07%**    KS2: **94.35%**    Whole School: **93.29%**

Our Attendance target for this year is 97%

Class	Attendance for the week		Class	Attendance for the week
Nursery	92.43%		3A	95.33%
RS	90.33%		3N	93.10%
RW	81.79%		4H	98.33%
1L	88.28%		4SO	96.45%
1O	93.23%		5H	86.77%
<b>2C</b>	<b>94.83%</b>		5W	94%
2G	90.34%		6D	94.29%
RR	75%		6W	97.62%
			<b>6WL</b>	<b>99.05</b> 



Congratulations to **6WL** who had the best class attendance last week.

Well done to **2C** had the best class attendance in EYFS & KS1.

Will you help your class have the best class attendance next week?

## Summer Term 2022

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July – EYFS & KS1 Sports Day – 1 – 3pm

(Parents invited)

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July – 2C Class Assembly – 9am

(Class parents invited)

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July – KS2 Sports Day – 1 – 3pm (Parents Invited)

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July – Class Swap Day. Children to meet their new teachers and spend the morning in their new classrooms

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July – RS Class Assembly – 10:30am (Class parents invited)

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July – Year 3 Visit to the MAC Theatre

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July – Reports to go out to Parents

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> July – 2G Class Assembly – 9am (Class parents invited)

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> July – Children's University Graduation – 9:15 – Parents invited

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July – Parent Drop Ins (these are only for issues with the school report, this is not a parents evening and does not need to be attended)

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 Production – 2pm (Parents invited)

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July – Well-being week

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July – ALL Year 5 & Select Year 6s Clarinet and Guitar Concert – 9:15 – Parents Invited

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July – Choir and Gardening Club visit to Roots to Fruit Peace Garden

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July – Summer Concerts – EYFS & KS1: 9am, KS2: 1:30pm

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 Leavers BBQ 3.30 – 5pm

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July – Last day of school year for children

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July – Inset day, school closed to children

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 Leavers Assembly – 2pm (Parents invited)

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July – School Closed for INSET day.

## 2022 – 2023 Academic Year

### Autumn Term

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September - Inset day, school closed to children

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> September - Inset day, school closed to children

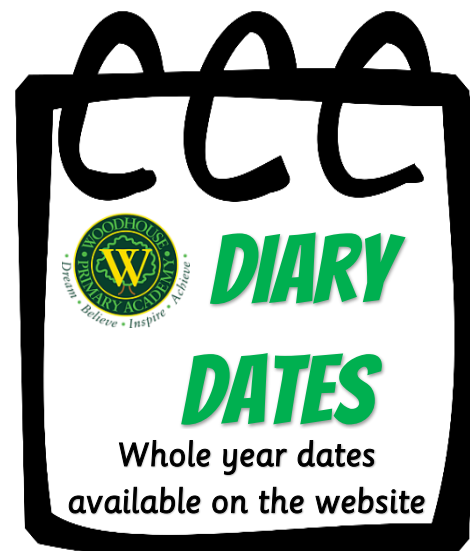
Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> September - First day school open for children in Y1-6. YR/Nursery TBC

**Half Term: Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October to Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October**

Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October - First day school open for children

Term Ends: Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December

Further dates here: <https://www.woodhouse.priacademy.co.uk/news-and-events/school-events>





# Woodhouse Clothing Bank

clothing bank in school where we will be able to take things and re-disperse them to families and children who

Please bring any donations, in a clean and re-usable condition, to the main office.

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Items we can accept include:

School shoes, School uniform, non-school uniform (t-shirts, hoodies, trousers etc.), non-school shoes (trainers, pumps etc.), coats, hats, gloves and scarves.

Items we cannot accept: Underwear, jewellery, accessories, adults clothing.

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Once donations are sorted out we will be in the position to invite families into school to help themselves to items that will be of use.

Please let us know, either at the main office or via email, if you think you would benefit from this support and we can get items to you as soon as they're in.

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the meantime, if you have any queries at all or would like any more information, please speak with the main office or email [families@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk](mailto:families@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk)

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There is also a wonderful place called Rubery Swop Shop where they distribute pre-loved uniforms.

You can find out more on their website:  
<https://www.ruberyswopshop.co.uk/>



# Year 6 Leavers Hoody

Alex at Cicada Sports is working on this year's Year 6 Leavers Hoody which will feature the names of all of our fabulous Year 6 children.

This is a lovely thing to remember their time at Woodhouse with.

There are two options to purchase. Children can either have the hoodie with the school logo embroidered on the front for £22 or without for £20. Both options feature the design on the back as below.

We will have a sample in school soon to give an idea of sizes.

These are available to order now! Follow the link below to do so.

<https://bit.ly/3xd7FAy>



## Woodhouse Primary Academy

### FORTHCOMING CHANGES IN SEPTEMBER

From September we will NOT be able to accept cash within school. This is a directive from our academy trust.

We will be using My Child at School (MCAS) for all aspects of school life. We will be using this app for processing of dinner money, before & after school club, educational visits and out of school activities.

**If you attempt to pay in cash, we will not be able to accept this.**

Please contact the office for details of how to access your child's account via MCAS, we will need an up to date email address for you.

Thank you for your ongoing support.





Many of you are already using our My Child At School platform to pay for visits, lunches and wrap around care and to receive messages from school.

We are in the process of becoming a cashless school so this will be the only way to pay for visits, lunches and wrap around care going forward.

The platform is simple to use and is available on all smart mobile devices via their app stores.

If you haven't set this up already, please come and see the main office or email us on [families@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk](mailto:families@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk)

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If you have an invitation code already, you can redeem this by visiting <https://www.mychildatschool.com/MCAS/MCSParentLogin> and selecting 'redeem invitation code'.

To do this, you need your username and invitation code from your invitation email and the school ID which is 12013.

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The main office will be your first port of call for any assistance with this.



Please help our school win £1000 for books for our school library by clicking the link below and nominating our school.

[https://www.nationalbooktokens.com/schools?utm\\_source=nbt&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_content=rebuild-the-library&utm\\_campaign=20220607\\_schools](https://www.nationalbooktokens.com/schools?utm_source=nbt&utm_medium=email&utm_content=rebuild-the-library&utm_campaign=20220607_schools)

## Inclusion Events:

Coming up...



With many restrictions now being lifted, we will soon be able to start our parent's coffee morning sessions again. We would love for you to join us at one of our Parent Coffee mornings or at an Inclusion surgery. The Inclusion surgery is available for you to book an appointment to talk to a member of staff about any concerns or if you require support or advice around any issues or difficulties you may be having. To arrange a meeting please email [sensupport@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk](mailto:sensupport@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk)

Our Inclusion calendar of events are as follows:

Date	Focus
7th July 9am-10am	Parents Coffee Morning - focus TBA

**Bring  
it on  
Brum**



**Birmingham**  
City Council



Department  
for Education

# **FREE SUMMER EXPERIENCES WITH FOOD**

**LOOKING FOR  
THINGS TO DO WITH THE  
CHILDREN OVER THE  
SUMMER HOLIDAYS?**

Bring It On Brum! is running FREE activity clubs in Birmingham for children aged 4-16 who are eligible for benefits-related free school meals.




Activities include sports and games, arts and crafts, cookery, dance and music.

Every child will be given a nutritious meal too!

If you're in need of a little inspiration to give your child an amazing summer, check out your nearest Bring It On Brum! location and register today.



**bringitonbrum.co.uk**

**@bringitonbrum**   



Are your students ready to

# WIN BIG?

We're giving them  
the opportunity to  
get their hands on

**A Dell Laptop**

**£250 Gift Hamper**

**£100 Amazon Voucher**



All they need to do is  
participate in our  
**#OneEarthOneHome**  
**ART**  
**COMPETITION!**

**Encourage your students to**

1. Imagine the Earth 100 years from now
2. Draw, paint or sketch it out
3. Send in their entries to  
[competitions@letslocalise.co.uk](mailto:competitions@letslocalise.co.uk)

**The last date of submission is the  
25th of June.**

**Don't miss out on this opportunity now!**

Hope to see your students unlock their  
creativity on our platform!

**All the best,**

*Divya & Gaurav*





# SENTRE

*For learning and childcare*

**12PM-  
4PM**



**Family fun day for autistic children and siblings**

**SUN / JULY 3RD / SEP 25TH / NOV 20TH / 2022**

ENTRY – £10 FOR ADULTS | £2.50 FOR KIDS | £20 FAMILY TICKETS ( 2 ADULTS AND 2 CHILDREN)

**SENTRE CHILDCARE, 76 MARSH HILL, ERDINGTON B23 7EY**

EMAIL: [HELLO@SENTRE-CHILDCARE.CO.UK](mailto:HELLO@SENTRE-CHILDCARE.CO.UK)

TICKETS: [BLOCO.CO.UK](https://www.bloco.co.uk)

**ACTIVITIES:**  
BOUNCING CASTLE  
PLAY ACTIVITIES  
ENTERTAINERS  
STALLS



 **SCAN ME**



# **ParentWise – A helping hand for parents and carers**

As children get older and more independent, issues that affect them can be harder to spot and deal with.

Learning about potential dangers can give you the knowledge and skills to act if there is a problem. It could also help keep your child safe by preventing problems before they happen.

You know your child best, so if you've got a feeling something's up – you're right not to ignore it.

<https://parentwise.campaign.gov.uk/>



# READY TO FIGHT FOOD WASTE?



## RESCUE MAGIC BAGS OF SURPLUS, UNSOLD FOOD

FROM YOUR FAVOURITE SHOPS AND RESTAURANTS

Every day, delicious, fresh food goes to waste at cafes, restaurants, hotels, shops and manufacturers - just because it hasn't sold in time. The Too Good To Go app lets you buy and collect this food - at a great price - so it gets eaten instead of wasted. You won't know exactly what's in your order until you pick it up - it's all part of the surprise. Download the app to get started.

Download the app from the App Store or the Play Store, enter your postcode and see what is available near you.



• **Quinton** •

## Welcome to Quinton Pantry!

The Quinton Food pantry is collaboration between the Haven Community Project and B32 community. In response to the covid-19 pandemic we have both been involved with distributing food due to ongoing issues of Food Justice. We want to see a longer term solution to these issues of food injustice available for the people of Quinton and hope that the food pantry will form a part of this.

For a small weekly subscription of **£4**, members of this Pantry will be able to purchase a weekly food shop including fresh fruit and vegetables and family favourites to stock up the cupboard and fridge.

### The address is:

Haven Centre  
54 Rilstone Road  
Quinton  
Birmingham  
B32 2NR

### Opening times:

Friday: 12pm - 1.30pm

We are always looking for new volunteers so please get in touch if you would like to help us to run the pantry or support any of the other projects that we currently offer.

If you have any queries, please email [rachel@havencommunityproject.com](mailto:rachel@havencommunityproject.com) 



## QUINTON & OLDBURY FOODBANK

### MAIN LOCATION

St Boniface Church  
Quinton Road West  
Quinton,  
B32 2QD

The Coffee Shop  
151 Castle Road West  
Oldbury, Sandwell  
B68 0EL

### PHONE

07732157619

### WEBSITE

<http://quintonoldbury.foodbank.org.uk/>

### EMAIL

[info@quintonoldbury.foodbank.org.uk](mailto:info@quintonoldbury.foodbank.org.uk)

## 2 FOODBANK CENTRE(S)

### St Boniface Church

#### OPENING TIMES

Mon	Closed
Tue	Closed
Wed	11:00 - 13:00
Thu	Closed
Fri	Closed
Sat	Closed
Sun	Closed

#### ADDRESS

Quinton Road West  
B32 2QD  
[Directions via Google Maps](#)

### The Coffee Shop

#### OPENING TIMES

Mon	Closed
Tue	Closed
Wed	Closed
Thu	Closed
Fri	10:00 - 12:30
Sat	Closed
Sun	Closed

#### ADDRESS

151 Castle Road West, Oldbury, Sandwell  
B68 0EL  
[Directions via Google Maps](#)

# Volunteers Needed

Volunteer drivers needed approximately once a month to collect donations and/or deliver emergency food parcels.

If you are interested please contact Patrick on 07944198319 or email [carolan57@icloud.com](mailto:carolan57@icloud.com) for more information.

Alternatively if you would like to volunteer during the running of foodbank please email [info@quintonoldbury.foodbank.org.uk](mailto:info@quintonoldbury.foodbank.org.uk)



# STITCH & CRAFT WITH US! AT QUINTON LIBRARY



Free

Join us at Quinton Library for a monthly day of craft, creativity and good company! Bring your own stitching or craft projects to do whilst you meet and enjoy a chat with like-minded people.

Drop in either **10.30am-12.30pm** or **2-4pm** on the following Tuesdays: 17 May, 28 June, 19 July (no date in August), 20 September, 18 October, 15 November and 20 December 2022.



Just turn up or call  
Quinton Library for  
more information.  
**0121 464 7400.**



**Increasing digital literacy of residents  
aged 50+ in Edgbaston  
and Northfield constituencies**

## **MONTHLY DIGITAL DROP INs at Quinton Library**

**Ridgacre Road, Quinton, Birmingham B32 2TW**

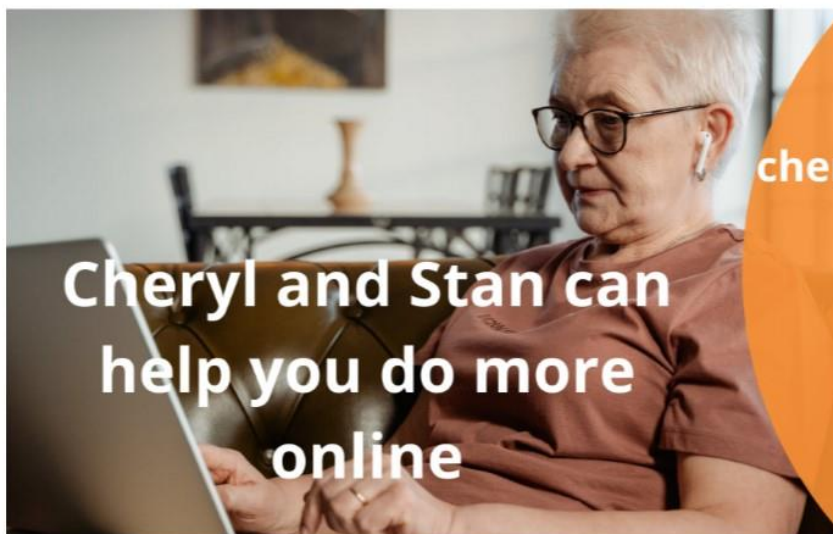
***Tues 24th May 10.30 - 12 noon***

***Tues 28th June 10.30 - 12 noon***

***Tues 26th July 10.30 - 12 noon***

***Tues 30th August 10.30 - 12 noon***

**Computers also available to access for free every week day at  
Northfield Community Partnership,  
693 Bristol Road South, Northfield B31 2JT  
*Mon-Fri 9-4pm (finishes 3pm on Fri)*  
*(may need to book if busy)***



**Cheryl and Stan can  
help you do more  
online**

### **Northfield**

**[cheryl@northfieldcommunity.org](mailto:cheryl@northfieldcommunity.org)**

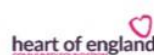
**07761 943 032**

### **Edgbaston**

**[stanley.tucker@](mailto:stanley.tucker@ageukbirmingham.org.uk)**

**[ageukbirmingham.org.uk](mailto:ageukbirmingham.org.uk)**

**0121 824 1288**





# NEED HELP WITH YOUR **FAMILY TREE?**



We can help you at any stage of your genealogical journey!

We offer individual help right here at Quinton Library.

Sessions run every Thursday 10.30am-12.30pm

To book your session contact Chris and Lynne Cooper

Email: [c.cooper.1000@googlemail.com](mailto:c.cooper.1000@googlemail.com) Telephone: 0121 422 1169

Charges apply - £5 per hour



# Rhyme Time

**At Quinton Library**  
**Ridgacre Road, Quinton,**  
**B32 2TW**

**Suitable for ages 0-5 Years**

**Every Friday 10:00-11:00**  
**(Term Time Only)**

**Join us for stories, rhymes and fun craft**  
**activities that help support and develop your**  
**child's language and communication skills**



For more information on what's  
going on in your area please call:  
Doddington Green Children's Centre on  
0121 4776440

 @bfsedgbaston

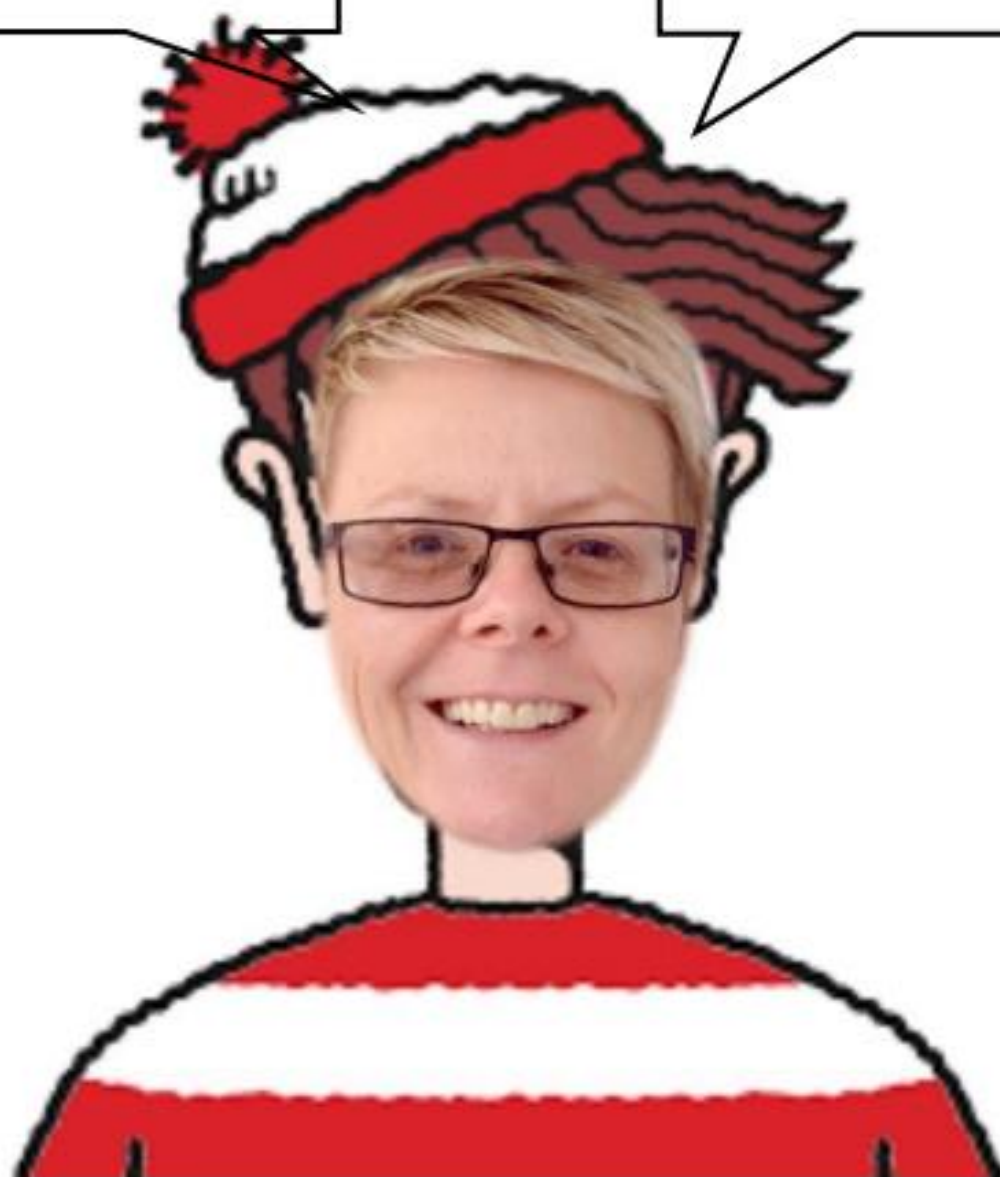


# Where's Wendy?

Wendy can be found working with pupils. She can support pupils with their emotional well being.

Wendy can be found working with staff.

She is trained to help staff with a variety of issues that are affecting their life.



**Did you know Wendy is a qualified therapist?**

**She is qualified in Counselling and Cognitive Behaviour Therapy.**

**If you'd like to speak to Wendy ask at Reception.**

**Wendy is in school on Thursdays.**



# Pause.

ForwardThinking  
Birmingham



**Need someone to talk to?  
Struggling to cope with feelings?  
We're here for you.**

**Pause can help, we listen and help you find solutions – no referrals or long waits, you choose when and how to use our service. Pause supports anyone under the age of 25 with a Birmingham GP via phone, video call or face to face session.**

**To find out more and register for support, visit:  
<https://forwardthinkingbirmingham.nhs.uk/pause>  
or call our Registration Line **0207 841 4470**  
(please note local call charges do apply).**

**Drop-in sessions will be offered around the Birmingham area, not just in City Centre. For up to date locations, visit our website for more information.**

**Pause can offer:**

- **A non-judgemental listening ear.**
- **Self-help strategies, skills for managing difficult situations and feelings.**
- **Detail of other support services that can help.**

**Each session last around 20-30 minutes which focuses on ways forward.**

**Our Service Operates:**

- **Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Fridays - 10am-6pm**
- **Tuesdays 12pm-8pm**
- **Saturdays 10am-5pm**
- **We are Closed Sundays & Bank Holidays.**



The  
Children's  
Society

# Help for all families in Birmingham



Food  
& Energy



Youth  
Support



Domestic  
Abuse



Emergency  
Funding



Money &  
Debt Advice



Data & IT



Under 5's  
Support



School Uniforms  
& Clothing



Parenting



Special Needs  
& Disabilities



Bereavement



Housing



Sexual  
Health



Mental  
Health



Play

**Birmingham**  
Children's Partnership





# Birmingham

## Children's Partnership



### Edgbaston

EarlyHelpEdgbaston@gatewayfs.org  
0121 456 7821

### Erdington

ErdingtonFamilies@compass-support.org.uk  
0121 748 8199

### Hall Green

Hallgreen.families@greensquareaccord.co.uk  
07570 953519 (9:30am to 4:30pm)

### Hodge Hill

EarlyHelp-Hodgehill@family-action.org.uk  
07976 199894

### Ladywood

childrenandfamilies@bsettlement.org.uk  
07764 977636

### Northfield

NorthfieldFamilies@northfieldcommunity.org  
07516 918 133

### Perry Barr

PerrybarrEHnetwork@spurgeons.org  
0121 752 1900

### Selly Oak

EarlyHelp.Billesley@gmail.com  
0121 441 4556

### Sutton Coldfield

SuttonEHnetwork@spurgeons.org  
0121 752 1860

### Yardley

EarlyHelpYardley@barnardos.org.uk  
0121 289 4875





**Healthy Start  
paper vouchers  
will soon be  
replaced with a  
prepaid card**

**Apply online [NOW](https://www.healthystart.nhs.uk/how-to-apply/)**

The Healthy Start scheme is changing, with a new online application process and prepaid card, to replace the paper vouchers. Paper vouchers will no longer be issued after **31<sup>st</sup> March 2022** so it is very important that you apply for a prepaid card as you will no longer receive vouchers after the 31<sup>st</sup> March 2022. **You will not automatically be transferred onto the new scheme.**

**To apply for the first time or get your new prepaid card, go to the Healthy Start website [www.healthystart.nhs.uk/how-to-apply/](https://www.healthystart.nhs.uk/how-to-apply/) and follow the steps for applying.**

Pregnant women and families with children under the age of 4 may be eligible for help to buy healthy food and milk if they are on certain benefits. Healthy Start vouchers are currently worth **£4.25** per week per child under the age of four - but if you have a child under one year, you could get two vouchers a week giving you **£8.50**

**Sign up online today - [www.healthystart.nhs.uk/how-to-apply/](https://www.healthystart.nhs.uk/how-to-apply/)**

*(If you do not have access to a computer or phone, ask your health visitor, midwife, Children Centre, or another organisation that you receive support from)*



**A BOLDER  
BRIGHTER  
BIRMINGHAM**



**Birmingham**  
City Council





## **Healthy Eating/Recipes**

- [Startwell 2020 \(startwellbirmingham.co.uk\)](http://startwell2020.startwellbirmingham.co.uk)
- [www.nhs.uk/change4life/recipes](http://www.nhs.uk/change4life/recipes)
- <https://my.whisk.com/feed>
- [Healthy eating on a budget | BHF](#)
- [Diabetes-UK-African-Caribbean-Guide.pdf \(nhsforhvalley.com\)](http://Diabetes-UK-African-Caribbean-Guide.pdf)
- [FINAL A5\\_Healthyeating\\_SAAsian7.qxd \(diabetes.org.uk\)](http://FINAL A5_Healthyeating_SAAsian7.qxd)
- [www.tomkerridge.com/full-time-meals/](http://www.tomkerridge.com/full-time-meals/)
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c-2gPJUOiqM&list=PLb1P0NWdnLLMAWayc9IbIm-8abQ8oHcG8> - healthy eating webinars

## **Keeping Active**

- [Disney Shake Up Games | 10 Minute Shake Up | Change4Life \(www.nhs.uk\)](#)
- Startwell being active - [180 Katie - Startwell 2020 \(startwellbirmingham.co.uk\)](http://180Katie-Startwell2020.startwellbirmingham.co.uk)
- [PE With Joe | 2021 - YouTube](#)

## **Useful sites**

- Pregnancy start4life: [www.nhs.uk/start4life/](http://www.nhs.uk/start4life/)
- Birmingham Safeguarding Children Partnership: [Home - Birmingham Safeguarding Children Partnership \(lscpbirmingham.org.uk\)](http://Home-BirminghamSafeguardingChildrenPartnership.lscpbirmingham.org.uk)
- Birmingham Forward Steps: [Birmingham Forward Steps – The best start for our children \(bhamforwardsteps.co.uk\)](http://BirminghamForwardSteps-Thebeststartforourchildren.bhamforwardsteps.co.uk)
- Supporting children's mental health: [Coronavirus: wellbeing activity ideas for families \(place2be.org.uk\)](http://Coronavirus:wellbeingactivityideasforfamilies.place2be.org.uk)
- Mental wellbeing: [Home - Kooth](#)
- ICON: [ICON - Babies cry you can cope - Advice and Support | ICON \(iconcope.org\)](http://ICON-Babiescryyoucancope-AdviceandSupport|ICON.iconcope.org)
- Food Banks: [All Food Banks | Find FoodBanks Brum](#)
- Healthy Start webinar: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ko3TP07EurE>

# The Inclusion Team at Woodhouse



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Key Stage 2



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Pastoral Support

The Inclusion Team at Woodhouse work together with children and families to offer and provide support and opportunities to ensure that all have the chance to achieve and succeed.

If you have anything you would like to discuss with a member of the team regarding your child or children's learning, behaviour, well-being, health or anything else then please get in touch. [families@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk](mailto:families@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk)

If you'd like to get in touch with us regarding Special Educational Needs, you can do this by emailing us at [sensupport@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk](mailto:sensupport@woodhouse.uwmat.co.uk)

The Inclusion Team will also be on the front and rear gates at the start and end of the day and will be more than happy to talk.

We would like to remind families that if times are difficult or you are going through a tough time, you need only ask and we will do all we can. Of course, we are always here for your children, and we will do anything which we can do to help them to learn, succeed and become fine citizens. We are also there for our families and the wider school community. If we can help in any way: with food bank support, support with uniforms and clothing or with any other aspect of life, then please get in touch. If we cannot help directly, we can often sign post to the support needed and help you to access assistance. Please don't suffer in silence.

## Feeling overwhelmed? Struggling to cope?



**Anna Freud**  
National Centre for  
Children and Families

**Text AFC to 85258**

**Text the free, confidential textline**

All texts are answered by trained volunteers,  
with support from experienced clinical specialists





## *Help for all families*



We've all been through a tough time recently.

The following organisations have partnered to provide services and support, which might make life a little bit easier...

Birmingham Children's Partnership includes: Birmingham City Council, Birmingham Children's Trust, Birmingham and Solihull Clinical Commissioning Group, Birmingham Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust, Birmingham Women's and Children's NHS Foundation Trust, West Midlands Police and Birmingham Voluntary Sector Council.

There is support available for domestic abuse, parenting courses, mental health support, financial help, alcohol and drug problems, bereavement support and more.

Follow these links to find out more:

<https://www.birmingham.gov.uk/love>

<https://www.birmingham.gov.uk/info/50224/birmingham-children-s-partnership/2156/birmingham-children-s-partnership-resources>

Alternatively, speak to a member of the Inclusion Team for more advice / support.

In most cases, you can self-refer for support.

One example of support they can offer is with emergency food and supplies grants of up to £100.



# From Birmingham with Love



We've all been through a tough time with Covid-19 and repeated lockdowns. For many families it can get harder over Winter, which is why we're here to help. Here are some of our partners' most used services and support, which might make life a little bit easier...



1. **Online parenting course.** We've pre-paid for every parent in Birmingham to access a [parenting course](#). Just enter the access code "COMMUNITY" at the top of the page to claim. There are courses for parents, carers and grandparents of children from bump to 19. Learn about how your child develops, and get tips to manage their behaviour.



2. **Mental health support.** In these difficult times we have to look after our mental health. For young people aged 11-25 there are forums, guides and counselling available at [Kooth](#). If your child 0-25 needs support, get in touch with Pause by calling 0207 841 4470 or [email](#). Adults can get support from [MIND](#) by calling 0121 262 3555. Or for urgent help call [Forward Thinking Birmingham](#) on 0300 300 0099.



3. **Financial help.** If you've lost your job, or are struggling for food or rent there are services that can help. [Local welfare provision](#) can make a big difference if you are in a crisis and need food, fuel or basic white goods. [Discretionary Housing Payments](#) may be able to help with rent. And there are [food banks](#) across Birmingham that are here to help.



4. **Domestic abuse.** For women and children affected by domestic abuse please see [guidance](#) or confidentially contact [Birmingham and Solihull Women's Aid](#). For Men, please contact [Respect](#).



5. **Problems with drugs or alcohol.** A new, discrete app called Staying Free is available on Android or Apple. Use the code "birmingham11" for pre-paid access. To speak to someone call [Change Grow Live](#).



6. **Bereavement support.** It's a terrible time to lose a loved one — you can get help by calling 0121 687 8010 or from [Cruse](#).



7. **Early help for families.** If anyone in your family needs more help, from public services or community groups, then please contact our [voluntary sector local leads](#). We have ten areas which can connect you to support across the city.

If you are worried about a child, please call Birmingham's Children's Advice and Support Service on 0121 303 1888. In an emergency, including child abuse, contact the Police on 999. You can also [chat](#) to the Police.



## Try Tennis at Lordswood Tennis Club

- Coaching available for all ages and abilities - organised by Edgbaston Priory Club.
  - Equipment provided!
- Pay and Play Tennis - bookable via our website.
- 3x Floodlit courts - Play tennis all year round.
- Cheap and flexible membership options

***Scan the QR code to book via our website  
or visit the address below.***

Lordswood Tennis Club, B17 8AN  
matthew.tew@edgbastonpriory.com

**[www.clubspark.lta.org.uk/LordswoodTennisClub](http://www.clubspark.lta.org.uk/LordswoodTennisClub)**



# LITTLE NETTERS

**\*\*NEW VENUE\*\***

**FOUR DWELLINGS ACADEMY QUINTON**

**STARTS SUNDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER**



**9am – Preschool to Reception**

**10am – Years 1-2**

**11 am – Years 3-4**

**12 noon – Years 5-6**



**Boys & Girls Ages 3 to 11**



**Little Netters**



**littlenetters@outlook.com**



**07360 206866**



**littlenettersnetball**

**Book Online: <https://little-netters.class4kids.co.uk>**







FREE



**'OLD SCHOOL'**

C O M M U N I T Y

# SPORTS & FUN DAY

**16TH  
JULY  
2022  
10 AM  
- 2 PM**

**HIGHFIELD FARM  
RECREATION GROUND**

**INCLUDES OLD FAVOURITES:  
EGG & SPOON RACE - TUG OF WAR  
THREE-LEGGED RACE - SKIPPING ROPE RACE  
FOOTBALL SHOOTOUT - BEANBAG SHOTPUT  
LIMBO CHALLENGE ... AND SO MUCH MORE!**

**CHARITY TOMBOLA - SPORTSWEAR & EQUIPMENT GIVEAWAY**



ORGANISED BY THE VOLUNTEERS AND STAFF AT THE BARNARDO'S DONATION CENTRE QUINTON  
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## Useful links

<https://homelearning.woodhouse.academy>

Additional learning resources and activities.

<https://www.woodhouse.priacademy.co.uk/news-and-events/parental-assistance>

Our parental assistance page with plenty of avenues of support.

<https://www.woodhouse.priacademy.co.uk/news-and-events/school-news>

Up to date school news.

<https://www.woodhouse.priacademy.co.uk/news-and-events/wider-opening>

Access our latest risk assessment, detailing our safety measures.

<https://your-local-pantry.force.com/s/member-sign-up>

The Food Pantry – Quinton

<https://www.theprojectbirmingham.org/housing-advice/>

Support with housing

<https://www.cicadasports.co.uk/index.php?route=product/search&search=woodhouse>

To purchase school uniform and PE kits.



**Woodhouse Primary  
Sweatshirt**

SPECIAL ..

£11.95

Ex Tax: £11.95



**Woodhouse Primary  
Cardigan**

SPECIAL ..

£13.95

Ex Tax: £13.95



**Woodhouse Primary  
Fleece**

SPECIAL ..

£14.95

Ex Tax: £14.95



**Woodhouse Primary  
Reversible Jacket**

SPECIAL ..

£29.95

Ex Tax: £29.95



**Woodhouse PE Tee**

SPECIAL ..

£14.95

Ex Tax: £14.95



**Woodhouse Tracksuit**

SPECIAL ..

£35.95

Ex Tax: £35.95



**Woodhouse Tracksuit  
and Tee**

SPECIAL ..

£44.95

Ex Tax: £44.95