

Our Attendance target for this year is 97%

Class	Attendance for the week	Class	Attendance for the week
Nursery	97.16%	3A	99.67%
RO	92.86%	3N	96%
RW	96.67%	4W	90.37%
1L	98.33%	4F	94.48%
1R	95.86%	5W	96%
2M	96.13%	5S	93.67%
2WP	98.67%	6WO	97%
Rainbow	100%	6L	96%
		6D	95.50%

Congratulations to **Rainbow Room** who had the best class attendance for last week. We had 76 lates last week across all year groups. These, no matter how small, are lost learning time.

Weekly Lates	NSY	RO	RW	1L	1R	2M	2WP	3A	3N	4W	4F	5W	5S	6WO	6L	6D
Before reg	1	7	4	2	1	7	3	16	3	7	2	4	7	3	2	1
After reg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0



Lunch Menu for 1st – 5th October

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Spaghetti Bolognese With Garlic Bread	Brunch Day Sausage or Vegetable Sausage With Hash Brown, Tomatoes, Baked Beans & Scrambled Egg	Minced Beef With Yorkshire Pudding And Mashed Potatoes	Cheeseburger Or Chicken Nuggets With Curly Fries	Pizza Day Meat Feast Or Margherita With Chips
Cheese And Onion Lattice With Herby Diced Potatoes		Roast Quorn With Yorkshire Pudding And Mashed Potatoes	Vegetable Sausage With Curly Fries	
Green Beans Carrots	Selection of Sandwiches	Mixed Vegetables Cabbage	Sweetcorn Peas	Baked Beans Mixed Vegetables
Jacket Potato With A Selection Of Fillings		Jacket Potato With A Selection Of Fillings	Potato Waffles With Baked Beans And Cheese	Jacket Potato With A Selection Of Fillings
Jam Sponge	Eve's Pudding With Custard	Chocolate Cracknel	Pancakes	Mousse

Available Daily – Fresh Bread, Fresh Fruit, Fresh Fruit Pots, Fruit Yoghurts and Salad Bar



Hard copies also available on request from the main office

Positive Growth Mind-set

This week we have been talking to the children about the importance of having a positive attitude, being resilient and working hard in order to realise our dreams. We have talked about how making mistakes is an essential part of our learning experiences. All our children have been using our new catch phrase when they get stuck or feel challenged in their work, which is 'I can't do it yet!' We call this having a Positive Growth Mind-set - to find out more have a look at the video links below.

Your Brain is Like a Muscle - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2zrtHt3bBmQ>

The Magic of Mistakes - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fapLoMnkaDA>

The Incredible Power of Yet - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nWb18yMGzpg>

The Mysterious World of Neurons - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lv5Bect7Zj0>

Mojo Puts It All Together - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pZVW-AsN5PU>

Growth Mind-set for students:

Episode 25 -

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Episode 35 -

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Episode 55 -

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Episode 45 -

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Yours sincerely,

Miss C Lavelle – Assistant Head Teacher

Friday 5th Oct – Whole School Individual and Sibling Photos
 Monday 8th, Wednesday 10th & Friday 12th Oct – Open Morning for Prospective Nursery & Reception Parents (10 – 11)
 Tuesday 9th & Thursday 11th Oct – Open Afternoon for Prospective Nursery & Reception Parents (1:30 – 2:20)
 Tuesday 9th Oct – Reception Parent Workshops (RO: 9 – 10:15) (RW: 2 – 3:15)
 Wednesday 10th Oct – Year 6 Parent Workshop (9 – 10:15)
 Wednesday 17th Oct – Year 2 Parent Workshop (9 – 10:15 OR 2 – 3:15) Details to follow
 Thursday 18th Oct – Nursery Parent Workshop (9 – 10)
 Thursday 18th Oct – Year 4 Parent Workshop (2 – 3:15)
 Thursday 18th Oct – Parents Evening (3:30 – 6) Details to follow
 Friday 19th Oct – Arts Assemblies (KS2: 9 – 9:30 & KS1: 2:45 – 3:15)
 Friday 19th Oct – Year 3 Parent Workshop (2 – 3:15)
 Tuesday 23rd Oct – Parents Evening (3:30 – 6) Details to follow (Not 1L)
 Wednesday 24th Oct – Year 6 Parents Meeting (2:30 – 3:15)
 Wednesday 24th Oct – 1L Parents Evening (3:30 – 6)
 Wednesday 24th Oct – KS2 Halloween Disco (4 – 5)
 Friday 26th Oct – Harvest Assemblies (KS2: 9 – 9:30 & EYFS/KS1: 2:45 – 3:15)
 Friday 26th Oct – Last day of half term
Monday 29th Oct – Friday 2nd Nov – Autumn Half Term Break
 Monday 5th Nov – First day of half term
 Thursday 8th Nov – Year 1 Parent Workshop (2 – 3:15)
 Tuesday 13th Nov – Influenza Vaccinations for Reception – Year 5 (Please return any confirmation letters to the main office)
 Wednesday 14th Nov – 2M Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited
 Thursday 15th Nov – 5S Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited
 Wednesday 21st – Wednesday 28th Nov – Book Fayre in the Hall (details to follow)
 Thursday 29th Nov – 6L Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited
 Thursday 29th Nov – Year 5 Parent Workshop (2 – 3:15)
 Tuesday 4th Dec – Nursery Nativity in the Hall (9 – 9:30)
 Wednesday 5th Dec – Christmas Fayre (Food in the canteen from 3:30 – 4:30, Fayre starts at 4:30 – 6)
 More details to follow
 Thursday 6th Dec – 6D Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited
 Tuesday 11th Dec – Reception Nativity (9:15 – 9:45 & 2 – 2:30)
 Wednesday 12th Dec – Christmas Dinner Day
 Thursday 13th Dec – Nursery & Reception Visit to Severn Valley
 Friday 14th Dec – Christmas Jumper Day (Bring £1 donation for Save the Children charity)
 Friday 14th Dec – Arts Assemblies (KS2: 9 – 9:30 & KS1: 2:45 – 3:15)
 Tuesday 18th Dec – KS1 Nativity (9:15 – 9:45 & 2:30 – 3)
 Thursday 20th Dec – KS2 Carol Concert at St Faith & St Laurence Church (10 – 10:30)
 Friday 21st Dec – Last day of half term

Monday 24th Dec – Friday 4th Jan – Christmas Holiday

Spring Term 2019

Monday 7th Jan – Staff Training Day (School Closed to Children)
 Tuesday 8th Jan – First day back for children
 Friday 11th Jan – Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 Theatre Visit – The Tiger Who Came to Tea (Limited tickets still available, visit the main office to secure a ticket. Tickets are £12.50)
 Thursday 17th Jan – Young Voices at the Resorts World Arena (LG) (12 – 8)
 Wednesday 13th Feb – EYFS & KS1 Pirate & Princess Disco (4 – 5)
 Friday 15th Feb – Arts Assemblies (KS2: 9 – 9:30 & KS1: 2:45 – 3:15)
 Friday 15th Feb – Last day of half term
Monday 18th Feb – Friday 22nd Feb – Spring Half Term Break.
 Monday 25th Feb – First day of half term
 Thursday 7th Mar – World Book Day (Details to follow)
 Thursday 14th Mar – Year 5 Parent Workshop (2 – 3:15)
 Friday 15th Mar – Comic Relief Event (Details to follow)
 Wednesday 20th Mar – RW Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited
 Monday 1st Apr – Autism Awareness Day
 Thursday 4th Apr – 4F Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited
 Thursday 4th Apr – Year 2 Parent's SATs meeting (3:30 – 4)
 Thursday 11th Apr – Easter Assemblies (KS2: 9 – 9:30 & KS1: 2:30 – 3:15 Easter Bonnet Parade to follow assembly)
 Thursday 11th Apr – Last day of half term
 Friday 12th Apr – Staff Training Day (School Closed to Children)
Monday 15th Apr – Friday 26th Apr – Easter Holiday
 Thursday 2nd May – School Closed to Children for Voting
 Monday 6th May – School Closed to Children for Bank Holiday
 Friday 24th May – Arts Assemblies (KS2: 9 – 9:30 & KS1: 2:45 – 3:15)
Monday 27th May – Friday 31st May – Summer Half Term Break
 Tuesday 4th Jun – Year 1 Phonics Screening Meeting for Parents (3:30 – 4)
 Wednesday 5th Jun – 1R Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited
 Wednesday 12th Jun – Nursery Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited
 Thursday 20th Jun – 5W Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited
 Thursday 20th Jun – Year 4 Parent Workshop (2 – 3:15)
 Wednesday 26th Jun – RO Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited
 Thursday 27th Jun – 3A Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited
 Wednesday 3rd Jul – 2WP Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited
 Wednesday 3rd Jul – Summer Fayre (details to follow)
 Thursday 4th Jul – 4W Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited
 Friday 5th Jul – Arts Assemblies (KS2: 9 – 9:30 & KS1: 2:45 – 3:15)
 Wednesday 10th Jul – 1L Class Assembly (9 – 9:30) Parents invited
 Friday 19th Jul – Last day of school for Children
 Monday 22nd Jul – School Closed to Children for Staff Training
Tuesday 23rd Jul – Friday 30th Aug – Summer Break



Further dates will be added to the newsletter and website, such as trip, when they are confirmed.



Stars of the Week

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

Reception

Caiden
Madison
Rayhanah
Lexi

Year One

Mia
Abdulbaqi
Youzarsif
Mila J

Year Two

Hugo
Tahlia
Riley M
Harry K

Year Four

Pria
Anzoer
Amira
Ardi

Year Five

Denisa
Harold
John
Macie

Year Six

Hebron
Ephrata
Yianni
Olivia
Kenisha
Aaron

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.

Joke of the Week

Why are fish good at weighing themselves?

Answer below

Useful Contacts

Sensupport@woodhouse.priacademy.co.uk

- Use this email for any concerns regarding support with learning or any special educational needs.
- Emails picked up by Miss Mason (SENDCo), Mr Kennedy (Learning Mentor) & Mrs Dallaway (Speech & Language Therapist)

friendsofwoodhouse@woodhouse.priacademy.co.uk

- This email address is used for anything concerning the Friends of Woodhouse group.
- The emails are picked up Mr Kennedy & Miss Mason and will be forwarded to the appropriate people.

Job Vacancy

We have a 12 ½ hour per week, 12pm to 2.30pm daily, position in the kitchen from 5th November to 19th July, as maternity cover.

Duties will include: food preparation, cleaning, serving food etc. Please see the main office for further details and application packs.

Closing date 5th October, interviews week beginning 8th October.

Job and application packs are also on WM Jobs.

Joke of the Week Answer

Because they come with their own scales.

Year 6 Visit to Black Country Museum

On Wednesday 26th September, Year 6 went to the Black Country Museum as part of our learning about the Victorians.

The first thing we did was to visit the school. There were high windows in the school so that the children wouldn't get distracted during lessons. If any of the children were naughty they would get whipped. One of the lessons they did was to learn the alphabet backwards. We also discovered that they used to have a Back Board that would be used if children didn't sit up straight.

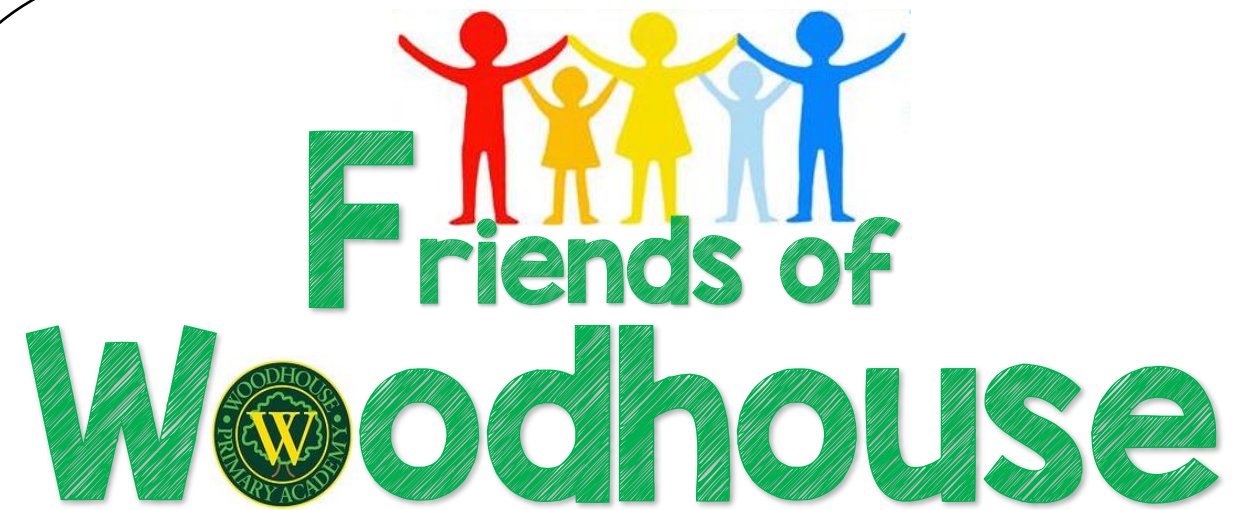
After visiting the school we visited the Gregory Hardware store where we were told about the products and prices of things. We found out that they used to sell Carbollic Soap that would've been used to wash everything from people to clothes.

We visited a few varieties of Victorian style houses that are very different to our houses now. They used to have a pot called a Guzunder that they all wee'd in at night so they didn't have to go outside. This would go under the bed, which is where it got its name.

Life in Victorian times was very different to our lives now, although there are a lot of similarities. Schools are very different as children are no longer whipped for punishment.

A big thank you to all of our teachers that came with us.

Written by Gracie & Cerys in Year 6.



Friends of Woodhouse is our parent group. The group meet fairly regularly and acts as a support network for parents in a variety of ways and is open to all parents and carers in the Woodhouse community.

Come along to our next Coffee morning to find out more. We will be looking for volunteers to help out with this year's Christmas Fayre. We look forward to welcoming back some familiar faces, as well as many news ones.



Coffee Morning

Thursday October 11th 9am

Woody's Diner
(School canteen)

