Woodlands Academy

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Attendance

Class attendance since September 2023:

Reception: 93% 🔨

Year I: <mark>94.7%</mark> 🖖

Year 2: 91.3% 🛧

Year 3: **93.5%** 🔨

Year 4: 90% 🔨

Year 5: **92.8%** ♥

Year 6: 92.1% 🔨

Whole school attendance: 92.2%



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Year I and Year 2 Dance Festival

Year I and Year 2 are performing at a local dance festival on 20^{th} March. It isn't an event that parents and families can attend, so the children will do a performance at school on Friday 22^{nd} March at 2:45pm in the school hall. Please do come along!



World Book Day 2024

All of the children looked fantastic in their outfits this year, they all made such an effort. Thank you to everyone who took part. We have posted some pictures up on our Facebook page.

Dates for your Diary

Friday 8th March - Yl Farleigh Castle Trip

Friday 15th March - Red Nose Day

Friday 15th March - Y5 Steam Museum Trip

Wednesday 20th March - YI & Y2 Dance Festival

Wednesday 6th - Friday 7th June - Y6 Croft Farm

Monday 17^{th} - Friday 28^{th} June - Y6 Swimming

Term dates 2023/24

Term 4 - 19th February 2024 - 27th March 2024

Term 5 - 15^{th} April 2024 - 24^{th} May 2024

Term 6 - 3rd June 2024 - 19th July 2024



<u>Inset Days</u>

28th March 2024

 22^{nd} and 23^{rd} July 2024

Red Nose Day - 15th March 2024

Friday 15th March is Red Nose Day, where children can come into school wearing something red/non-uniform. We will collect donations for this charity on this day.

Stranger Danger

Please can you remind your children about stranger danger. There have been a few reports recently of a man acting suspiciously in the Stockwood area. If you see anything you are worried about, please report this to 101. Remind your children to never speak to strangers and to tell a trusted adult if they are concerned about something.

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Bristol SEND News for families



Changes to top up funding

If your child has a Bristol Support plan or top-up funding, their support will be changing from September 2024. This is due to changes made by Bristol City Council. We will be arranging information sessions with families ASAP to explain these changes to you. Please join our mailing list for further information on these planned sessions.



Phase transfers

If your child in Year 6 and has an EHCP, their secondary school should've been named in Section I of their Plan by Feb 15th. We held an info session on Feb 6th, to support families, but if you missed it, check the guide below.

IPSEA Guide



Neurodiversity health changes

The ICB is updating support for families referred to the Autism and ADHD pathways. Two projects are underway: a short-term interim model and a longer-term plan. The next conference for the long-term model is on March 7th, and we'll provide an update afterwards.



Bristol Parent Carers updates

Local area event March 20th
This free event is open to all
Bristol families and those with
children attending Bristol
schools. Enjoy 30+ sessions, 50
exhibitors, and access to a
creche. English language
support is also available.

Book here

Partnership for Inclusion of Neurodiversity in Schools

Bristol Parent Carers will be working with 14 schools in the area to deliver around £4,500 extra support to mainstream primary schools to strengthen support for pupils with neurodivergent needs such as ADHD, Autism, Dyslexia & more.

More info

March 2024

Free support sessions

Join us for free information and support sessions covering a variety of topics both in person and online, run by parents for parents.

No diagnosis is needed, this is a supportive space to connect, share experiences, and gain practical advice. Or you can just hang out with your camera off and not join in at all, there are no expectations for us.

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