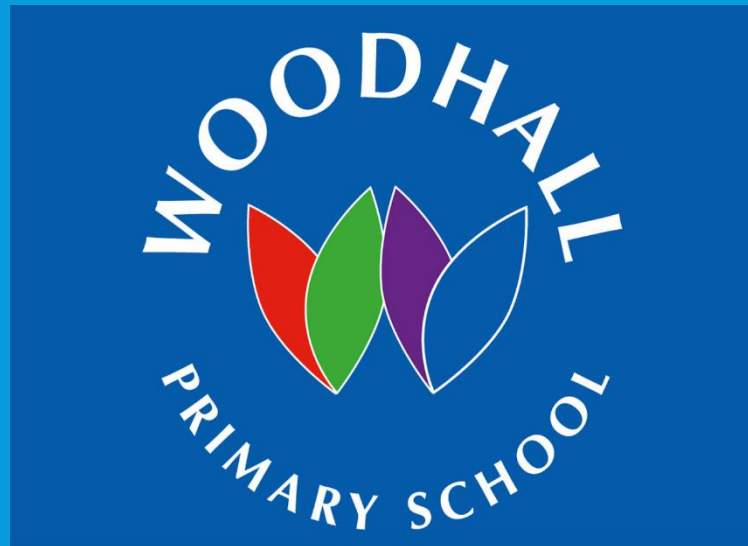


WELCOME TO WOODHALL PRIMARY SCHOOL



OUR CURRENT RECEPTION TEAM



Mrs Bevan; Mrs Morgans, Mrs Beard, Mrs Pugh, Mrs Cameron, Mrs Owen

SETTLING IN

The children will join us for 3 settling-in afternoon sessions:

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|---------------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| Wednesday 19 th June | 3:30-4:30pm | With parents |
| Wednesday 26 th June | 1:30-2:30pm | Children only |
| Wednesday 10 th July | 9:30-11:00am | Children only |

We will visit children in their pre-school to meet them somewhere they feel comfortable. We would love to see your child's learning journey from their pre-school.

We will aim to meet each family individually in the Autumn term to share key information about your child.

INDUCTION TIMETABLE

| Week | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thur | Fri |
|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|---|--------------------|
| 2 nd Sept | Non pupil day | Pupils in until 11:45am | Pupils in until 11:45am | Pupils in for lunch, to be collected at 1pm | Pupils in all day. |
| 9 th Sept | Pupils full time. | | | | |

THE SCHOOL DAY

- Reception children come into class at 8:45am.
- School ends at 3.00pm until Christmas and 3:15pm after Christmas. Children can be collected from the outside classroom doors.
- Please inform us if someone else is going to collect your child. You can use Dojo or call the school office to do so.



WHAT YOUR CHILD WILL NEED



- Book Bag.
- Water bottle.
- School Uniform.
- P.E Kit.
- Outdoor clothing suitable for the time of year- coats, welly boots, sunhats, sun cream.

All items need to be clearly named.

SNACK AND LUNCH TIME

All children up to year two have fresh fruit or vegetables every day so you do not need to provide a snack, but if you do wish to send in a snack please ensure that it is fruit.

Your child should bring in a named water bottle every day – only water please!

Lunch time menus are sent home regularly. Children have a choice of a hot meal or a Jacket Potato. All children in reception until Year 2 are entitled to a free school dinner.

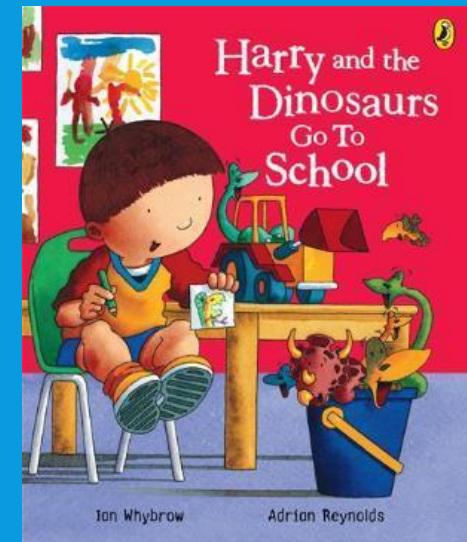


HOW TO PREPARE YOUR CHILD FOR SCHOOL: DEVELOPING CONFIDENCE AND INDEPENDENCE

Practise:

- dressing, especially putting on coats and shoes on correct feet!
- recognising own belongings,
- independent toileting,
- speaking with confidence.

Finally, talk about starting school as a fun and exciting time, share your child's personal starting school story.



LEARNING THROUGH PLAY

We learn through a new theme every two weeks covering seven areas of development:

1. communication and language
2. physical development
3. personal, social and emotional development
4. literacy
5. mathematics
6. understanding the world
7. expressive arts and design



A Unique Child
Positive Relationships
Enabling Environment
Learning and Development

HOW TO HELP YOUR CHILDREN: PARENTS AS PARTNERS

- Class Dojo, a messaging service- Facebook for schools. Sharing Dojo points.
- Early Excellence (EExAT), an online learning journey- a two way sharing of achievement.
- Homework: reading; peek at our week; and topic challenges!
- Reading cafes and Discovery Cafes.

FINALLY

If you have any worries or concerns please come in and see us and we will do our best to help you.

We look forward to working with you and your child in September.

Mrs Cameron, Mrs Bevan and
Mrs Pugh.