

“Dream Big, Fly High”



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Welcome to our Pre-School Induction Meeting



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The Leadership Team



Mrs Woolley
Executive Headteacher



Mrs Drake
Head of School



Mrs Calthorpe
Assistant Headteacher

The Laurus Trust Vision

“For everyone, regardless of background or circumstance, to be inspired, to thrive in all environments, to recognise what it takes to succeed, to set aspirational goals and to work hard to achieve them.”





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Mrs Stevenson
Pre School Teacher



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Safe and Happy Children

The most important thing to us is that children arrive at school happy and remain happy throughout the day.

A safe and happy environment is conducive to successful learning.





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Learning and Development within The EYFS Framework



- An Enabling Environment
- Children's interests are central to planning and provision
- A mixture of adult directed teaching in whole class and small groups and child-initiated learning
- Opportunities for playing and exploring
- Observational assessment to inform next steps (Assessment for Learning)



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There's much more to it than that of course...

- Making friends
- Learning outside the classroom
- Enrichment Curriculum
- Assemblies
- Playtimes

Be prepared for anything!





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School Rules





We are respectful

We do our best

We make good choices

House System

House points are awarded for achievements in accordance with our 3 School Rules, both in relation to pupils' work and how they show respect towards others.

 Altius	Altius is Latin for the Olympic quality 'higher'
 Citius	Citius is Latin for the Olympic quality 'faster' or 'swifter'
 Fortius	Fortius is Latin for the Olympic quality 'stronger'
 Magnus	Magnus is Latin for the qualities of 'great', 'mighty' or 'powerful'



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Our Pre-School Day



08.45 School Opens - Morning Registration

Learning in classroom and outdoors

including a snack time

11.30 Lunch

1.00 Afternoon Registration

Learning in classroom and outdoors

15.15 Home Time



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Attendance & Punctuality

Establishing good habits of attendance and punctuality helps to ensure your child makes the best start at school.

Every Minute Counts

If you arrive late to school everyday your learning begins to suffer. This graph shows how being late to school everyday over a school year adds up to lost learning time.



(Over one academic year)



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Kids Club

Monday – Friday: 7.30 – 8.45am

Monday – Friday: 3.15 – 5.30pm

- Creating a Lego masterpiece
- Channelling creative skills
- Running off some energy outside
- Chilling out with a book



Lunchtime

- Every day your child will have a choice of meals to choose from. This is priced at £2.69 per day.
- You need to order your child's lunch via the School Grid App, where you can choose from a choice of meals.
- You may wish to provide a healthy packed lunch. We are allergy aware and do not allow nuts of any form in school.



Snack Time

- We take part in the School Fruit Scheme, whereby each child in Pre-School receives a free piece of fruit or veg each day.

Milk Scheme

- All Pre-School pupils will be entitled to free milk everyday. To address any dietary requirements, non - dairy alternative can be brought into school for staff to give to your child.

What do the children need to bring to school every day?



- Small backpack
- School water bottle – named
- Spare change of clothes (left in Pre-School)
- Waterproofs and wellies (left in Pre-School)
- Seasonal – coat, hat and scarf, sun hat, sun cream



Include a familiar icon on your child's name label to help them identify their belongings

Uniform

For branded items our school uniform suppliers are:

- Monkhouse <https://www.monkhouse.com/>
- Express Uniform <https://www.expressuniform.co.uk/>

For our school uniform policy, please refer to our website.

Pre-School Uniform
Woodford Primary School V-neck jumper or cardigan with school logo or
Plain Dark Green V-neck jumper or cardigan without school logo
Dark Green polo shirt with school logo
Black or Grey skirt/dress/trousers/leggings/shorts or equivalent
Water Bottle
Woodford Primary School Water Bottle with logo – Available from the School Office

You can purchase non-branded items from a shop or supermarket of your choice.





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What should your child practise to prepare them for Pre-school?

- Independently using the toilet and washing hands.
- Putting on and taking off their jumper/cardigan.
- Fastening their own coat and shoes.
- Using a knife and fork.
- Listening to stories.
- Singing nursery rhymes.





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Books





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- Develop relationship between school and parents/community
- Support the school via fundraising to enhance the children's educational experience.
- Bring the community together.



14 events

**£9,600
raised**
(July 24 to July 25)

**Forest School
Outdoor Library
School Library
Musical
Instruments**

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www.woodfordprimary.org.uk



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Settling In



Wednesday 3rd Sept

Taster session

8.45 – 10.00am – **Citius** and **Magnus**

10.15 -11.30am - **Altius** and **Fortius**

Thursday 4th Sept

Taster Session

8.45 – 12.00pm – **Citius** and **Magnus**

1.15 – 3.15pm - **Altius** and **Fortius**

Friday 5th Sept

Taster Session

8.45 – 12.00pm – **Altius** and **Fortius**

1.15 – 3.15pm - **Citius** and **Magnus**

Monday 8th Sept

8.45am – 3.15pm

(before and after-school club begins)

Communication with School

- Weekly Newsletter (emailed)
- www.woodfordprimary.org.uk
- Tapestry – Academic Portfolio
- MCAS



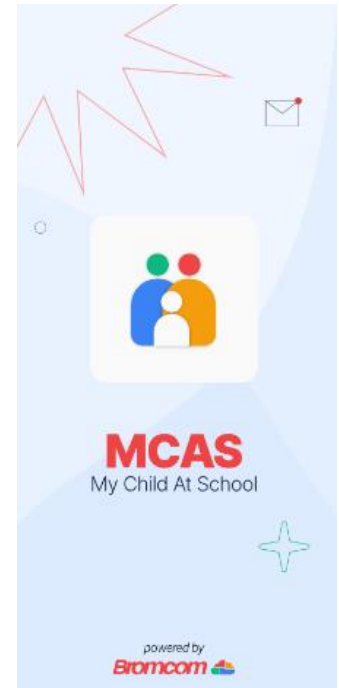
Contacting teachers:

- Quick messages at drop off/pick up times
- Meetings – book via school office, these can be over the phone or in person at a time to suit us both

School Office Opening Hours: 8.30 – 16.00

Mrs Darwent & Mrs Frazer

admin@woodfordprimary.org.uk





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The next chapter...

Teacher TEAMS Calls
Friday 11th July

We are really looking forward to
welcoming our new Pre-school
class in September!

*Pre-school is such a magical
time in your child's development!*





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