



Woolston Infant School

Issue No 1 2nd September 2026

Dates for the Diary

September

- 7th Year R first day
- 15th Year 1 welcome meeting 2.40pm
- 16th Year 2 welcome meeting 2.40pm
- 17th Year R welcome meeting 2.40pm
- 23rd Governors meeting 6.00pm
- 24th School nurse clinic 9.30am-12.30pm
- 24th Phonic parent workshop YR-2 9.10am or 4.30pm

October

- 1st Oracy parent workshop YR-2 9.10am or 4.30pm
- 12th Parent's evening
- 14th Parent's evening
- 22nd School photos
- 23rd HET foundation dress down day
- 23rd Year R parent celebration 3.15pm
- 23rd Last day of term
- 26th Half term

November

- 2nd School open to all pupils 8.35am

Headteacher's Message



I hope you had an enjoyable summer holiday. The children have returned looking very smart in their new uniforms and ready to learn. The transition work we did last term has been beneficial and the children have settled quickly into their new classes.

Our Year R team are out on home visits this week, meeting our new children. We look forward to welcoming the children and their families into school next Monday. Whether you are new to our school or a family who is rejoining, we are sure you and your child will have 3 years of memorable learning with us.

On our first INSET Day yesterday, staff undertook training including Safeguarding & Child Protection, Fire Safety and Health & Safety at Work, in order to keep all the children safe.

As a school, we will continue to provide the best provision we can for all our pupils. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact myself via the office

Stars of the week



Week beginning 1st September

If you have changed any of your contact details, particularly your phone numbers, please make sure that the office have your up-to-date information so that we can contact you should your child be unwell

Attendance



Week beginning 1st September



NUT FREE SCHOOL

A reminder to not bring any food into school containing nuts, including Hazelnut spread. We have several children who are severely allergic to nuts.

SCHOOL LUNCH

Please encourage your child to have a school lunch. The lunches are funded by the Government for all Infant age children. They are nutritious, delicious and FREE!!

MEDICATION

Any children who has prescribed medication in school, please ensure this is handed to the school office and the appropriate consent forms completed. This includes any inhalers or EpiPens.

ATTENDANCE AT SCHOOL

In order for all children to make the best possible progress socially, emotionally and academically, please ensure they are in school every day. You will find more information about attendance attached as well as on our website.

WELCOME MEETINGS

We would like to invite you to a welcome meeting in the hall, held by your child's teachers. They will discuss expectations, how you can support your child and what will happen throughout the year.

Year 1 – 15th September 2.40pm

Year 2 – 16th September 2.40pm

Year R – 17th September 2.40pm

A FEW REMINDERS

- Every child needs a book bag that will fit in their tray – please do not send rucksacks or bags as we have nowhere to put them!
- We ask that as many children as possible have a hot dinner each day.
- Please ensure your child has their water bottle in school every day.
- No jewellery should be worn in school.
- Please ensure reading books and diaries come into school EVERY DAY.

Thank you for supporting these few simple things that make school life so much easier.

YEAR R - 2 PHONIC TALK

Parents are invited to an introduction talk about how we teach phonics and reading in school. This will take place 24th September 2026 at 9.10am or 4.30pm.

Gentle Reminders



- ***Please remember that you must inform us if your child is unwell and is unable to attend school.*** Please contact us before 9.20 a.m. You can phone on **02380 444447** or email us at info@woolstoninfantschool.co.uk

If you don't contact us this is classed as an unauthorised absence

- Please inform the school office if you have any change of details, including change of address or phone numbers. It is vital we have up to date information on our system in case of an emergency.

- Aggressive or foul language will not be tolerated on the school site.



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CHILDREN'S ACHIEVEMENTS OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL

Well done to Phoebe in Poplar for completing The Read to the Beat challenge during the summer holidays.

SCHOOL NURSE CLINIC

The school nurse is running a clinic on Thursday 24th September 9.30am-12.30pm. Please contact the office if you would like to book an appointment. She can support with issues such as diet, sleeping, growth and toileting.

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