



Woolden Hill Newsletter March 2025

Dates for your Diary



- ***31st March - Y4 Roman Day***
- ***31st March - Parents Evening 3.30pm - 6pm***
- ***2nd April - Parents Evening 3.30pm -6.30pm***
- ***3rd April - Rock Steady Concert 9am-10am***
- ***9th April - Foundation Class Easter Event 2.30pm - 3pm***
- ***10th April - Year 5 & Year 6 Easter Event time TBC***
- ***11th April - Year 1 & Year 2 9am-10am***

- **11th April - Year 3 & Year 4 2pm -3pm**
- **2nd May - Colour Dash Run**
- **22nd May - Class Photos**
- **6th June - Year 1 Anstey Park Trip**
- **11th June - Year 6 Warning Zone**
- **26th June - Year 3 & Year 4 Trip to Conkers**

World Book Day

The children had great fun dressing up as their favourite book character or wearing their pyjamas for World Book Day. Year two made potato book characters and our school ELSA Mrs Cooper led a support challenge with some children.















 **ELSA Support Challenge** 
Year 1

Feeling	Character	Book
Happy	Tabby	Tabby McCat
Scared	Plop	The owl who is afraid of the dark
Surprised	Mouse	Graffalo
Angry	Voldemort	Harry Potter
worried	Bill	Owl Babies
Frustrated	Dad	A good cook
Bored	Boy	The way back home
Tired	Mr Sleepy	Mr Men Books
Shy	Worry monster	The worry monster
Embarrassed	Captain underpants	
Annoyed	The Grinch	The Grinch that stole xmas
sad	Stickman	Stickman
Shocked	Potato	Supertato
Disgusted	Disgust	Inside out
Excited	Room on the bear	Witch
sick	Jarvis	Dog School
upset	Child	Firework Night (Poem)
calm	Winnie the Pooh	Poo Stories
Name: Mr Coe		Date: 06/03/25

ELA Support Challenge

Feeling	Character	Book
happy
scared
surprised
wary
worried
amazed
mad
free
in
determined
amused
sad
stunned
regretful
excited
shy
afraid
angry
con
name	you 5	date 1/25

ELSA Support Challenge

Feeling	Character	Book
Happy	Mahilda	Matilda
Scared	Lion	Wizard of Oz
Surprised	Charlie B	Charlie & the chocolate factory
Angry	Fernando	Beast Quest
Worried	Mango	Invest-gators ↓
Frustrated	Delilah	Tom Gates
Bored	Greg	Diary of the Wimpy Kid
Tired	Tom	Beast Quest
Shy	Eeyore	Winnie the Pooh
Embarrassed	Juniper	Chronicles of Weatherwhys
Annoyed	Miss Trunchbull	Matilda
sad	Morning Murtle	Harry Potter
Shocked	Eleanor	Beast Quest
Disgusted	The Twits	The Twits.
Excited	Tigger	Winnie the Pooh
sick	Charlie's grandparents	Charlie & the chocolate factory.
upset	Hysteria	Romans on the Rampage.
calm	Miss Honey	Matilda

Name: Year 4

Date: 06.03.25

ELSA Support Challenge

Feeling	Character	Book
Happy	Joy	Gangsta Granny
Scared	Lily	Lily Alone
Surprised	Jack	Jack & Beanstalk
Angry	Sergi Ramis	Biography
Worried	Tom Gates	Yes, No, Maybe
Frustrated	Nemo Dad	Finding Nemo
Bored	Suphine	Pocket Full of Stars
Tired	Riley	Five ^{Inside out 2} minutes _{parade}
Shy	George	Peppa Pig
Embarrassed	Rebecca	Peppa Pig
Annoyed	Greg	Diary of a Wimpy Kid
sad	Cheruberry	Cherub the Fall
Shocked	Leah Williams	The Wonder Teen
Disgusted	Tom Gates	Excellent Excuses
Excited	Riley	Inside out
sick	Mum	Who Lets the God out
upset	Tom Gates	Brilliant World
calm	Iron Giant	Iron Giant

Name: Year 6

Date: 6.3.25

Well Done

Four of our year 6 children came 1st at level three gymnastics and went on to represent the school at the county finals, well done all.



Lost Property

*Our lost property box is located in the school reception. To ensure a swift and efficient return of belongings, **it is essential that all items are labelled with the child's name.** We would like to remind you that at the end of every term, the lost property box will be emptied. To ensure that any misplaced items are returned to their rightful owners, please take a moment to check the box for any belongings your child may have lost.*



Term Dates

WOOLDEN HILL TERM AND HOLIDAY DATES
ACADEMIC YEAR 2024/2025

AUTUMN TERM School Inset Days Wednesday 21 st Thursday 22 nd Friday 23 rd August 2024 (School Closed) August Bank Holiday Monday 26 th August 2024 School Opens Tuesday 27 th August 2024 School Closes Friday 18 th October 2024 Autumn Half Term Holiday Monday 21 st October 2024 – Friday 25 th October 2024 School Opens Monday 28 th October 2024 School Closes Friday 20 th December 2024

SPRING TERM School Inset Day Monday 6 th January 2025 (School Closed) School Opens Tuesday 7 th January 2025 School Closes Friday 14 th February 2025 February Half Term Holiday – Monday 17 th February 2025 – Friday 21 st February 2025 School Opens Monday 24 th February 2025 School Closes Friday 11 th April 2025 Easter Holiday Monday 14 th April 2025 – Friday 25 th April 2025

SUMMER TERM School Opens Monday 28 th April 2025 May Day Bank Holiday Monday 5 th May 2025 School Closes Friday 23 rd May 2025 Half Term Break Monday 26 th May to Friday 30 th May 2025 School Opens Monday 2 nd June 2025 School Closes Tuesday 8 th July 2025 Wednesday 9th and Thursday 10th July 2025 (Disaggregated Days School Closed)

WOOLDEN HILL TERM AND HOLIDAY DATES
ACADEMIC YEAR 2025/2026

AUTUMN TERM School Inset Days Wednesday 20 th Thursday 21 st Friday 22 nd August 2025 (School Closed) August Bank Holiday Monday 25 th August 2025 School Opens Tuesday 26 th August 2025 School Closes Friday 17 th October 2025 Autumn Half Term Holiday Monday 20 th October 2025 to Friday 24 th October 2025 School Opens Monday 27 th October 2025 School Closes Friday 19 th December 2025
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SPRING TERM School Inset Day Monday 5 th January 2026 (School Closed) School Opens Tuesday 6 th January 2026 School Closes Friday 14 th February 2026 February Half Term Holiday – Monday 16 th February 2026 to Friday 20 th February 2026 School Opens Monday 23 rd February 2026 School Closes Friday 27 th March 2026 Easter Holiday Monday 30 th March 2026 to Friday 10 th April 2026

SUMMER TERM School Opens Monday 13 th April 2026 May Day Bank Holiday Monday 4 th May 2026 School Closes Friday 23 rd May 2026 Half Term Break Monday 25 th May to Friday 29 th May 2026 School Opens Monday 1 st June 2026 School Closes Tuesday 7 th July 2026 Wednesday 8th and Thursday 9th July 2026 (Disaggregated Days School Closed)
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Parent/Carer Code of Conduct on the School Run



At Woolden Hill, we do not tolerate any form of verbal abuse or physical violence on our school grounds. This is for children and adults alike. Recently we have shared with Parents/Carers the Discovery Trust's Parent/Carer code of conduct policy, as a reminder of the expectations we have for all community members. Any form of misconduct whilst on school grounds which breach's this policy are taken seriously, especially if it has taken place in front of children and other site users. Depending on the nature of the incident, police may be notified, and the parties involved will be either spoken with by a member of the SLT and/or they will receive a written reminder of what is considered acceptable behavior by the school and trust. In rare and extreme cases, the school has the right to ban Parents/Carers from the school grounds.

If you would like a copy please contact the school office.

School Meals Summer Term

	WEEK 1 Weeks starting: 21st Apr, 12th May, 2nd Jun, 23rd Jun, 14th Jul	WEEK 2 Weeks starting: 28th Apr, 19th May, 9th Jun, 30th Jun, 21st Jul	WEEK 3 Weeks starting: 5th May, 26th May 16th Jun, 7th Jul
New Dish for 2025			
Mega Mondays	Cheese & Tomato Melt (V) ★ Summer Pasta Pizza (VG) Jacket Potato & Fillings (V) (GF) Farmhouse Cheese Roll (V) Green Beans, Sweetcorn Fresh Daily Salad Selection, Fresh Sliced Bread Ice Cream (V) Dolce Homebake, Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt	Deep Pan Margherita Pizza Choice (V) Mid Bean Chili & Home Baked Tortilla Chips (VG) Jacket Potato & Fillings (V) (GF) Farmhouse Cheese Roll (V) Baked Potato Wedges, Sweetcorn, Green Beans Fresh Daily Salad Selection, Fresh Sliced Bread Mini Doughnuts (V) Dolce Homebake, Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt	Deep Pan Margherita Pizza with Garlic Slice (V) Sausage & Potato Curry & Rice (VG) Jacket Potato & Fillings (V) (GF) Farmhouse Cheese Roll (V) Broccoli, Sweetcorn Fresh Daily Salad Selection, Fresh Sliced Bread Ice Cream & Fruit (V) (GF) Dolce Homebake, Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt
Tasty Tuesday	Chicken Katsu Curry & Steamed Rice Baked Bean & Potato Pie (V) Jacket Potato & Fillings (GF) Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG) Pasta, Carrots Fresh Daily Salad Selection, Fresh Sliced Bread Chocolate Cookie (V) Dolce Homebake, Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt	★ Summer Pasta (A Greek Bolognese Pasta Bake) ★ Tomato & Herb Pasta Bake (V) Jacket Potato & Fillings (V) (GF) Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG) Sweetcorn, Carrots Fresh Daily Salad Selection, Fresh Sliced Bread ★ Jelly & Ice Cream (V) ★ Dolce Homebake, Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt	The Dolce All Day Breakfast The Dolce All Day Breakfast (V) Jacket Potato & Fillings (V) (GF) Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG) Fresh Brown Baked Beans, Peas Fresh Daily Salad Selection, Fresh Sliced Bread Raspberry Jelly (V) (GF) Dolce Homebake, Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt
Roast Wednesday	Roast Chicken (GF) Vegetable Burrito (VG) Jacket Potato & Fillings (V) (GF) Fried Roll with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG) Roast Potatoes, Carrots, Savoy Cabbage, Gravy Fresh Daily Salad Selection, Fresh Sliced Bread Jelly & Fruit (V) (GF) Dolce Homebake, Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt	Sausage Stuffed Yorkshire Pudding & Mashed Pot. Vegan Pot Pie (VG) Jacket Potato & Fillings (V) (GF) Soft Roll with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG) Carrots, Peas, Gravy Fresh Daily Salad Selection, Fresh Sliced Bread Apple Crumble & Custard (V) Dolce Homebake, Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt	Roast Chicken (GF) Roasted Quorn Fillet (V) Jacket Potato & Fillings (V) (GF) Soft Roll with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG) Roast Potatoes, Carrots, Savoy Cabbage, Gravy Fresh Daily Salad Selection, Fresh Sliced Bread Flapjack (VG) Dolce Homebake, Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt
Try It Thursday	Deep Pan Pepperoni Pizza & Pasta Salad Authentic Vegetable Curry & Steamed Rice (VG) (GF) Jacket Potato & Fillings (V) (GF) Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG) Sweetcorn, Broccoli Fresh Daily Salad Selection, Fresh Sliced Bread Blueberry Sweet Cake (V) Dolce Homebake, Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt	Chicken Meatball Marinara & Steamed Rice Courgette, Mini & Pea Risotto (V) Jacket Potato & Fillings (V) (GF) Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG) Broccoli, Sweetcorn Fresh Daily Salad Selection, Fresh Sliced Bread Chocolate Cookie (V) Dolce Homebake, Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt	Macaroni Cheese (V) Chili Con Carne, Home Baked Tortilla Chips & Rice Jacket Potato & Fillings (V) (GF) Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG) Carrots, Sweetcorn Fresh Daily Salad Selection, Fresh Sliced Bread Chocolate Cookie (V) Dolce Homebake, Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt
Fishy Fridays	Breaded Fish Fingers Quorn Grill (V) Jacket Potato & Fillings (V) (GF) Farmhouse Cheese Roll (V) Chips, Peas, Baked Beans, Ketchup Fresh Daily Salad Selection, Fresh Sliced Bread Watermelon Wedges (VG) Dolce Homebake, Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt	Breaded Fish Fingers Salmon & Sweet Potato Fishcake Jacket Potato & Fillings (V) (GF) Farmhouse Cheese Roll (V) Chips, Peas, Baked Beans, Ketchup Fresh Daily Salad Selection, Fresh Sliced Bread Fresh Fruit Salad (V) Dolce Homebake, Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt	Breaded Fish Fingers ★ Fishless Fingers (VG) ★ Jacket Potato & Fillings (V) (GF) Farmhouse Cheese Roll (V) Chips, Peas, Baked Beans, Ketchup Fresh Daily Salad Selection, Fresh Sliced Bread Melon Slices (VG) Dolce Homebake, Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt

Woolden Hill Association

Dates for your diary

FEB 13 VALENTINE'S DISCO
KS1 4:00 - 5:00pm
KS2 5:15 - 6:15pm

MAR 27 WELLY HOP
Pupil's sponsored walk around the school grounds.

APR 10 EASTER BINGO
Get your dobbers at the ready for an evening of bingo fun!

MAY 22 SPRING DISCO
KS1 4:00 - 5:00pm
KS2 5:15 - 6:15pm

JUNE 07 SUMMER FAIR
Fun filled day with games, stalls, dog show, rides and much more!

JULY 03 LEAVERS DISCO
A special disco for our year 6 class.

JULY 05 WOOLDSTOCK
An evening of music to celebrate the academic year with all the family!

Thank you for your continued support.

If you can spare time to help at an event, please do let us know!
Email us at wooldenhillassociation@gmail.com

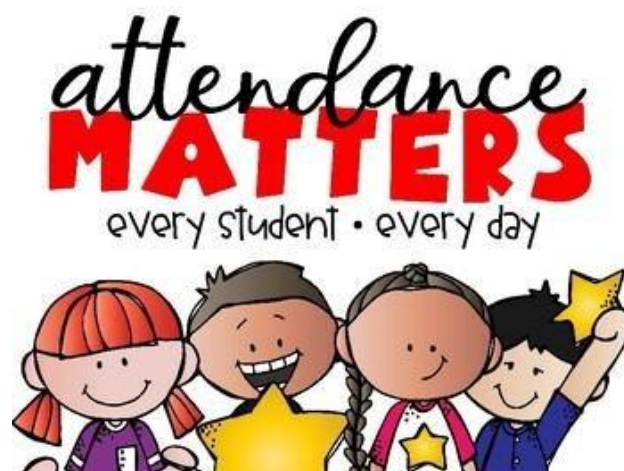
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Attendance

Our top tips for maintaining good school attendance:

- Create good attendance habits from when your child first goes to nursery.
- Talk to your child about the importance of school for their future.
- Take a positive interest in your child's work, including helping them with homework.
- Help your child to get into a good night-time, sleep time and morning routine.
- Have a good relationship with school, talk to them about about concerns you have and your child's progress.
- Contact school on the first day of absence if your child is unwell.
- Book all holidays in the school holidays and not in term time.
- Book medical appointments after school or during the the school holidays. If you can't make sure your child attends before and after their appointment.



Late Arrivals At School

LATE ARRIVALS AT SCHOOL

When your child arrives late at school, he/she misses the teacher's instructions and the introduction to the lesson.

Your child may also feel embarrassed at having to enter the classroom late.

Minutes late per day during the school year	Equals days worth of teaching lost in a year
5 minutes	3.4 days
10 minutes	6.9 days
15 minutes	10.3 days
20 minutes	13.8 days
30 minutes	20.7 days

Frequent lateness can add up to a considerable amount of learning lost and can seriously disadvantage your child.

School begins at 8.40am. Please help your child to be punctual.

Online Safety



As always we advise parents to be aware of what your child is doing online and making sure filters are used for sites such as Youtube.

If you are worried by something online or there is an immediate concern that involves safeguarding, please use the **Green Button** on the school website to report it. This goes direct to DSLs and they are monitored during school holidays.

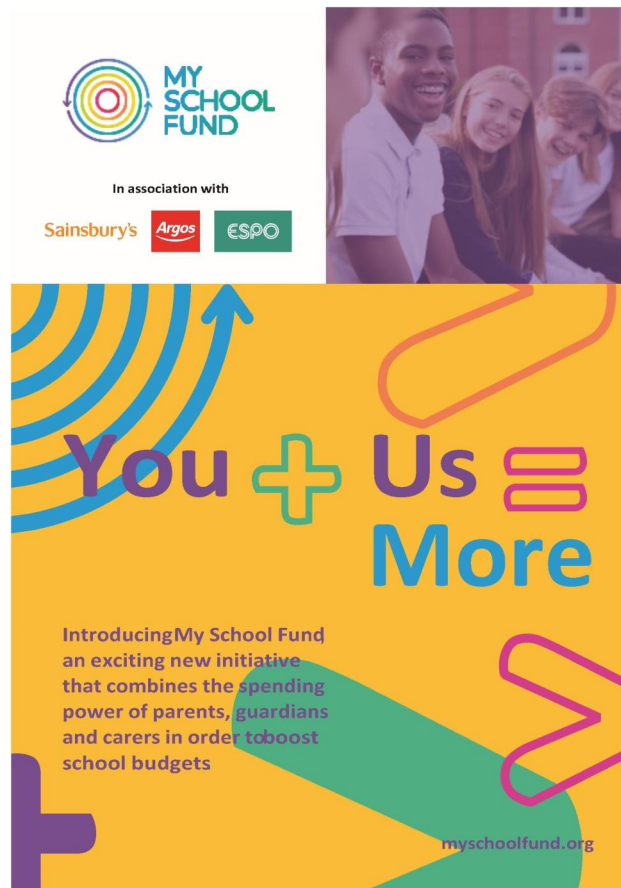
Reminders


- Please inform the school office of any appointments your child has and provide the office with the evidence for the appointment.
- Parking on the school drive is strictly prohibited and parking on the yellow Zig Zags is illegal and can result in a £70.00 fine.

- Please ensure that your child arrives at school in the morning with all their belongings, water bottles, PE kits, book bags etc. It distracts from the class learning for items to be dropped into the classroom during lessons.
- No jewellery to be worn in school apart from one pair of stud earrings and/or a standard dial watch.
- If your child is being collected by someone not on your collections list please email the school office with the person who is collecting name and relationship to your child.
- If your child has sickness and /or diarrhoea please do not send them into school until 48 hours after their last bout of sickness and/or diarrhoea.




My School Fund


Please see the attached information for My School Fund that allows schools and parents/carers to get great discounts. As a parent or carer you sign up and when you purchase something from a participating retailer you and the school can benefit from the cashback scheme. Please see the attached letter for more information.

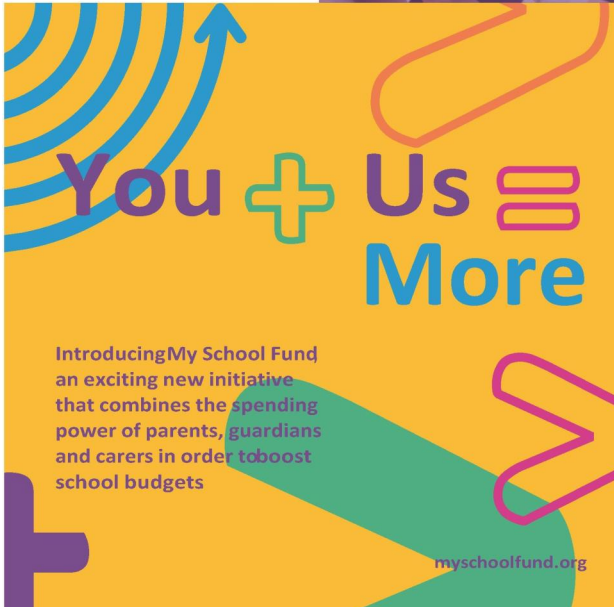




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 that combines the spending
 power of parents, guardians
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 school budgets

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My School Fund links your spend to your chosen school, meaning every time you make a purchase at participating retailers you both benefit through an innovative cashback scheme.

What's in it for me and my child's school?

Both you and your child's school will receive eGift Cards to spend in participating retailers based on a percentage of your overall spend.



Add that all up across the school's network of families and together we can all make a big difference!

Visit myschoolfund.org and register for free today!

Getting started



Step 1

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Step 2

Link to your child's school



Step 3

Spend at participating retailers



Step 4

Start receiving your eGift Cards!

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