



A note from the Headteacher....

I wrote to the Woodfield Community last week expressing my ambition for the Academy and the virtues in which we will all work towards. It has been brilliant to see all the happy faces and the Year 5 who have settled in so well. The uniform on a whole has been very impressive and these standards must continue. Do not allow your child to say that sports brands make shoes or that skin tight trousers are acceptable! Please, always contact the school if you are unsure.

The manner in which the children have conducted themselves around the building and their social interactions have been very much the 'Woodfield way'. These standards must continue when wearing our badge in the community so please have shirts tucked in and act in a way which the community can tell you are proud to belong to us. I look forward to the school flourishing as each day goes by and the clubs, trips and events start to happen. The newsletter, Facebook and Twitter will all show how impressed we are of the Academy so please use these to check in with what is happening each week. It has been a very enjoyable first few weeks and it has been great to meet so many new faces.

Mr N Straw

Positives

A fantastic 14,200 Positives were awarded last week with Year 6 being the top performing group with 4,995 Positives.



Top performing groups:

5MA – 991 Positives

6DD – 1,303 Positives

7SL – 732 Positives

8SH – 569 Positives

Important Dates

September 2021

20th Sept – School Photographs

October 2021

4th Oct – School open evening

20th Oct – Parents Evening 4pm

25th-29th Oct – Half term

November 2021

1st Nov – Back to School

1st Nov – Whole School Flu Vaccinations

26th Nov – Yr. 6 trip to the Black Country Museum

December 2021

13-15th Dec – KS3 residential trip to Malvern

15th December – Yr. 8 trip to The Houses of Parliament

17th Dec-4th Jan – Christmas Holiday



End of School Pick up

We know many parents/carers collect their child from school by car, but could we please ask that responsible parking is adhered to. Under no circumstance should cars be on the yellow lines or double parked. Please use the various car parks nearby or park a few 100 metres away and walk to the gate. Walking to collect your child or even meeting them half way would really help alleviate the congestion we are experiencing. Some children are running across the road without looking to meet their parents/carers on the other side and must use the crossing. Please consider how you park and if it would prevent an emergency vehicle being able to pass the school easily.

Start of school

There are too many pupils coming into school at 8.45am and having to rush to their class. There is a warning bell at 8.40am, this is when pupils should be arriving at school to ensure they have enough time to prepare for the day.

Year 8 Residential trip to Cologne, Germany

A reminder to the parents of the pupils wanting to go on the residential trip to Germany in May 2022. The deposit of £60 is due by Friday 1st October 2021.

Home learning

As part of the home learning, pupils were asked to design a logo. This logo has been designed by Jake in Year 7, it shows what the school is about and includes the school badge. Jake received an Outstanding star.





Class Charts at Woodfield

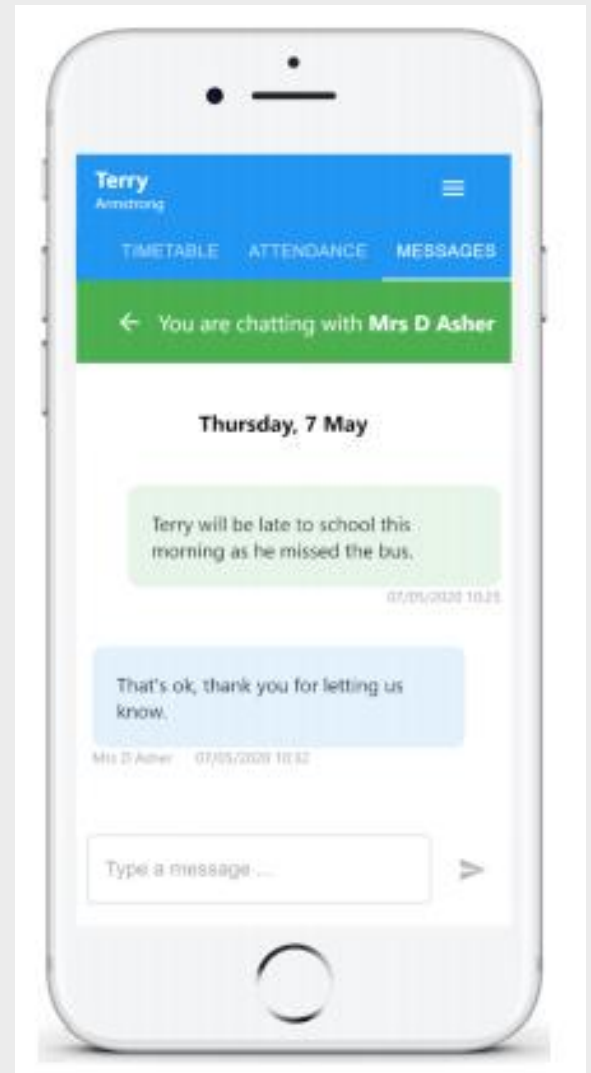
We have set up a Class Charts account to help you keep track of your child's behaviour, access their weekly timetable, track scheduled restoratives, view announcements from subject teachers and message tutors to discuss day to day issues.

If you have more than one child, you can access Class Charts information about your children from a single, centralised parent account. Class Charts for parents can be accessed via the Class Charts website, or through our iOS and Android apps.

<https://www.classcharts.com/parent/login>

Children in Year 5 and new children to the school will bring home a login form that will look similar to the example code shown below. This code is used to set up your Class Charts parent and child accounts. If you have lost access to your Class Charts account please do not hesitate to contact the office at your earliest convenience.

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New Playground markings

We are extremely pleased to share with you some pictures of the new markings on our KS2 Playground. They include a standing long jump, hop scotch, a throwing target game, a sprint track, a 1-mile track, an activity race course and a number grid.

The new additions to our playground have been well received by pupils and are frequently in use during both breaktime and lunchtimes.

Our PE and Sports Premium funding enabled this project and we are very pleased with the results.

Miss Brettle – PE





School Clubs

Below you will find the extra-curricular club timetable for Autumn one, these will begin week commencing **Monday 27th September**. There will be a sign-up process this year due a limited number of spaces. The process for this will be communicated with you in due course.

School Clubs

	Lunch	Afterschool
Monday		Staff Meeting
Tuesday	KS3 Board Games (TM) - 107	All Years Netball (CP/SH/BM) – Top Playground Year 6 Football (MAD) – Astro Year 8 Basketball (JB) – Gym Year 7 Science (HC) – Sci 1 Year 8 Science (EH) – Sci 2
Wednesday		KS2 Archery (AK) – Gym/Hall KS2 Art (SL) – Art/DT KS3 Art (RM) – Art/DT
Thursday		All Years Film Club (AK) – Nurture All Years Badminton (BW/EC) – Gym KS3 Football (MH/DA) - Astro
Friday		Year 5 Football (DK) - Astro