



Meet the Teacher

Year 4

Badgers - Miss Roberts and Mrs. Adams

Butterflies - Mrs. Willis and Miss Richardson

Beetles - Mrs. Field and Mrs. Carroll



8:40am – gates and
classrooms open.
(Registration closes at
8:55am)

3:10pm – pick up
time.

4:20pm – club finish
time.

New Start and Finish Times





Curriculum Overview

Term 1:

English – The BFG

Maths – Place value and addition and subtraction

Science – Sound

History – Ancient Greece

ICT – Coding

P.E – Basketball and hockey

R.E – Why is light important in religions?

PSHE – British values

D.T – Spartan helmet

Spanish – Introducing and describing yourself.



Curriculum Overview

Term 2:

English – Leo and the Gorgons Curse

Maths – Area and Multiplication and Division

Science – Animals including humans

History – Ancient Greece

ICT – Hardware Investigators and Making Music

P.E – Badminton and indoor athletics

R.E – Why is light important in religions?

PSHE – Keeping safe

Art – Greek mythological creatures self portrait

Spanish – Nationality and language



Curriculum Overview

Term 3:

English – The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe

Maths – Multiplication and division, Length and Perimeter and Fractions

Science – States of Matter

Geography – Rivers and Coasts

ICT – Online safety and Effective searching

P.E – Dance and Tag Rugby

R.E – Buddhism

PSHE – Eat well, live well

Art – Claude Monet inspired river art

Spanish – Describing pets, colours and animals



Curriculum Overview

Term 4:

English – The Great Kapok Tree

Maths – Fractions and Decimals

Science – Living Things and their Habitats

Geography – Rainforests

ICT – Writing for Different Audiences

P.E – Gymnastics and Netball

R.E – Christianity (including Easter)

PSHE – Our wonderful world

Art – Rainforest animals inspired art

Spanish – Clothing



Curriculum Overview

Term 5:

English – Street Child

Maths – Decimals, Money and Time

Science – Electricity

History – Ancient Rome

ICT – Spreadsheets

P.E – Kwik Cricket and Athletics

R.E – Sikhism

PSHE – Money Matters

Art – Roman mosaics

Spanish – Parts of the head, face and body



Curriculum Overview

Term 6:

English – Escape from Pompeii

Maths – Shape, Statistics, Position and Direction

Science – Inventors and Inventions

History – Romans in Britain

ICT – Logo and Animation

P.E – Football and Rounders

R.E – Christianity – Rites and Ceremonies

PSHE – Transition and moving up

Art – Roman pottery

Spanish – Food

Term 1

P.E:

Badgers – Monday and Wednesday

Beetles – Tuesday and Thursday

Butterflies – Tuesday and Thursday

Beetles and Butterflies also have swimming on Friday.

Forest School:

Badgers – Thursday

P.E and Forest School



Uniform

- Grey/black shorts/trouser/skirts/pinafore (or green gingham)
- White polo t-shirt/shirt
- Green jumper/cardigan/fleece
- Black shoes.

PE

- Blue/Black shorts/tracksuit bottoms/leggings
- White t-shirt/polo
- Blue/Black Jumper/tracksuit top.
- Trainers.

Forest school

- Long sleeve top
- Long trousers
- Wellies
- Waterproof top and bottoms/all in one.

Uniform Expectations



Additional Staff

PE Team

- Mr Collins
- Mrs Stone

Forest School

- Mrs Mortimer



Homework

- Homework will be set on a Tuesday and needs to come back to school the following Monday.
- Children will have their spelling test on a Friday.
- Homework will consist of a piece of Maths and English related to what has been, or what will be, covered in class.
- There is also a topic based piece of homework for children to undertake. Children will be given the choice of six different tasks. They choose one of those and complete the task, bringing in their homework at the end of term.
- All homework will be posted on the school website and children will have a homework book in which to do their work.

<https://www.theacademyofwoodlands.co.uk/page/?title=Homework&pid=76>



- MTC stands for Multiplication Tables Check.
- This is a national test which all children in Year 4, throughout the country, will sit in June.
- It will be taken on a computer.
- It will focus on their recall of their times tables only and not division.
- Children have 25 questions and 6 seconds to answer each one.
- [MTC information video](#)

MTC



- Now your child is in their second year of being in the juniors, we will have a stronger focus on reading comprehension.
- Children still need to read as much as they can at home.
- Please sign their contact book each time you read with them. Putting which pages they have read and whether they have finished their book is particularly helpful.
- There is no need to read a whole book every night. In fact it is probably more useful to just read a few pages and spend time discussing what has been read and asking questions to check for understanding.

Reading



- Your child will have already brought home a login for the Purple Mash website. This is the site the whole school will be using to support the children's ICT lessons.
- There are a couple of multiplication games on this site which would be really useful practise for the MTC, as well as lots of other games and activities which will support the children's learning in different areas.
- Teachers will set tasks for the children to complete at home and whilst these are not compulsory, they will be supporting your child's work in class.

Purple Mash



Before school – Entry Via the Arts Centre

- WASPs (Paid for breakfast provision.)
7:30am - 8:40am (Children taken to classrooms)
- Free Breakfast club – 8:00am -8:40am
(Children taken to classrooms)

After School

- Clubs- have limited spaces. 3:20pm – 4:20pm collection from allocated place.
- WASPs (Paid for afterschool provision.) from 3:20pm – 6:30pm- collection form Arts centre.

More information about WASPs can be found on the school website under the 'Wrap Around Care' section.

<https://www.theacademyofwoodlands.co.uk/page/?title=How+To+Book&pid=88>

Before and After School Provision



Questions?

