SUMMER TERM 2 -2026

Curriculum Update

We have been working hard this year to streamline our curriculum information and make it more accessible to all.

Where can I find the curriculum maps?

- Updated long term curriculum maps are on our website, click on the learning tab and select 'KS2 Curriculum Overviews.
- As you move down the page you can see the individual subjects. If you select a subject e.g. history, you can see we have started to develop knowledge maps for use across all lessons. We will continue to roll these out across the year.

What is a Knowledge Map?

- They are a summary of the key skills, vocabulary and content for a unit of work.
- They contain the key question that the unit is focused upon.
- They contain images which act as prompts for children to share their understanding.
- Knowledge Maps are currently live on our site for history, geography and art.
- Our aim is to upload Knowledge Maps for all foundation subjects over the coming weeks.

How can we make our curriculum offer even stronger?

- We have a good curriculum offer but at times this year, for many different reasons, information has not always been shared in a timely way. To do better next year, we have made provisional bookings for next year's trips and are sharing provisional costings with you.
- We are busy re-developing our enhanced curriculum and identifying key experiences that we provide/will provide for all of our children as they move through the school - these will form the '50 things to do before you leave Woodland View!' this will even out the curriculum offer over the four years that your child is with us. Watch out for more information in September!

How are we strengthening Career Related Learning?

- We have welcomed many visitors into school this year! Our children have learnt basic first aid, have learnt simple BSL signs, explored being a mechanic with the AA, listened to a farmer, learnt from a vet and considered all the skills needed to be an effective football referee.
- We have started to arrange for visitors to come into school next year to open eyes to possibility!
- Next year, in October, we are going to hold an Aspiration Day. If you would like to share with us the work you do and the skills needed for the role, we would love to hear from you!

How can I become involved?

- We would love for you to become involved in our aspirations day in the autumn term.
- If you can spare an hour in the week to listen to pupils read please let the office know.
- We would love to develop our school grounds to integrate more opportunities for outdoor learning into our curriculum - if you can help with ideas or labour please get in touch!
- We would love to develop our nurture garden area into a reading for pleasure zone and could really do with some help to make some outdoor book storage.

Why is this important to us?

Your contribution to the recent parent/carer survey provided valuable feedback and we are always working to strengthen our offer through our core values: Community, Adventure, Respect and Excellence.

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WVJS Enrichment Planning for 2026 - 2027, so far we are looking forward to...			
Year	Event	Provisional Dates	Estimated Cost
Autumn Term			
ALL	Storyteller Assembly and workshops	30th September	No cost, funded by the Virtual School
3 and 4	Ranworth Broad Trip – to support geography unit	Y4 20th October Y3 22nd October	£18
5	Tackle Maths at The Nest	TBC	£10, event funded by NCFS, cost is for the coach.
6	Crucial Crew – personal safety to support PSHE at The Nest	TBC	£10, event funded by NCFS, cost is for the coach.
Spring Term			
5 and 6	Gressenhall – to support history unit	23rd February	£12
3 and 4	Olly Day Road Safety Magic Show	17th March	No cost, funded by the Local Authority
Summer Term			
4	Eaton Vale Residential - outdoor and adventurous activities	26th-28th April	£185
3	Norwich Cathedral – to support science and art	TBC	£23
5	Royal Norfolk Show	30th June	£9
6	London Residential overnight on HMS Belfast, followed by a potential visit to the Tower of London	27th-28th May	£165

Please refer to our key dates document for information about workshops, swimming, Bikeability and charity days. As more visitors are confirmed, we will keep you informed!