



Vaughan Street| Winton | Eccles| Manchester M30 8DH
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(Sara Walker – Head teacher)

Friday News!

DATE: 10.10.25

If you have any concerns about Child Protection or Health and Safety, please contact school.

Designated Child Protection Officer – Sara Walker/Angela Lamb

School Website: westwoodpark.org.uk

SCHOOL VALUES: Friendship, Kindness, Respect, Integrity and Resilience.

Is your child a Young Carer? 8% of children are. School and the LA can help if you let us know.

Our School Development Plan priorities are: More Able Pupils (Academic, Social, Emotional) Health and Well-being and Attendance

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New Year's Resolution – Food Glorious Food!

<i>Attendance</i>	<i>Lates</i>	<i>Attendance</i>	<i>Lates</i>	<i>Attendance</i>	<i>Lates</i>
Blue – 88.4%	5	Yellow – 92.8%	5	Green – 93.1%	6
Blossom - 90.3%	10	Cedar – 99.3%	5	Juniper - 92.2%	7
Rowan – 99.3%	7	Beech – 98.1%	11	Oak – 93%	16
Willow – 96.6%	3	Ash – 95%	9	Total: 95.5%	
Y6 – 92.7% since school return.			School attendance and reading make the most difference to the outcome of your school life. Be in school every day.		

<i>Replacements</i> :	Book bag £4.75, Water bottle £1.65, Reading record £4. Swimming hat £1.50. Reading books - various. Bring correct change please.
<i>Meals</i>	Inform by Friday to change on Monday! Thank you. The cook needs to order or cancel the food.
<i>Property</i>	We can take no responsibility for items left overnight, especially in the bike shed. Thank you.

<u>Pupil Collection</u>	It is really important that your child knows who is picking them up every day. Not knowing causes anxiety.
<u>Drinks</u>	School policy is ONLY water or milk during lesson time. Thank you.
<u>Wraparound Care</u>	Our new Wraparound Care provision opened this week. £5 for a morning session (7.30-8.45), £8 for the afternoon session (3.15 – 6) – food included. Staffed by our existing staff. Places available. Contact Mrs Rouse, the office, Mrs Lamb or Mrs Walker. 😊 (Toilet trained Nursery pupils are welcome).
<u>Disability</u> Do you or your child have a disability that we don't know about? Let us know. We'd like to help if we can?	

World Mental Health Day!

Stand in nature. Go for a walk. Read a good book. Have a bath. Have a cold shower. Ask for a hug. Chat with a friend. Watch your favourite film. Cook your best meal. Cuddle your pet. Get in touch with an old friend. Say sorry to someone, make amends. Have a good de-clutter. Clean your house. Wear your favourite clothes. 😊

Exciting!

Joseph from Oak asked a brilliant question about space which has just been answered by a professor of extragalactic astronomy at Manchester University! Mrs Eden 🚀🚀🚀
That's amazing! Well done Joseph and Mrs Eden - inspiring!

Writer of the week

Dale in Beech has done some great writing this week; well done!

Governors/LA

Mr Ali, one of our parent Governors read a poem in assembly

Pupil Comment

'I hope our class win the prize for positive mental health ideas!' D-Maine. Beech. 😊

Behaviour and Manners

Queue nicely and be grateful for your food.

Parenting Tip/Internet Safety

Please put names in clothes and shoes. We have so much lost property!

Singing Assembly Theme – The Farewell Tour!

Ash - date pending!	7.11.25 – Rowan
10.11.25 - Beech	14.11.25 – Cedar
17.10.25 – Blossom	21.11.25 - EYFS
24.10.25 - Oak	5.12.25 - Juniper

Facebook

We have a school Facebook page. Search for us using WestwoodCPS and look in the people section.

NITS!

The best treatment is weekly washing, lots of conditioner and use a great nit comb – 'The Nitty Gritty' is the best!

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/head-lice-and-nits/>

Every day	<i>Pupils in KS2 are welcome to attend from 8.30 for quiet reading and work in class.</i>
Monday	<i>ICT Club – Oak/Rowan/Beech– 3.15-4pm – ICT Suite – Miss Oldbury Musical Theatre – Juniper Room – Miss Walker, Miss Rouse, Miss Fairhurst, Mrs Guite</i>
Tuesday	<i>Girls’ Football – hall – 3.15-4pm – Mrs Foster Maths Club – Miss Tunnicliff and Miss Rathbone</i>
Wednesday	<i>Football Club – 3.15 – meet in the hall. Jack from Commando Joe’s ICT Club - Juniper/Ash/Willow – 3.15-4pm – Miss Oldbury Family Club – Tracey Berry</i>
Thursday	<i>Netball – meet in the hall – 3.15-4pm – Mrs Foster</i>
Friday	<i>Dance Club – meet in the hall – 3.15-4pm – Mrs Foster</i>

AUTUMN TERM	
13.10.25	Coat swap week
14.10.25	Y1 Phonics’ meeting
22.10.25	2.20 - Harvest
24.10.25	Non-uniform No Warnings Park Trip
Half Term	
3.11.25	<i>Back to school</i>
11.11.25	<i>10.45 – Act of Remembrance</i>
14.11.25	Non-uniform – Bring a soft toy - Xmas Fair
17-21.11.25	FRIENDSHIP WEEK
21.11.25	Pride Morning Children in Need Non-uniform – Bring a bottle – Xmas Fair
28.11.25	XMAS FAIR
3.12.25	Parents’ Evening
4.12.25	KS1 Church visits 2.30 – Xmas Tree Service
5.12.25	Beauty and the Beast - whole school
10.12.25	EYFS – Xmas Show – 9.45/2.15
11.12.25	KS1 - Xmas Show – 9.30/2.15
12.12.25	KS2 – Xmas Show – 9.30/1.30
15.12.25	No Warnings Park Trip KS1 Party
16.12.25	Crib Service – 9am Xmas Dinner from 11.30 4pm – KS2 Disco
18.12.25	Xmas Walk – Xmas Jumpers 2.30 – Carol Service

School Talk Topic of the Week

When you feel at your worst....what can you do to feel better?

Y6 SATs – Beginning 11th May - 2026

Y6 Prom – 21st July 2026 – 6.30pm at Winton Social Club

Robinwood – 4-6th September 2026

Would you like our weekly newsletter emailing? If so, please let us have your email address.
Best wishes **Sara Walker – Head teacher**

Starting from the bottom of the pyramid, this is what we all need to be happy and successful – especially our children for their future lives.



Maslow's hierarchy of needs