

Woodland Grange Primary School Reception Parents' Meeting



The Foundation Stage Staff



Mrs Johnson
Foundation stage Lead



Mrs Brennan



Mrs Hayles



Miss West



Miss Jackson



Mrs Webster



Summer uniform

Winter uniform

Label EVERYTHING!!



The school day begins at 8.45am

Please ensure children are outside waiting at this time so they do not miss out on any carpet time.

Lateness does effect attendance.



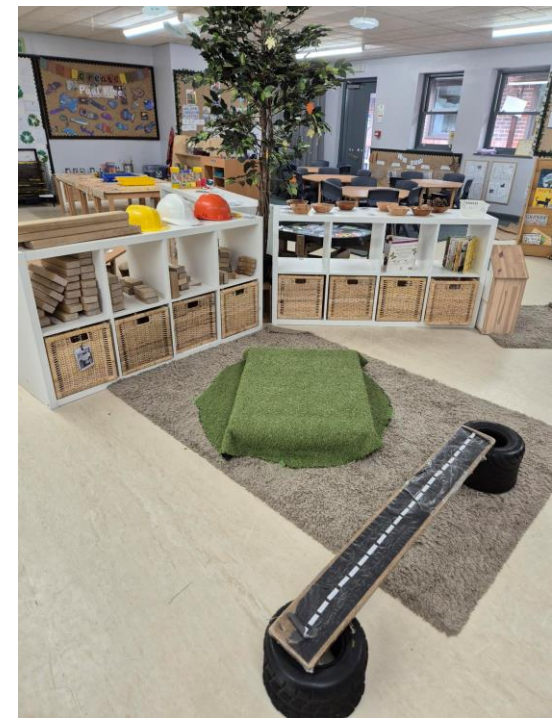




Writing Area



Maths Area



Construction Area

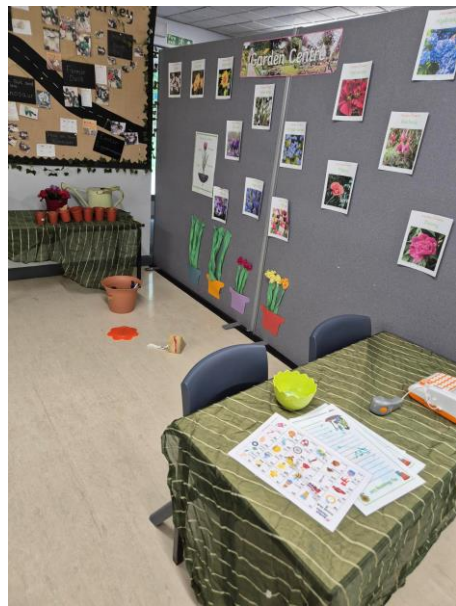


Fine Motor Area



Reading Area





Role-play Areas



Creative Area

Small-world Area



Investigation Area





The Outdoor Classroom









Forest School



How will we teach your child?



Play Support



Adult led
Activities/Carpet
sessions



School Ready



Physically Strong

Climb

Thread pasta tubes onto string.

Roll playdough into small balls with my fingers.

Lying on the floor and drawing

Run up and down hills



Walk a mile

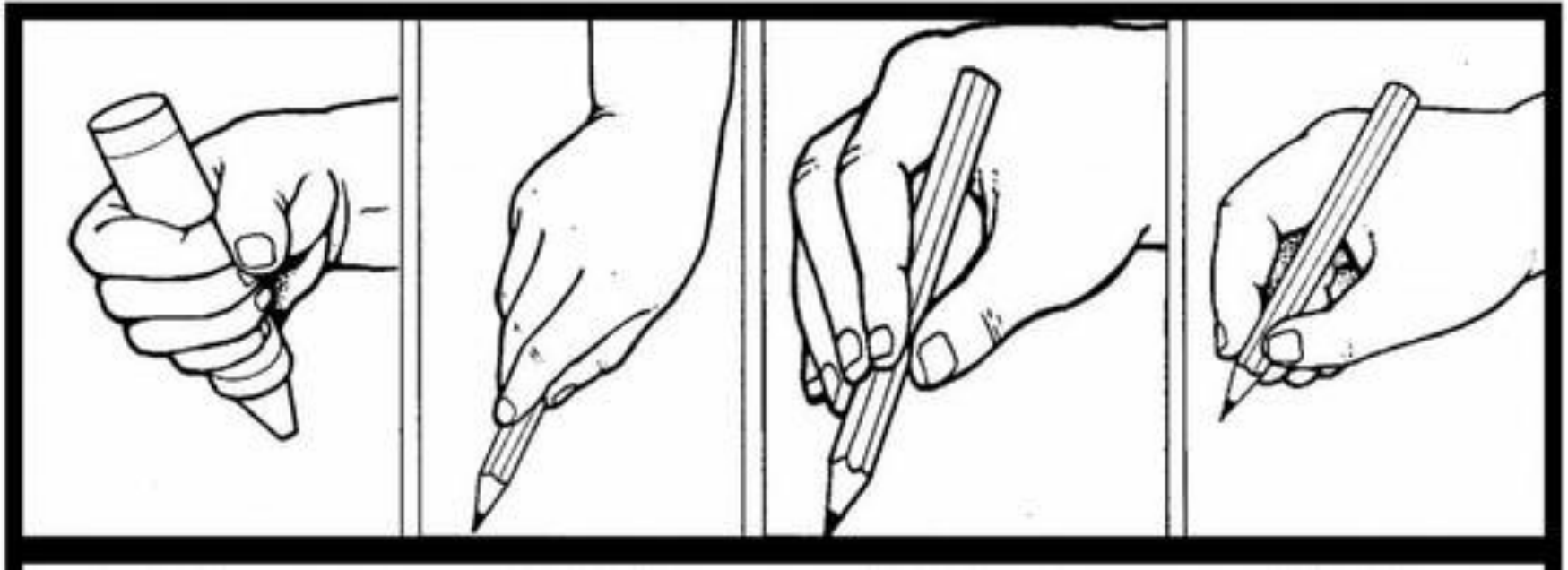
To Sainsbury's and back again.

Hang from monkey bars

Painting on vertical surfaces.

Roll down hills

Balance along a beam or plank of wood.



Cylindrical/palmar
Grip

Digital Grip

Early Tripod Grip

Tripod Grip

1-3 Years

3-5 Years

Back over the rainbow, big fat tummy, up, down and jump off.

Down in the lift, bounce up, round the roundabout and tuck in.

Back over the rainbow, curl round and stop.

Back over the rainbow, up in the lift, down and jump off.

Out and loop the loop.

Back over the rainbow, down and fishy tail, off and cross.

Back over the rainbow, big fat tummy, up, down and monkey tail

Down in the lift, bounce up, over the hill and jump off.

Down, jump off and splat

Down monkey tail, jump off and splat.

Down in the lift, bounce up, stick its tongue out, down the slide and jump off.

Down in the lift and jump off.

Down, bounce up, over the hill, over another hill and jump off.

Down, bounce up, over the hill and jump off.

Back over the rainbow, big fat tummy and join.

Down, bounce up, around the roundabout and tuck in.

Back over the rainbow, big fat tummy, down and kick.

Down, bounce up and over.

Back over the rainbow and curl around the snake's tail.

Down in the lift, round the bend, off and cross.

Down, round the bend, up down and jump off.

When joining handwriting in Year 2 please add the joiner to the letters below:

Down the slide, up the slide.

Down the slide, up, down and up again.

Down the slide, off and down the other slide.

Down, round the bend, up, down and monkey tail.

Zip along, down the slide and zip along again.



Resilience

Help your child to identify and name their own feelings – happy, frustrated, jealous, angry, scared.

Let go of being perfect. Let your child see you make mistakes!

Show your child how to ask for help.....make them see it's okay to need help.

Help your child to learn to wait – play waiting games like traffic lights, make them wait the duration of a sand timer before they can watch the TV or go outside. Praise them for waiting.

Role model that there are different ways to do things and help children to think of these too.

Independence

Encourage your child to dress themselves and do zips and shoes. Can they manage clothes that are inside out?



Give your child little jobs to increase their Self-worth.

Create situations where your Child has to ask other people for Help, not just you.

Help children learn to look after their Own things, carry their own things and Know where they are.

Help them to follow instructions by saying their name first, waiting for them to look at you and then give the instruction. Ask them to repeat it back so they know there is an expectation to listen.

Parental Engagement

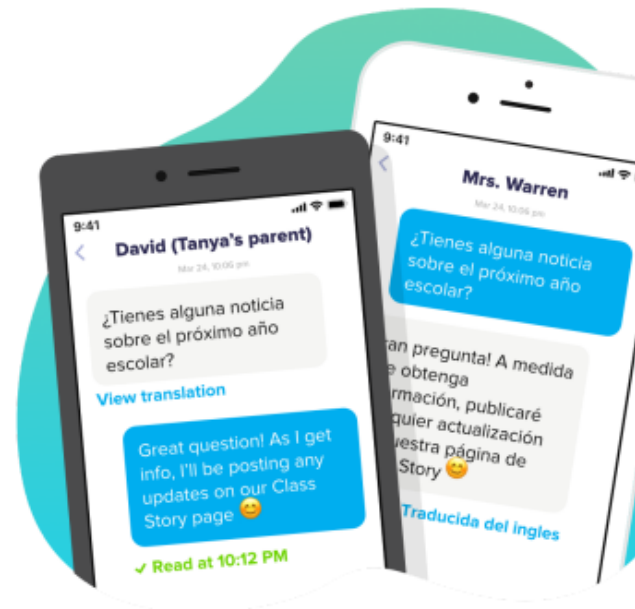




Easily keep all families engaged with ClassDojo! Millions of families world-wide use ClassDojo to have a window into their child's day at school. Parents with ClassDojo accounts can see Class Story and School Story (all of your classroom and school photos and announcements), feedback, and their child's individual Portfolio of Activities.

Any device, any language

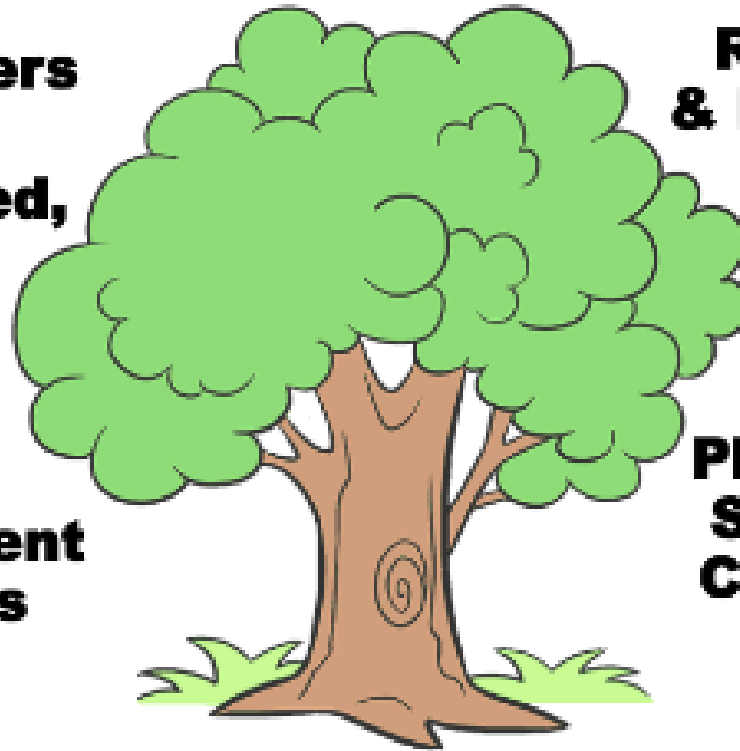
- Parents can use any device, **iOS** or **Android**, as well as their **computer** to connect!
- They can read all Class Story posts and direct messages in their preferred language instantly, with **automatic text translations in 35+ languages**.



ClassDojo

Our Aspiration Tree

Risk Takers
**Self-Motivated,
Engaged
& active**
Resilient
**Independent
Thinkers**



**Respectful
& Empathetic**
Creative
**Physically
Strong &
Confident**

FOWG



FOWG are now selling pre-loved uniform.

Items will be available for sale at most FOWG events.

Private viewings and donating items can be arranged by contacting us on fowg.uniformerly@gmail.com or contacting your [WhatsApp rep.](#)

Drop-offs to the school reception will not be accepted.

WANTED...

- ✓ School cardigans/ jumpers
- ✓ School polo shirts / blouses
- ✓ School skirts / dresses
- ✓ School trousers
- ✓ PE t-shirts
- ✓ PE jumpers
- ✓ Book bags
- ✓ Coats
- ✓ Wellies
- ✓ Waterproofs
- ✓ School boots / shoes in good condition

Items need to be
~clean
~ in good condition
~ size tags still on
~ no names
and can be with or
without school logo

reduce, reuse, donate



Special educational needs and disabilities (SEND)



Mrs Turner

Pre-school lead and EYFS SENDCo

If you have any concerns regarding additional needs your child may have, please inform a member of staff as soon as possible.

Reminders

Key Dates

Event	Attending	Date	Time
Induction evening	Parents/carers	10/06/2026	5.00pm
Story sessions (to be booked directly)	Parents/carers and child	15/06/2026 16/06/2026 17/06/2026	2.45pm - 3.00pm
Teddy bears picnic	Parents/carers and child	30/06/2026	2.00pm – 2.45pm
Stay and play session 1 (Children with surnames beginning with A-L)	Parents/carers and child	07/07/2026	9.00am – 10.00am
Stay and play session 2 (Children with surnames beginning with M-Z)	Parents/carers and child	07/07/2026	10.30 – 11.30am
Home visits (external children)		25/08/2026 26/08/2026	To be confirmed directly
Part time starts (Sessions to be confirmed directly)	Child only	27/08/2026 28/08/2026 31/08/2026 01/09/2026	Am session - 8.45am - 11.45am
			Pm session - 1.15pm - 3.15pm
Morning sessions with lunch All children	Child only	02/09/2026 03/09/2026 04/09/2026	8.45am – 1.30pm
Full time school begins All children	Child only	07/09/2026	8.45am – 3.15pm

We look forward to seeing you and your child on Tuesday 30th June 2-2:45pm for our Teddy bear's picnic!



Questions

Please write any questions you may have in the chat, we will then create a **FAQ's** document to answer all of your questions and email this out to all parents.

Thank you for your time,

The Foundation Stage Team